AL AMANA INSURANCE AND REINSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF AL AMANA INSURANCE AND REINSURANCE COMPANY. LTD.

Report on the Audit of Financial Statements

Opinion
We have audited the financial statements of the Al Amana Insurance and Reinsurance Company Ltd. (the "Company"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022, and the statement of income, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2022, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs).

Basis for Opinion
We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements
Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRSs, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF AL AMANA INSURANCE AND REINSURANCE COMPANY LTD. (continued)

Report on the Audit of Financial Statements (continued)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.

- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF AL AMANA INSURANCE AND REINSURANCE COMPANY LTD. (continued)

Report on the Audit of Financial Statements (continued)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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27 July 2023
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STATEMENT OF INCOME

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Notes	***2022 USD***	*2021 USD*
Premiums earned		**314,598**	328,789
Reinsurers' share of premiums earned		**(137,320)**	(140,157)
NET PREMIUMS EARNED		**177,278**	188,632
Claims incurred (reversal) for the year		**13,183**	(48,036)
Reinsurers' share of claims incurred		**(13,020)**	59,870
NET CLAIMS INCURRED FOR THE YEAR	3	**163**	11,834
Policy acquisition costs		**(6,631)**	(7,121)
NET UNDERWRITING RESULT		**170,484**	169,677
Interest income		**22,791**	19,418
Other income		**-**	426
General and administrative expenses	4	**(174,442)**	(516,824)
Foreign exchange gain (loss)		**27,605**	(31,081)
PROFIT (LOSS) FOR THE YEAR		**46,438**	(358,384)

The attached notes 1 to 16 form part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	2022 ***USD***	*2021* *USD*
Profit (loss) for the year	**46,438**	(358,384)
Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to statement of income:		
Foreign currency translation adjustment	**(9,523)**	9,658
Other comprehensive (loss) income for the year	**(9,523)**	9,658
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the year	**36,915**	(348,726)

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 December 2022

	Notes	2022 USD	2021 USD
ASSETS			
Receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts	5	**10,259**	271,132
Reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims	6	**8,840,572**	8,827,552
Advance reinsurance premiums paid	7	-	247,703
Other receivables	9	**959,799**	973,126
Cash and cash equivalents	10	**2,082,276**	2,946,226
TOTAL ASSETS		**11,892,906**	13,265,739
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Share capital	11	**1,000,000**	1,000,000
Foreign currency translation reserve		**451,484**	461,007
Accumulated losses		**(105,238)**	(151,676)
Total equity		**1,346,246**	1,309,331
Liabilities			
Liabilities arising from insurance contracts:			
Reserve for outstanding claims	6	**9,420,297**	9,407,114
Total liabilities arising from insurance contracts		**9,420,297**	9,407,114
Advance premiums received	7	**188,906**	618,495
Payable to insurance companies		**583,309**	408,411
Amounts due to related parties	8	**228,275**	1,402,546
Other liabilities		**125,873**	119,842
Total liabilities		**10,546,660**	11,956,408
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		**11,892,906**	13,265,739

George Lambros
Director

Yogesh Kumar Maheshwari
Director

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Share capital USD	*Foreign currency translation reserve USD*	*Accumulated losses USD*	*Total USD*
At 1 January 2022	1,000,000	461,007	(151,676)	1,309,331
Profit for the year	-	-	46,438	46,438
Other comprehensive loss for the year	-	(9,523)	-	(9,523)
Total comprehensive (loss) income for the year	-	(9,523)	46,438	36,915
At 31 December 2022	**1,000,000**	**451,484**	**(105,238)**	**1,346,246**
At 1 January 2021	1,000,000	451,349	937,708	2,389,057
Loss for the year	-	-	(358,384)	(358,384)
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	9,658	-	9,658
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the year	-	9,658	(358,384)	(348,726)
Dividend paid (Note 11)	-	-	(731,000)	(731,000)
At 31 December 2021	1,000,000	461,007	(151,676)	1,309,331

The attached notes 1 to 16 form part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Notes	*2022* *USD*	*2021* *USD*
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit (loss) for the year		**46,438**	(358,384)
Adjustments to reconcile profit (loss) for the year to net cash flows:			
Interest income		**(22,791)**	(19,418)
Amortisation of advance reinsurance premium	7	**247,703**	(629)
Amortisation of advance premium	7	**(429,589)**	(205,228)
Reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims	3	**(13,020)**	117,180
Reserve for outstanding claims	3	**13,183**	(108,362)
		(158,076)	(574,841)
Working capital changes:			
Receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts		**260,873**	390,225
Other receivables		**29,036**	5,267
Payable to insurance companies		**174,898**	(283,522)
Amounts due to related parties		**(1,174,271)**	319,852
Other liabilities		**6,031**	9,003
Net cash flows used in operating activities		**(861,509)**	(134,016)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Interest income received		**7,082**	385
Net cash flows from investing activities		**7,082**	385
FINANCING ACTIVITY			
Dividend paid	11	**-**	(731,000)
Net cash flows used in investing activities		**-**	(731,000)
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		**(854,427)**	(864,631)
Foreign currency translation adjustment		**(9,523)**	9,658
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		**2,946,226**	3,801,199
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 31 DECEMBER	10	**2,082,276**	2,946,226

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1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

Al Amana Insurance and Reinsurance Company Limited (the "Company") is registered as a Class 2 insurer and is incorporated in the Islands of Bermuda. The Company is a long-term insurer under the Bermuda Insurance Act 1978 and related regulations, (the "Act"), which requires the Company to file a statutory financial return and maintain certain measures of solvency and liquidity during the year.

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Alamana Industries Company S.A.K. (Closed), a closed shareholding company incorporated in the State of Kuwait (the "Parent Company"). The Company derives the majority of its underwriting income from the insurance and reinsurance of certain risks of its affiliated companies and their customers.

The financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2022 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors on 27 July 2023.

2.1 BASIS OF PREPARATION

Statement of compliance
The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

Basis of preparation
The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost basis.

The financial statements have been presented in United States dollar (USD). However, the functional currency of the Company is Kuwaiti Dinars (KD) since the underwriting business and related assets and liabilities are denominated in KD.

The Company presents its statement of financial position broadly in order of liquidity. An analysis regarding recovery or settlement within twelve months after the reporting date (current) and more than 12 months after the reporting date (non-current) is presented in Note 13.

2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

The accounting policies used in the preparation of these financial statements are consistent with those used in the previous year except for the adoption of certain standards and amendments, which are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022. The Company has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

Onerous Contracts – Costs of Fulfilling a Contract – *Amendments to IAS 37*
An onerous contract is a contract under which the unavoidable costs (i.e., the costs that the Company cannot avoid because it has the contract) of meeting the obligations under the contract exceed the economic benefits expected to be received under it.

The amendments specify that when assessing whether a contract is onerous or loss-making, an entity needs to include costs that relate directly to a contract to provide goods or services include both incremental costs (e.g., the costs of direct labour and materials) and an allocation of costs directly related to contract activities (e.g., depreciation of equipment used to fulfil the contract as well as costs of contract management and supervision). General and administrative costs do not relate directly to a contract and are excluded unless they are explicitly chargeable to the counterparty under the contract.

The Company applied the amendments to the contracts for which it had not fulfilled all of its obligations at the beginning of the reporting year.

These amendments had no impact on the financial statements of the Company as there were no onerous contracts outstanding within the scope of these amendments arisen during the year.

2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES *(continued)*

Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use – *Amendments to IAS 16*
The amendment prohibits entities from deducting from the cost of an item of property, plant and equipment, any proceeds of the sale of items produced while bringing that asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. Instead, an entity recognises the proceeds from selling such items, and the costs of producing those items, in profit or loss.

In accordance with the transitional provisions, the Company applies the amendments retrospectively only to items of PP&E made available for use on or after the beginning of the earliest period presented when the entity first applies the amendment (the date of initial application).

These amendments had no impact on the financial statements of the Company as there were no sales of such items produced by property, plant and equipment made available for use on or after the beginning of the earliest period presented.

2.3 STANDARDS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE

The new and amended standards and interpretations that are issued, but not yet effective, up to the date of issuance of the Company's financial statements are disclosed below. The Company intends to adopt these new and amended standards and interpretations, if applicable, when they become effective.

IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts
In May 2017, the IASB issued IFRS 17 *Insurance Contracts*, a comprehensive new accounting standard for insurance contracts covering recognition and measurement, presentation and disclosure, which replaces IFRS 4 *Insurance Contracts*.

In contrast to the requirements in IFRS 4, which are largely based on grandfathering previous local accounting policies for measurement purposes, IFRS 17 provides a comprehensive model (the general model) for insurance contracts, supplemented by the variable fee approach for contracts with direct participation features that are substantially investment-related service contracts, and the premium allocation approach mainly for short-duration which typically applies to certain non-life insurance contracts.

The main features of the new accounting model for insurance contracts are, as follows:
- The measurement of the present value of future cash flows, incorporating an explicit risk adjustment, remeasured every reporting period (the fulfilment cash flows).
- A Contractual Service Margin (CSM) that is equal and opposite to any day one gain in the fulfilment cash flows of a group of contracts. The CSM represents the unearned profitability of the insurance contracts and is recognised in profit or loss over the service period (i.e., coverage period).
- Certain changes in the expected present value of future cash flows are adjusted against the CSM and thereby recognised in profit or loss over the remaining contractual service period.
- The effect of changes in discount rates will be reported in either profit or loss or other comprehensive income, determined by an accounting policy choice.
- The recognition of insurance revenue and insurance service expenses in the profit or loss based on the concept of services provided during the period.
- Amounts that the policyholder will always receive, regardless of whether an insured event happens (non-distinct investment components) are not presented in the income statement but are recognised directly on the balance sheet.
- Insurance services results (earned revenue less incurred claims) are presented separately from the insurance finance income or expense.
- Extensive disclosures to provide information on the recognised amounts from insurance contracts and the nature and extent of risks arising from these contracts.

IFRS 17 is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023, with comparative figures required. Early application is permitted, provided the entity also applies IFRS 9 and IFRS 15 on or before the date it first applies IFRS 17. Retrospective application is required. However, if full retrospective application for a group of insurance contracts is impracticable, then the entity is required to choose either a modified retrospective approach or a fair value approach.

2.3 STANDARDS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE (continued)

IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts (continued)
The Company plans to adopt the new standard on the required effective date together with IFRS 9. The Company started a project to implement IFRS 17 and has been performing a high-level impact assessment of IFRS 17. The Company expects that the new standard will result in an important change to the accounting policies for insurance contract liabilities of the Company and is likely to have a significant impact on profit and total equity together with presentation and disclosure.

Transition Impact
Upon adoption of IFRS 17, the Company expects certain changes in classification of financial assets and financial liabilities and related reclassification between retained earnings and fair value reserve.

Amendments to IAS 1: *Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current*
In January 2020, the IASB issued amendments to paragraphs 69 to 76 of IAS 1 to specify the requirements for classifying liabilities as current or non-current. The amendments clarify:
- What is meant by a right to defer settlement
- That a right to defer must exist at the end of the reporting period
- That classification is unaffected by the likelihood that an entity will exercise its deferral right
- That only if an embedded derivative in a convertible liability is itself an equity instrument would the terms of a liability not impact its classification

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023 and must be applied retrospectively. The Company is currently assessing the impact the amendments will have on current practice and whether existing loan agreements may require renegotiation.

Amendments to IAS 8: *Definition of Accounting Estimates*
In February 2021, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 8, in which it introduces a definition of 'accounting estimates'. The amendments clarify the distinction between changes in accounting estimates and changes in accounting policies and the correction of errors. Also, they clarify how entities use measurement techniques and inputs to develop accounting estimates.

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023 and apply to changes in accounting policies and changes in accounting estimates that occur on or after the start of that period. Earlier application is permitted as long as this fact is disclosed.

The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

***Disclosure of Accounting Policies* - Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2**
In February 2021, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2 *Making Materiality Judgements*, in which it provides guidance and examples to help entities apply materiality judgements to accounting policy disclosures. The amendments aim to help entities provide accounting policy disclosures that are more useful by replacing the requirement for entities to disclose their 'significant' accounting policies with a requirement to disclose their 'material' accounting policies and adding guidance on how entities apply the concept of materiality in making decisions about accounting policy disclosures.

The amendments to IAS 1 are applicable for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023 with earlier application permitted. Since the amendments to the Practice Statement 2 provide non-mandatory guidance on the application of the definition of material to accounting policy information, an effective date for these amendments is not necessary.

The Company is currently revisiting their accounting policy information disclosures to ensure consistency with the amended requirements.

2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Revenue recognition
Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue can be reliably measured, regardless of when the payment is made. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable taking into account contractually defined terms of payment, excluding discounts and rebates. The Company assesses its revenue arrangements against specific criteria in order to determine if it is acting as principal or agent. The Company has concluded that it is acting as a principal in all of its revenue arrangements. The following specific recognition criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

Premiums earned
Premiums earned, with the exception of credit life premiums, are taken into income over the terms of the reinsurance contract to which they relate on a pro-rata basis. Unearned premiums represent the portion of net premiums written relating to the unexpired period of coverage. The change in provision for unearned premiums is taken to the profit or loss in order that revenue is recognised over the period of risk.

Premiums received on credit life risks have been classified as short duration contracts and are recognised as income over the period of risk in proportion to the amount of insurance protection provided. The portion of premiums received that will be recorded as income in future periods, less the related cost of reinsurance, is recorded as 'advance premium received' and the amount paid to reinsurers is recorded as 'advance reinsurance premium paid' in the statement of financial position at the reporting date.

Reinsurance premiums
Reinsurance premiums are recognised as an expense when payable or on the date on which the policy is effective.

Unearned reinsurance premiums represent the proportions of net premiums ceded relating to the unexpired period of coverage. Unearned reinsurance premiums are deferred over the term of the reinsurance contract.

Claims incurred and reserve for outstanding claims
Claims, comprising amounts paid during the year and payable to contract holders and third parties at the end of the year, incurred but not reported claims and related loss adjustment expenses, net of salvage and other recoveries, are charged to the profit or loss as incurred.

The reserve for outstanding claims comprises of the estimated cost of claims incurred but not settled at the reporting date, whether reported or not. Reserves for reported claims not paid as at the reporting date is made on the basis of individual case estimates and on management's judgement.

The Company generally estimates its claims incurred but not reported based on previous experience and a provision based on management's judgement is maintained for the cost of settling claims incurred but not reported at the reporting date. Any difference between the provisions at the reporting date and settlements and provisions for the following year is included in the profit or loss for that year.

Reinsurance claims
Reinsurance recoverable claims are recognised when the related gross insurance claim is recognised according to the terms of the relevant contract.

Reserve for unearned premiums
The reserve for unearned premiums includes premiums received for risks that have not yet expired. Generally, the reserve is released over the term of the contract and is recognised as premium income.

Commissions earned
Commissions earned are recognised at the time of recognition of the related premiums.

Interest income
Interest income is recognised as the interest accrues, using the effective interest rate method.

2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Policy acquisition costs
Commissions paid to intermediaries and other (incremental) direct costs incurred in relation to the acquisition and renewal of insurance contracts is deferred to the extent that these costs are recoverable out of future premiums. All other acquisition costs are recognised as an expense when incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition, the deferred policy acquisition costs (DAC) are amortised over the life of the contracts.

An impairment review is performed at each reporting date or more frequently when an indication of impairment arises. When the recoverable amounts is less than the carrying value, an impairment loss is recognised in the profit or loss. DAC is also considered in the liability adequacy test for each reporting period.

DAC are derecognised when the related contracts are settled or disposed of.

Liability adequacy test
At each reporting date the Company assesses whether its recognised insurance liabilities are adequate using current estimates of future cash flows under its insurance contracts. If that assessment shows that the carrying amount of its insurance liabilities (less related deferred policy acquisition costs) is inadequate in light of estimated future cash flows, the entire deficiency is immediately recognised in the profit or loss and an unexpired risk provision is created.

The Company does not discount its liability for unpaid claims as substantially all claims are expected to be paid within one year of the reporting date.

Product classification
Insurance contracts
Insurance contracts are those contracts where the Company (the insurer) has accepted significant insurance risk from another party (the policyholders) by agreeing to compensate the policyholders if a specified uncertain future event (the insured event) adversely affects the policyholders. As a general guideline, the Company determines whether it has significant insurance risk, by comparing benefits paid with benefits payable if the insured event did not occur. Insurance contracts can also transfer financial risk.

Investment contracts
Investment contracts are those contracts that transfer significant financial risk. Financial risk is the risk of a possible future change in one or more of a specified interest rate, financial instrument price, commodity price, foreign exchange rate, index of price or rates, credit rating or credit index or other variable, provided in the case of a non-financial variable that the variable is not specific to a party to the contract.

Once a contract has been classified as an insurance contract, it remains an insurance contract for the remainder of its lifetime, even if the insurance risk reduces significantly during this period, unless all rights and obligations are extinguished or expired. Investment contracts can however be reclassified as insurance contracts after inception, if insurance risk becomes significant.

Reinsurance
In the ordinary course of business, the Company assumes and cedes reinsurance. Such reinsurance arrangements provide for greater diversification of business, allow management to control exposure to potential losses arising from large risks, and provide additional capacity for growth. Reinsurance is affected under treaty, facultative and excess-of-loss reinsurance contracts. Failure of re-insurers to honour their obligations could result in losses to the Company; consequently, necessary allowances as estimated by management are established for amounts deemed uncollectible. Ceded reinsurance is treated as the risk and liability of the assuming companies. The re-insurers' portion of loss reserves are estimated in a manner consistent with the claim liability associated with the reinsured policy.

At each reporting date, the Company assesses whether there is any indication that a reinsurance asset may be impaired. Where an indicator of impairment exists, the Company makes a formal estimate of recoverable amount. Where the carrying amount of a reinsurance asset exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

The Company also assumes reinsurance risk in the normal course of business for life insurance and non-life insurance contracts when applicable. Premiums and claims on assumed reinsurance are recognised as income and expenses in the same manner as they would be if the reinsurance were considered direct business, taking into account the product classification of the reinsured business. Reinsurance liabilities represent balances due to reinsurance companies. Amounts payable are estimated in a manner consistent with the associated reinsurance contract.

2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Reinsurance (continued)
Premiums and claims are presented on a gross basis for both ceded and assumed reinsurance.

Reinsurance assets or liabilities are derecognised when the contractual rights are extinguished or expired or when the contract is transferred to another party.

Financial instruments

Financial assets

Initial recognition and measurement
Financial assets within the scope of IAS 39 are classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, held-to-maturity investments, or financial assets available-for-sale, as appropriate. The Company determines the classification of its financial assets at initial recognition.

All financial assets are recognised initially at fair value plus transaction costs except, in the case of financial assets recorded at fair value through profit or loss.

A "regular way" purchase of financial assets is recognised using the trade date accounting. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the time frame generally established by regulations or conventions in the marketplace.

The Company's financial assets include cash and cash equivalents, receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts and other receivables.

Subsequent measurement
The subsequent measurement of financial assets depends on their classification as follows:

Insurance receivables
Insurance receivables are recognised when due and measured on initial recognition at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Subsequent to initial recognition, insurance receivables are measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method. The carrying value of insurance receivables is reviewed for impairment whenever events or circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable, with the impairment loss recorded in the profit or loss.

Cash and cash equivalents
Cash and cash equivalents comprised of bank balances and short-term deposits with original maturity of three months or less.

Derecognition
A financial asset (or, where applicable a part of a financial asset or part of a Company of similar financial assets) is derecognised when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired;
- The Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement; and either (a) the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) the Company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

When the Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a pass-through arrangement, it evaluates if and to what extent it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the asset is recognised to the extent of the Company's continuing involvement in the asset. In that case, the Company also recognises an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Company has retained. Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Company could be required to repay.

2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Financial instruments (continued)

Financial assets (continued)

Impairment of financial assets
The Company assesses at each reporting date, whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a Company of financial assets is impaired. A financial asset or a Company of financial assets is deemed to be impaired if there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events that has occurred since the initial recognition of the asset (an incurred 'loss event') and that loss event (or events) has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset or the Company of financial assets that can be reliably estimated. Evidence of impairment may include indications that the debtors or a Company of debtors is experiencing significant financial difficulty, default or delinquency in interest or principal payments, the probability that they will enter bankruptcy or other financial re-organisation and where observable data indicate that there is a measurable decrease in the estimated future cash flows, such as changes in arrears or economic conditions that correlate with defaults.

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss has been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows (excluding future expected credit losses that have not yet been incurred). The present value of the estimated future cash flows is discounted at the financial assets original EIR. If a loan has a variable interest rate, the discount rate for measuring any impairment loss is the current EIR.

The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account and the amount of the loss is recognised in the statement of income. Interest income continues to be accrued on the reduced carrying amount and is accrued using the rate of interest used to discount the future cash flows for the purpose of measuring the impairment loss. The interest income is recorded in the statement of income. Receivables together with the associated allowance are written off when there is no realistic prospect of future recovery and all collateral has been realised or has been transferred to the company. If, in a subsequent year, the amount of the estimated impairment loss increases or decreases because of an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is increased or reduced by adjusting the allowance account. If a future write-off is later recovered, the recovery is credited to the statement of income.

Financial liabilities

Initial recognition and measurement
Financial liabilities within the scope of IAS 39 are classified as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, loan and borrowings, as appropriate. The Company determines the classification of its financial liabilities at initial recognition.

Financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and in the case of loans and borrowings, directly attributable transaction costs.

The Company's financial liabilities include payable to insurance companies, amount due to related parties and other liabilities.

Subsequent measurement
The measurement of financial liabilities depends on their classification as follows:

Insurance payables
Insurance payables are recognised when due and measured on initial recognition at the fair value of the consideration received less directly attributable transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, they are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

Other liabilities
Other liabilities are stated at their cost. Liabilities are recognised for amounts to be paid in the future for goods or services received, whether billed by the supplier or not.

2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Derecognition
A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expired.

Where an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as a derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability, and the difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the profit or loss.

Offsetting of financial instruments
The Company uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

Fair value measurement
Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible to by the Company.

The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1 — Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- Level 2 — Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable
- Level 3 — Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Company determines whether transfers have occurred between Levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Company has determined classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy as explained above.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset, and the net amount reported in the statement of financial position if, and only if, there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

Outstanding claims reserve
Outstanding claims comprise the estimated cost of claims incurred and reported but not settled at the reporting date. Provisions for reported claims not paid as at the reporting date is made on the basis of individual case estimates.

Any difference between the provisions at the reporting date and settlements and provisions in the following year is included in the underwriting account for that year.

2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Unearned premiums reserve
The reserve for unearned premiums includes premiums received for risks that have not yet expired. Generally the reserve is released over the term of the contract and is recognised as premium income.

Life mathematical reserve
The reserve for the life business at the reporting date represents the mathematical liability of policies in force at that date as determined by the Company's actuaries.

Incurred but not reported claim reserve (IBNR)
The additional reserve includes amounts reserved for claims incurred but not reported at the reporting date in addition to other contingencies and any differences that may arise. Provision based on management's judgement and the Company's prior experience is maintained for the cost of settling claims incurred but not reported at the reporting date.

Provisions
Provisions are recognised when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Contingencies
Contingent liabilities are not recognised in the statement of financial position but are disclosed unless the possibility of an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits is remote.

Contingent assets are not recognised in the statement of financial position but are disclosed when an inflow of economic benefits is probable.

Foreign currencies
Transactions in foreign currencies are measured in the functional currency of the Company and are recorded on initial recognition in the functional currency at exchange rates approximately those ruling at the transaction dates.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the functional currency rate of exchange ruling at the reporting date. All differences are taken to the profit or loss.

Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates as at the dates of the initial transactions. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value is determined. The gain or loss arising on retranslation of non-monetary items is treated in line with the recognition of gain or loss on change in fair value of the item (i.e. translation differences on items whose fair value gain or loss is recognised in other comprehensive income or profit or loss is also recognised in other comprehensive income or profit or loss, respectively).

The assets and liabilities and the results of the Company are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

a) assets and liabilities presented are translated at the closing rate at the date of that statement of financial position.
b) income and expenses are translated at average exchange rates during the year; and
c) all resulting exchange differences are recognised as a separate component of other comprehensive income.

Segment reporting
A business segment is a Company of assets and operations engaged in providing products or services that are subject to risks and returns that are different from those of other business segments.

2.5 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

The preparation of the Company's financial statements require management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent liabilities, at the reporting date. However, uncertainty about the assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of the asset or liability affected in future periods.

2.5 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)

Estimates and assumptions

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below.

Non-life insurance contract liabilities

For non-life insurance contracts, estimates have to be made both for the expected ultimate cost of claims reported at the reporting date, provision for outstanding claims (OCR) and for the expected ultimate cost of claims incurred but not yet reported at the reporting date (IBNR). It can take a significant period of time before the ultimate claims cost can be established with certainty. The ultimate cost of outstanding claims is estimated by using a range of standard actuarial claims projection techniques.

The main assumption underlying these techniques is that a Company's past claims development experience can be used to project future claims development and hence ultimate claims costs. As such, these methods extrapolate the development of paid and incurred losses, average costs per claim and claim numbers based on the observed development of earlier years and expected loss ratios. Historical claims development is mainly analysed by accident years, but can also be further analysed by geographical area, as well as by significant business lines and claim types. Large claims are usually separately addressed, either by being reserved at the face value of loss adjustor estimates or separately projected in order to reflect their future development. In most cases, no explicit assumptions are made regarding future rates of claims inflation or loss ratios. Instead, the assumptions used are those implicit in the historic claims development data on which the projections are based.

Additional qualitative judgement is used to assess the extent to which past trends may not apply in future, (for example to reflect one-off occurrences, changes in external or market factors such as public attitudes to claiming, economic conditions, levels of claims inflation, judicial decisions and legislation, as well as internal factors such as portfolio mix, policy conditions and claims handling procedures) in order to arrive at the estimated ultimate cost of claims that present the likely outcome from the range of possible outcomes, taking account of all the uncertainties involved. A margin for adverse deviation may also be included in the liability valuation.

Claims requiring court or arbitration decisions are estimated individually. Independent loss adjusters normally estimate large claims. Management reviews its provisions for claims incurred, and claims incurred but not reported, on a periodic basis.

Life insurance contract liabilities (Life mathematical reserve)

The main assumptions used relate to mortality, morbidity, longevity, investment returns, expenses, lapse and surrender rates and discount rates. The Company base mortality and morbidity tables on standard industry and national tables which reflect historical experiences, adjusted when appropriate to reflect the Company's unique risk exposure, product characteristics, target markets and own claims severity and frequency experiences. For those contracts that insure risk to longevity, prudent allowance is made for expected future mortality improvements, but epidemics, as well as wide ranging changes to life style, could result in significant changes to the expected future mortality exposure.

Reinsurance

The Company is exposed to disputes with, and possibility of defaults by, its reinsurers. The Company monitors on a quarterly basis the evolution of disputes with and the strength of its reinsurers.

Judgements

Impairment losses on receivables arising on insurance and reinsurance

The Company reviews its problem receivables on a quarterly basis to assess whether a provision for impairment should be recorded in the profit or loss. In particular, considerable judgement by management is required in the estimation of the amount and timing of future cash flows when determining the level of provisions required. Such estimates are necessarily based on assumptions about several factors involving varying degrees of judgement and uncertainty, and actual results may differ resulting in future changes to such provisions.

Impairment of premiums and insurance receivable

An estimate of the collectible amount of accounts receivable is made when collection of the full amount is no longer probable. For individually significant amounts, this estimation is performed on an individual basis. Amounts which are not individually significant, but which are past due, are assessed collectively and a provision applied according to the length of time past due.

2.5 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)

Judgements (continued)

Provision for outstanding claims

Considerable judgement by management is required in the estimation of amounts due to contract holders arising from claims made under insurance contracts. Such estimates are necessarily based on significant assumptions about several factors involving varying, and possible significant, degrees of judgement and uncertainty and actual results may differ from management's estimates resulting in future changes in estimated liabilities.

In particular, estimates have to be made both for the expected ultimate cost of claims reported at the reporting date and for the expected ultimate cost of claims incurred but not yet reported (IBNR) at the reporting date. The primary technique adopted by management in estimating the cost of notified and IBNR claims, is that of using past claim settlement trends to predict future claims settlement trends.

3 NET CLAIMS INCURRED

2022	***Gross claims USD***	***Reinsurers' share USD***	***Net claims USD***
Claims paid during the year (Note 6)	**-**	**-**	**-**
Movement in outstanding claims (Note 6)	**13,183**	**(13,020)**	**163**
Net claims incurred (reversed)	**13,183**	**(13,020)**	**163**

2021	*Gross claims USD*	*Reinsurers' share USD*	*Net Claims USD*
Claims paid during the year (Note 6)	60,326	(57,310)	3,016
Movement in outstanding claims (Note 6)	(108,362)	117,180	8,818
Net claims (reversed) incurred	(48,036)	59,870	11,834

4 GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

	2022 USD	*2021 USD*
Management fees (Note 8)	**-**	331,451
Professional fees	**85,476**	81,666
Consultant fees	**40,326**	40,634
Others	**48,640**	63,073
	174,442	516,824

5 RECEIVABLES ARISING FROM INSURANCE AND REINSURANCE CONTRACTS

	2022 USD	*2021 USD*
Claims receivable (net)	**10,259**	271,132

As at 31 December 2022, the Company has a provision of USD 26,338 (2021: USD 26,680) on claims receivable.

5 RECEIVABLES ARISING FROM INSURANCE AND REINSURANCE CONTRACTS (continued)

Movement in provision for impairment of claims receivable is as follows:

	Collectively impaired	
	2022	*2021*
	USD	*USD*
As at 1 January	**26,680**	26,612
Exchange adjustment	**(342)**	68
As at 31 December	**26,338**	26,680

As at 31 December, the ageing of unimpaired claims receivable is as follows:

		Past due but not impaired		
	Neither past due nor impaired	*<30 days*	*31 to 60 days*	*Total*
	USD	*USD*	*USD*	*USD*
2022	**-**	**-**	**10,259**	**10,259**
2021	-	-	271,132	271,132

Unimpaired claims receivable is expected, on the basis of past experience, to be fully recoverable. It is not the practice of the Company to obtain collateral over claims receivable.

6 LIABILITIES AND ASSETS ARISING FROM INSURANCE CONTRACTS

	Life and medical	
	2022	*2021*
	USD	*USD*
Outstanding claim reserve:		
Net balance at beginning of the year	**579,562**	570,744
Incurred during the year	**721**	12,566
Paid during the year	**-**	(3,016)
Net movement in IBNR	**(558)**	(732)
Net balance at end of the year	**579,725**	579,562
Represented by:		
Gross balance at end of the year	**9,420,297**	9,407,114
Reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims	**(8,840,572)**	(8,827,552)
Net balance at end of the year	**579,725**	579,562

7 ADVANCE PREMIUMS RECEIVED/PAID

Advance premiums relate to credit life risks on which premium written is recognised on an annual basis. These contracts cover risk periods between 2 and 20 years. Advance premiums received are stated net of the related prepaid reinsurance premiums ceded in the amount of USD Nil (2021: USD 247,703). Advance premiums will be recorded as income over the period of risk in proportion to the amount of insurance provided.

7 ADVANCE PREMIUMS RECEIVED/PAID (continued)

	2022			*2021*		
	Gross advance premium USD	***Reinsurer's share of advance premium USD***	***Net USD***	*Gross advance premium USD*	*Reinsurer's share of advance premium USD*	*Net USD*
At 1 January	**618,495**	**(247,703)**	**370,792**	823,723	(247,074)	576,649
Amortised / paid during the year	**(429,589)**	**247,703**	**(181,886)**	(205,228)	(629)	(205,857)
At 31 December	**188,906**	**-**	**188,906**	618,495	(247,703)	370,792

8 RELATED PARTIES DISCLOSURES

These represent transactions with related parties, i.e. shareholders and senior management of the Company and the Parent Company, and entities which they control or over which they exert significant influence. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Company's management.

Balances with related parties included in the statement of financial position are as follows:

	2022 USD	*2021 USD*
Amount due to related parties		
Payable arising from insurance contracts	**-**	641,894
Management and service fee payable	**228,275**	760,652
	228,275	1,402,546

Amount due to related parties represents transactions in the normal course of business that are repayable on demand and do not carry interest.

Transactions with related parties included in the financial statements for the year ended 31 December are as follows:

	2022 USD	*2021 USD*
Charges for services rendered included under general and administrative expenses (Note 4)	**-**	331,451

Transaction and balances with related parties represents entities under common control.

Key management remuneration:
Key management personnel services are provided to the Company by a related party, which charges fee for this and other services, as disclosed under charges for services rendered, above.

9 OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2022 USD	*2021 USD*
Funds held by ceding insurer	**735,171**	744,725
Interest receivable	**223,984**	208,275
Prepaid expenses	**-**	20,126
Other receivables	**644**	-
	959,799	973,126

Funds held by ceding insurer represent interest bearing deposits with effective interest rate of 2.5% (2021: 2.5%) per annum.

10 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENT

	2022	*2021*
	KD	*KD*
Bank balances	**82,276**	20,743
Term deposit	**2,000,000**	2,925,483
Cash and cash equivalents	**2,082,276**	2,946,226

Term deposits of KD 2,000,000 (2021: KD 2,925,483) are placed with a financial institution and are denominated in USD. The term deposit mature within 180 days from the placement date and earns an average interest rate of 2.19% (2021: 2.06%) per annum.

11 EQUITY

Capital
The authorised, issued and fully paid share capital of the Company consists of 10,000 (2021: 10,000) shares of USD 100 each (2021: USD 100 each), paid in cash.

Dividends
Distributions to shareholders are restricted to the extent that such a distribution would not result in the Company not meeting the required Minimum General Business Solvency Margin or the required Minimum Liquidity Ratio.

The Annual General Assembly of the Company which was held on 20 September 2022 has resolved not to distribute any dividends for the year ended 31 December 2021.

The Annual General Assembly of the Company which was held on 4 October 2021 approved the distribution of cash dividends amounting to USD 731,000 to the Company's registered shareholder (representing USD 73 per share) for the year ended 31 December 2020.

12 SEGMENT INFORMATION

For management purposes, the Company is organised into one segment, i.e. life insurance for the year ended 31 December 2022 and 2021.

13 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

Risk is inherent in the Company's activities, but it is managed through a process of ongoing identification, measurement and monitoring, subject to risk limits and other controls. This process of risk management is critical to the Company's continuing profitability and each individual within the Company is accountable for the risk exposures relating to his or her responsibilities. The Company is exposed to credit risk, liquidity risk, insurance risk, reinsurance risk and market risk, the latter being subdivided into interest rate risk and foreign currency risk. They are monitored through the Company's strategic planning process.

The Company's financial liabilities include payable to insurance companies, amount due to related parties and other liabilities. The Company's financial assets include cash and cash equivalents, receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts, reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims and other receivables.

The management of the Company is ultimately responsible for the overall risk management approach and for approving the risk strategies and principles.

The management of the Company reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks which are summarised below.

(a) Insurance risk

The principal risk the Company faces under insurance contracts is that the actual claims and benefit payments or the timing thereof, differ from expectations. This is influenced by the frequency of claims, severity of claims, actual benefits paid and subsequent development of long-term claims. Therefore, the objective of the Company is to ensure that sufficient reserves are available to cover these liabilities.

13 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (continued)

(a) Insurance risk (continued)

The above risk exposure is mitigated by diversification across a large portfolio of insurance contracts and geographical areas. The variability of risks is also improved by careful selection and implementation of underwriting strategy guidelines, as well as the use of reinsurance arrangements.

The majority of insurance business ceded is placed on a quota share basis with retention limits varying by product line and territory. Amounts recoverable from reinsurers are estimated in a manner consistent with the outstanding claims provision and are in accordance with the reinsurance contracts. Although the Company has reinsurance arrangements, it is not relieved of its direct obligations to its policyholders and thus a credit exposure exists with respect to ceded insurance, to the extent that any reinsurer is unable to meet its obligations assumed under such reinsurance agreements. The Company's placement of reinsurance is diversified such that it is neither dependent on a single reinsurer nor are the operations of the Company substantially dependent upon any single reinsurance contract.

Insurance risk is divided into risk of life insurance contracts and risk of non-life insurance contracts as follows, the Company is not exposed to non-life insurance risk as of 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021:

(1) Life insurance contracts
Life insurance contracts offered by the Company include only term insurance. Term insurance are conventional regular premium products when lump sum benefits are payable on death or permanent disability.

The main risks that the Company is exposed to are as follows.
- Mortality risk **-** risk of loss arising due to policyholder death experience being different than expected.
- Morbidity risk **-** risk of loss arising due to policyholder health experience being different than expected.
- Expense risk **-** risk of loss arising from expense experience being different than expected.

These risks do not vary significantly in relation to the location of the risk insured by the Company.

The table below sets out the concentration of life insurance contracts by type of contract:

	2022			*2021*		
	Gross liabilities USD	***Reinsurer share of liabilities USD***	***Net liabilities USD***	*Gross liabilities USD*	*Reinsurer share of liabilities USD*	*Net liabilities USD*
Company credit life	**9,420,297**	**(8,840,572)**	**579,725**	9,407,114	(8,827,552)	579,562
	9,420,297	**(8,840,572)**	**579,725**	9,407,114	(8,827,552)	579,562

Key assumptions
Material judgement is required in determining the liabilities and in the choice of assumptions. Assumptions in use are based on past experience, current internal data, external market indices and benchmarks which reflect current observable market prices and other published information. Assumptions and prudent estimates are determined at the date of valuation. Assumptions are further evaluated on a continuous basis in order to ensure realistic and reasonable valuations.

Life insurance contract estimates are either based on current assumptions or calculated using the assumptions established at the time the contract was issued, in which case a margin for risk and adverse deviation is generally included. Assumptions are made in relation to future deaths, voluntary terminations, investment returns and administration expenses. If the liabilities are not adequate, the assumptions are altered to reflect the current estimates.

13 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (continued)

(b) Financial risks

Credit risk
Credit risk is the risk that counterparty will cause a financial loss to the Company by failing to discharge an obligation. Credit risk arises in the Company's normal course of business. The Company has policies and procedures in place to limit the amount of credit exposure to any counter party.

The Company minimises concentrations of credit risk associated with non-related parties by undertaking transactions with customers in various industries. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis with the result that the Company's exposure to bad debts is not significant. There are no significant concentrations of credit risk from non-related parties.

With respect to credit risk arising from other financial assets of the Company, which comprise cash and cash equivalents, and other financial assets, the Company's exposure to credit risk arises from default of the counterparty, with a maximum exposure equal to the carrying amount of these instruments. Bank balances and short-term deposits are placed with local financial institutions with appropriate credit rating.

The Company retains 5% of the Company credit life businesses accepted. In case of Company life and medical, the Company retains the risk only to the extent of USD 10,000 and USD 50,000 per claim respectively.

Hence, receivables arising from reinsurance contracts mainly represent the premiums – net of commission and claims – receivable from the cedants under the inward business accepted by the Company. In addition, the Company places its excess of loss covers protecting its retention with mainly 'A' rated reinsurers. Therefore, the Company's credit risk pertaining to reinsurance contracts accepted or placed is minimal.

Further, the Company evaluates the financial condition of its reinsurers and monitors concentrations of credit risk arising from similar geographic regions, activities, or economic characteristics of the reinsurers to minimise its exposure to significant losses from reinsurer insolvencies.

Gross maximum exposure to credit risk
Credit risk arising from the financial assets of the Company comprise receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts, reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims, other receivables and cash and cash equivalent. The Company's exposure to credit risk arises from default of the counterparty, with a maximum exposure equal to the carrying amount of these instruments.

The table below shows the gross maximum exposure to credit risk across financial assets.

	2022	*2021*
	USD	*USD*
Receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts	**36,597**	297,812
Reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims	**8,840,572**	8,827,552
Other receivables (excluding prepaid expenses)	**959,799**	953,000
Cash and cash equivalents	**2,082,276**	2,946,226
Gross maximum credit risk exposure	**11,882,647**	13,024,590

The Company does not have any collateral or other credit enhancements against any of the financial assets at 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021.

Risk concentration of maximum exposure to credit risk
Concentrations arise when a number of counterparties are engaged in similar business activities, or activities in the same geographic region, or have similar economic features that would cause their ability to meet contractual obligations to be similarly affected by changes in economic, political or other conditions. Concentrations indicate the relative sensitivity of the Company's performance to developments affecting a particular industry or geographic location.

The Company's gross maximum exposure to credit risk, before taking into account any collateral held or credit enhancements, can be analysed by the geographical regions as follows:

13 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (continued)

(b) Financial risks (continued)

Credit risk (continued)

2022	***Kuwait USD***	***MENA* USD***	***Others USD***	***Total USD***
Receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts	**-**	**-**	**36,597**	**36,597**
Reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims	**-**	**8,840,572**	**-**	**8,840,572**
Other receivables (excluding prepaid expenses)	**959,799**	**-**	**-**	**959,799**
Cash and cash equivalents	**-**	**107**	**2,082,169**	**2,082,276**
Maximum exposure to credit risk assets	**959,799**	**8,840,679**	**2,118,766**	**11,919,244**

2021	*Kuwait USD*	*MENA* USD*	*Others USD*	*Total USD*
Receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts	-	-	297,812	297,812
Reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims	-	8,827,552	-	8,827,552
Other receivables (excluding prepaid expenses)	952,991	-	9	953,000
Cash and cash equivalents	-	-	2,946,226	2,946,226
Maximum exposure to credit risk assets	952,991	8,827,552	3,244,047	13,024,590

*Middle East & North Africa region

The Company's gross maximum exposure to credit risk, before taking into account any collateral held or credit enhancements, can be analysed by the following industry sector:

	2022 USD	*2021 USD*
Insurance companies	**9,836,968**	10,078,364
Banks and financial institutions	**2,082,276**	2,946,226
	11,919,244	13,024,590

The Company's assets are not exposed to any major individual counter parties.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will be unable to meet its liabilities when they fall due. Liquidity risk can be caused by market disruptions or credit downgrades which may cause certain sources of funding to dry up immediately. The management monitors liquidity requirements on a daily basis and ensures that sufficient funds are available. The Company has sufficient liquidity and, therefore, do not resort to borrowings in the normal course of business.

The table below summarises the maturity of the financial liabilities of the Company based on remaining undiscounted contractual obligations for 31 December. As the Company does not have any interest-bearing liabilities, the figures below agree directly to the statement of financial position amounts.

2022	***On demand USD***	***3 to 12 months USD***	***Total USD***
Payable to insurance companies	**-**	**583,309**	**583,309**
Amounts due to related parties	**228,275**	**-**	**228,275**
Other liabilities	**-**	**125,873**	**125,873**
	228,275	**709,182**	**937,457**

13 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (continued)

(b) Financial risks (continued)

Liquidity risk (continued)

2021	*On demand USD*	*3 to 12 months USD*	*Total USD*
Payable to insurance companies	-	408,411	408,411
Amounts due to related parties	1,402,546	-	1,402,546
Other liabilities	-	119,842	119,842
	1,402,546	528,253	1,930,799

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Company's assets and liabilities. The maturities of assets and liabilities have been determined according to when they are expected to be recovered or settled.

The maturity profile of assets and liabilities is as follows:

2022	***On demand USD***	***Within 3 months USD***	***3 to 12 months USD***	***Over one year USD***	***Total USD***
Assets					
Receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts	**-**	**-**	**10,259**	**-**	**10,259**
Reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims	**-**	**2,706,318**	**6,134,254**	**-**	**8,840,572**
Other receivables	**-**	**-**	**224,628**	**735,171**	**959,799**
Cash and cash equivalents	**-**	**2,082,276**	**-**	**-**	**2,082,276**
Total assets	**-**	**4,788,594**	**6,369,141**	**735,171**	**11,892,906**
Liabilities					
Reserve for outstanding claims	**-**	**2,879,042**	**6,541,255**	**-**	**9,420,297**
Advance premiums received	**-**	**-**	**-**	**188,906**	**188,906**
Payable to insurance companies	**-**	**-**	**583,309**	**-**	**583,309**
Amounts due to related parties	**228,275**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**228,275**
Other liabilities	**-**	**-**	**125,873**	**-**	**125,873**
Total liabilities	**228,275**	**2,879,042**	**7,250,437**	**188,906**	**10,546,660**

2021	*On demand USD*	*Within 3 months USD*	*3 to 12 months USD*	*Over one year USD*	*Total USD*
Assets					
Receivables arising from insurance and reinsurance contracts	-	-	271,132	-	271,132
Reinsurance recoverable on outstanding claims	-	2,702,332	6,125,220	-	8,827,552
Advance reinsurance premiums paid	-	-	-	247,703	247,703
Other receivables	-	8	208,267	764,851	973,126
Cash and cash equivalents	-	2,946,226	-	-	2,946,226
Total assets	-	5,648,566	6,604,619	1,012,554	13,265,739
Liabilities					
Reserve for outstanding claims	-	2,879,750	6,527,364	-	9,407,114
Advance premiums received	-	-	-	618,495	618,495
Payable to insurance companies	-	-	408,411	-	408,411
Amounts due to related parties	1,402,546	-	-	-	1,402,546
Other liabilities	-	-	119,842	-	119,842
Total liabilities	1,402,546	2,879,750	7,055,617	618,495	11,956,408

13 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (continued)

(b) Financial risk (continued)

Liquidity risk (continued)

Foreign currency risk
Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates.

The Company is mainly exposed to foreign currency risk on its Kuwait Dinars denominated insurance assets and liabilities.

The table below indicates the Company's foreign currency exposure at 31 December, as a result of its monetary assets and liabilities. The analysis calculates the effect of a reasonably possible movement of the currency rate against the Kuwaiti Dinar, which is the functional currency of the Company, with all other variables held constant on the profit and the other comprehensive income.

	Effect on profit	
	2022	*2021*
Increase / (decrease) in USD rate to the KD	***Increase/(decrease) USD***	*Increase/(decrease) USD*
± 5%	**75,452**	81,845

The exposure to other foreign currencies is not significant to the Company's financial statements. Sensitivity to currency rate movements will be on a symmetric basis, as financial instruments giving rise to non-symmetric movements are not significant.

Market risk
Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate due to change in market prices. Market risks arise for open positions in interest rate, currency and equity product, all of which are exposed to general and specific market movements and changes in the level of volatility of market rates or prices such as interest rates, and foreign exchange rates.

Market risk is managed on the basis of pre-determined asset allocations across various asset categories, diversification of assets in terms of geographical distribution and industry concentration, a continuous appraisal of market conditions and trends and management's estimate of long- and short-term changes in fair value.

Interest rate risk
Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market interest rates. The Company's profit or loss is not sensitive to changes in interest rates since at the reporting date, the Company does not have any floating rate assets or liabilities.

Operation risk
Operational risk is the risk of loss arising from systems failure, human error, fraud or external events. When controls fail to perform, operational risks can cause damage to reputation, have legal or regulatory implications, or lead to financial loss. The Company cannot expect to eliminate all operational risks, but through a control framework and by monitoring and responding to potential risks, the Company is able to manage the risks. Controls include effective segregation of duties, access, authorisation and reconciliation procedures, staff education and assessment processes, including the use of internal audit of the Company.

14 CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The primary objective of the Company's capital management is to ensure that it maintains healthy capital ratios in order to support its business and maximise shareholder value.

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it, in light of changes in economic conditions. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders or issue new shares. No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes during the years ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021.

14 CAPITAL MANAGEMENT (continued)

Capital comprises of equity attributable to the equity holders of the Company and is measured at USD1,346,246 as at 31 December 2022 (2021: USD 1,309,331).

Distributions to shareholders are restricted to the extent that such a distribution would result in the Company not meeting the required Minimum General Business Solvency Margin or the required Minimum Liquidity Ratio.

15 TAXATION

Under the current Bermuda Law, the Company is not obliged to pay any taxes in Bermuda on either income or capital gains. The Company has received an undertaking from the Minister of Finance in Bermuda pursuant to the provisions of the Exempted Undertakings Tax Protection Act 1966 which exempts the Company from any such taxes, at least until the year 2035.

16 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

Fair values of all financial instruments are not materially different from their carrying values and approximate their carrying amounts.

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