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Report of Independent Auditors

The Board of Directors Axia Insurance, Ltd.

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying condensed financial statements of Axia Insurance, Ltd. (the "Company"), which comprise the condensed balance sheets and condensed statements of capital and surplus as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the related condensed statements of income for the years then ended, including the related notes (collectively referred to as the "condensed financial statements").

Unmodified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the accompanying condensed financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the results of its operations for the years then ended in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of the Insurance Act 1978, amendments thereto and the Insurance Account Rules 2016 with respect to condensed general purpose financial statements (the "Legislation").

Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the *Basis for adverse opinion* on *U.S. generally accepted accounting principles* section of our report, the accompanying condensed financial statements do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, or the results of its operations for the years then ended.

Basis of Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the condensed financial statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Company and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.



Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
As described in Note 3 to the condensed financial statements, the condensed financial statements are prepared by the Company on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of the Legislation, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, to meet the requirements of the Bermuda Monetary Authority.

The effects on the condensed financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 3 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material and pervasive.

Responsibilities of Management for the Condensed Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the condensed financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of the Legislation. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the condensed financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the condensed financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the condensed financial statements are available to be issued.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Condensed Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the condensed financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with US GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. 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. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgement made by a reasonable user based on the condensed financial statements.

Reference: Report of Independent Auditors on the condensed financial statements of Axia Insurance, Ltd. as at December 31, 2022 and 2021 and for the years then ended.

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In performing an audit in accordance with US GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the condensed financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the condensed financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal controls 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. Accordingly, no such
 opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the condensed financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgement, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

May 17, 2023

Chartered Professional Accountants

Ernst & Young Ltd.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 2022 United States Dollars expressed in LINE No. 2022 2021 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS 302,926 277,149 1. QUOTED INVESTMENTS: 2 Bonds and Debentures (a) Held to maturity Other Total Bonds and Debentures (b) (c) Equities Common stocks ii. Preferred stocks iii. Mutual funds Total equities (e) (f) Other quoted investments
Total quoted investments UNQUOTED INVESTMENTS: Bonds and Debentures (a) Held to maturity ii. Other Total Bonds and Debentures (b) (c) Equities Common stocks ii. Preferred stocks iii . Mutual funds (d) Total equities Other unquoted investments Total unquoted investments (e) (f) INVESTMENTS IN AND ADVANCES TO AFFILIATES 4. Unregulated entities that conduct ancillary services (a) Unregulated non-financial operating entities (c) (d) Unregulated financial operating entities Regulated non-insurance financial operating entities (e) (f) (g) (h) Regulated insurance financial operating entities Total investments in affiliates Advances to affiliates Total investments in and advances to affiliates INVESTMENTS IN MORTGAGE LOANS ON REAL ESTATE: 5. (a) Other than first liens (b) Total investments in mortgage loans on real estate (c) 6. POLICY LOANS REAL ESTATE: (a) Occupied by the company (less encumbrances) (b) Other properties (less encumbrances) (c) COLLATERAL LOANS 8 INVESTMENT INCOME DUE AND ACCRUED 9. ACCOUNTS AND PREMIUMS RECEIVABLE: 10. In course of collection (a) 221,566 (b) Deferred - not yet due Receivables from retrocessional contracts (c) (d) Total accounts and premiums receivable 221,452 221,566 11. REINSURANCE BALANCES RECEIVABLE: Foreign affiliates (a) (b) Domestic affiliates Pools & associations (c) (d) All other insurers (e) Total reinsurance balance receivable 12. FUNDS HELD BY CEDING REINSURERS 13. SUNDRY ASSETS: (a) Derivative instruments Segregated accounts companies - long-term business -(b) variable annuities Segregated accounts companies - long-term business -(c) 4,451,399 3,756,745 Segregated accounts companies - general business Deposit assets (d) (e) (f) Deferred acquisition costs Net receivables for investments sold Other Sundry Assets (Specify)

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 2022 United States Dollars expressed in LINE No. 2022 2021 Other Sundry Assets (Specify) Other Sundry Assets (Specify)
Total sundry assets (i) (k) 4,453,909 3,759,501 LETTERS OF CREDIT, GUARANTEES AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS 14. (a) (b) Guarantees (c) (e) Other instruments Total letters of credit, guarantees and other instruments 15. TOTAL 4,978,287 4,258,216 TOTAL INSURANCE RESERVES, OTHER LIABILITIES AND STATUTORY CAPITAL AND SURPLUS 16. UNEARNED PREMIUM RESERVE (a) (b) Gross unearned premium reserves Less: Ceded unearned premium reserve Foreign affiliates Domestic affiliates iii. Pools & associations iv. All other insurers Total ceded unearned premium reserve (d) Net unearned premium reserve LOSS AND LOSS EXPENSE PROVISIONS: 17. (a) (b) Gross loss and loss expense provisions Less : Reinsurance recoverable balance Foreign affiliates Domestic affiliates iii. Pools & associations iv. All other reinsurers Total reinsurance recoverable balance Net loss and loss expense provisions (c) (d) OTHER GENERAL BUSINESS INSURANCE RESERVES 18. 19. TOTAL GENERAL BUSINESS INSURANCE RESERVES LONG-TERM BUSINESS INSURANCE RESERVES RESERVE FOR REPORTED CLAIMS 20. 21. RESERVE FOR UNREPORTED CLAIMS POLICY RESERVES - LIFE 22. 23. POLICY RESERVES - ACCIDENT AND HEALTH 24. POLICYHOLDERS' FUNDS ON DEPOSIT LIABILITY FOR FUTURE POLICYHOLDERS' DIVIDENDS 25. 26. OTHER LONG-TERM BUSINESS INSURANCE RESERVES 27 TOTAL LONG-TERM BUSINESS INSURANCE RESERVES Total Gross Long-Term Business Insurance Reserves (a) (b) Less: Reinsurance recoverable balance on long-term business (i) Foreign Affiliates (ii) Domestic Affiliaties (iii) Pools and Associations (iv) All Other Insurers (c) (d) Total Reinsurance Recoverable Balance Total Net Long-Term Business Insurance Reserves OTHER LIABILITIES 28. INSURANCE AND REINSURANCE BALANCES PAYABLE 29. COMMISSIONS, EXPENSES, FEES AND TAXES PAYABLE 30. LOANS AND NOTES PAYABLE 31. (a) INCOME TAXES PAYABLE (b) DEFERRED INCOME TAXES 32. AMOUNTS DUE TO AFFILIATES 33. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES 29,168 31,001 34. FUNDS HELD UNDER REINSURANCE CONTRACTS:

Axia Insurance,	CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET		
As at	December 31, 2022		
expressed in	United States Dollars		
LINE No.		2022	2021
35.	DIVIDENDS PAYABLE		
36.	SUNDRY LIABILITIES:		
(a)	Derivative instruments		
(b)	Segregated accounts companies	4,442,490	3,750,626
(c)	Deposit liabilities		
(d)	Net payable for investments purchased		
(e)	Other sundry liabilities (specify)		
(f)	Other sundry liabilities (specify) Other sundry liabilities (specify)		
(g) (h)	Total sundry liabilities	4,442,490	3,750,626
(,	Total outful y habilities		0,700,020
37.	LETTERS OF CREDIT, GUARANTEES AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS:		
(a)	Letters of credit		
(b)	Guarantees		
(c)	Other instruments		
(d)	Total letters of credit, guarantees and other instruments		
38.	TOTAL OTHER LIABILITIES	4,473,491	3,779,794
39.	TOTAL INSURANCE RESERVES AND OTHER LIABILITIES	4,473,491	3,779,794
	CAPITAL AND SURPLUS		
40.	TOTAL CAPITAL AND SURPLUS	504,796	478,422
41.	TOTAL	4,978,287	4,258,216
		TRUE	TRUE

CONDENSED CO	DISOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME		
Axia Insurance, Ltd As at			
expressed in	United States Dollars		
LINE No.	GENERAL BUSINESS UNDERWRITING INCOME	2022	2021
1.	GROSS PREMIUMS WRITTEN (a) Direct gross premiums written (b) Assumed gross premiums written (c) Total gross premiums written		
2.	REINSURANCE PREMIUMS CEDED		
3.	NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN	-	-
4.	INCREASE (DECREASE) IN UNEARNED PREMIUMS		
5.	NET PREMIUMS EARNED	-	-
6.	OTHER INSURANCE INCOME		
7.	TOTAL GENERAL BUSINESS UNDERWRITING INCOME		
	GENERAL BUSINESS UNDERWRITING EXPENSES		
8.	INCURRED		
9.	COMMISSIONS AND BROKERAGE		
10.	TOTAL GENERAL BUSINESS UNDERWRITING EXPENSES		
11.	NET UNDERWRITING PROFIT (LOSS) - GENERAL BUSINESS	-	-
	LONG-TERM BUSINESS INCOME		
12.	GROSS PREMIUMS AND OTHER CONSIDERATIONS: (a) Direct gross premiums and other considerations (b) Assumed gross premiums and other considerations (c) Total gross premiums and other considerations	19,018,621	28,423,187
13.	PREMIUMS CEDED	19,018,621	28,423,187
14.	NET PREMIUMS AND OTHER CONSIDERATIONS: (a) Life (b) Annuities (c) Accident and health (d) Total net premiums and other considerations		
15.	OTHER INSURANCE INCOME	6,885	1,599
16.	TOTAL LONG-TERM BUSINESS INCOME	6,885	1,599
	LONG-TERM BUSINESS DEDUCTIONS AND EXPENSES		
17.	CLAIMS - LIFE		
18.	POLICYHOLDERS' DIVIDENDS		
19.	SURRENDERS		
20.	MATURITIES		
21.	ANNUITIES		
22.	ACCIDENT AND HEALTH BENEFITS		
23.	COMMISSIONS		
24.	OTHER		
25.	TOTAL LONG-TERM BUSINESS DEDUCTIONS AND EXPENSES		
26.	INCREASE (DECREASE) IN POLICY RESERVES (ACTUARIAL LIABILITIES): (a) Life (b) Annuities (c) Accident and health (d) Total increase (decrease) in policy reserves		
27.	TOTAL LONG-TERM BUSINESS EXPENSES	-	-
28.	NET UNDERWRITING PROFIT (LOSS) - LONG-TERM BUSINESS	6,885	1,599
29.	COMBINED NET UNDERWRITING RESULTS BEFORE THE UNDERNOTED ITEMS	6,885	1,599
	UNDERNOTED ITEMS		

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LINE No.		2022	2021
30.	COMBINED OPERATING EXPENSE (a) General and administration (b) Personnel cost	226,859	220,466
	(c) Other (d) Total combined operating expenses	226,859	220,466
31.	COMBINED INVESTMENT INCOME - NET		
32.	COMBINED OTHER INCOME (DEDUCTIONS)	221,452	221,56
33.	COMBINED INCOME BEFORE TAXES	1,478	2,699
34.	COMBINED INCOME TAXES (IF APPLICABLE): (a) Current (b) Deferred (c) Total		
35.	COMBINED INCOME BEFORE REALIZED GAINS (LOSSES)	1,478	2,699
36.	COMBINED REALIZED GAINS (LOSSES)		
37.	COMBINED INTEREST CHARGES		
38.	NET INCOME	1,478	2,699

expressed in	December 31, 2022 United States Dollars		
·	Office States Dollars	2022	2024
LINE No.		2022	2021
1.	CAPITAL:		
(a)	Capital Stock	270.000	270,000
	(i) Common Shares authorized 370,000 shares of par	370,000	370,000
	value \$ 1.000 each issued and		
	fully paid 370,000 shares		
	(ii) (A) Preferred shares:		
	authorized shares of par		
	value each issued and fully paid shares		
	aggregate liquidation value for —		
	2022		
	2021		
	(B) Preferred shares issued by a subsidiary:		
	authorized shares of par value each issued and		
	fully paid shares		
	aggregate liquidation value for —		
	2022		
	(iii) Treasury Shares repurchased shares of par		
	value each issued		
(b)	Contributed surplus	135,000	135.000
		100,000	100,000
(c)	Any other fixed capital (i) Hybrid capital instruments		
	(ii) Guarantees and others		
	(iii) Total any other fixed capital		
(d)	Total Capital	505,000	505,000
2.	SURPLUS:		
(a)	Surplus - Beginning of Year	(26,578)	(27,201)
(b)	Add: Income for the year	1,478	2,699
(c)	Less: Dividends paid and payable		
(d)	Add (Deduct) change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments		
(e)	Add (Deduct) change in any other surplus	24,896	(2,076)
(f)	Surplus - End of Year	(204)	(26,578)
3.	MINORITY INTEREST		
4.	TOTAL CAPITAL AND SURPLUS	504,796	478,422

AXIA INSURANCE, LTD.

NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2022

Matters to be set forth in a General Notes to the Financial Statements

- 1) The Company was incorporated under the laws of Bermuda on 6 January 2011. The Company operates as a Segregated Accounts company under The Segregated Accounts Companies Act 2000 ("the Act"). Appleby Services (Bermuda) Ltd. act as Trustee of Global Credit Reinsurance Purpose Trust (the "Trust"), a Bermuda trust. The Trust owns all of the Company's common shares. The Company's authorized share capital is 370,000 shares of par value \$1 each. The Company's issued share capital is \$370,000 of par value \$1 each. The issuance was fully paid in cash. The company has a Direction under Section 56 of the Insurance Act 1978 to operate with a minimum solvency margin of \$370,000 at all times (consisting of \$120,000 relating to General Business and \$250,000 relating to Long Term Business).
- 2) The Company targets opportunities which can be fully hedged through the use of insurance, reinsurance, derivatives and other capital market products. Risk exposures of counterparties will be transformed into structures which facilitate access to insurance and non-insurance based sources of capital. Counterparty risks may potentially run the full spectrum of risk related exposures covering all aspects of the insurance and reinsurance market including property, casualty, life and annuity. Such risks may include, but are not exclusively limited to, the following:
 - Ultimate Net Loss Risk Business
 - Quota Share Reinsurance Business
 - Mortality and Longevity Risk and Financing Business

3) Accounting Standards

These condensed general purpose financial statements are prepared in accordance with financial reporting provisions of the Insurance Act 1978, amendments thereto and the Insurance Accounts Rules 2016 with respect to condensed general purpose financial statements (the "Legislation"). The recognition and measurement principles applied are in line with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("US GAAP"). The presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the guidance prescribed under the legislation differs from US GAAP in certain respects as follows:

- The format of the financial statements is prescribed by schedules IX and X of the Insurance Accounts Rules 2016.
- Statement of Cash Flows or equivalent is not included; and
- Certain disclosures required by US GAAP are not included
- Comprehensive income and its components are not presented in the condensed statement of income.
- Insurance liabilities are to be reported net of reinsured amounts.

The effects of the foregoing variances from US GAAP on the accompanying condensed general purpose financial statements have not been determined, but are presumed to be material.

4) The following are the significant accounting policies adopted by the Company:

a) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with the Legislation requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies. Although these estimates are based on management's best knowledge of current events and conditions, actual results could differ from these estimates. The most significant estimates are those used in determining the fair value of accruals and prepayments.

b) Premiums

Premium income is recognised as revenue when earned and is expensed as incurred as per accrual basis of accounting modified from cash basis of accounting.

c) Investment income

Investment income is comprised of interest income earned on cash balances held in bank accounts.

d) Losses and Losses recoverable

Events that can trigger payment under a swap agreement are defined in the ISDA agreements. All agreements are fully hedged or collateralized. Payment due to an event gives rise to a loss recoverable under the (re)insurance contract. For the period ended 31 December 2022 the company did not incur or recover losses (2021: \$Nil). As per the practice permitted by the BMA, the Company does not reserve for losses on either a gross or net basis.

e) Cash and time deposits

Cash and time deposits include money market instruments with a maturity of ninety days or less when purchased.

5) For premium income fixed payments received on protection sold (and insurance premium paid) are recognized when received (paid) unless they are all received (paid) in one lump sum for the duration of the agreement. In which case, the fixed payments (premiums) are earned (expensed) pro-rata over the terms of the respective contracts.

The Company operates on a fee for service basis. The Company negotiates fees for participating in a risk transformation. This fee is built into a separate agreement as a one-time upfront payment. Such fees are earned when due.

Investment income consists of interest on cash of the general account and cash of the Segregated Accounts held to fully-collateralize all exposure. Investment income is recorded on the accrual basis.

6) Certain risk transformations entered into by Segregated Accounts of the Company are denominated in foreign currencies. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate in effect as at the transaction date relating to Income Statement movements with Balance Sheet closing amounts translated at the month end closing rates.

- 7-14) NA
- 15) Related Party Transactions

The annual cost of \$221,452 (2021: \$221,566) for operating the business is reimbursed by Deutsche Bank AG London. The balance receivable at year end is \$221,452 (2021: \$221,566).

- 16) NA
- 17) Reserves

As per the practice permitted by the BMA The Company does not reserve for losses on either a gross or net basis.

Matters to be set forth in Notes to the Consolidated Statement of Capital and Surplus

1 (a) As at December 31, 2022 the share capital of the Company is as follows:

Authorized, issued and fully paid 370,000 common shares of \$1 par value each.

- 1(b) NA
- 2(c) NA

Matters to be set forth in Notes to the Consolidated Balance Sheet

1) Cash and cash equivalents

All cash and cash equivalents are held as unencumbered cash:

Total	1,410,924
Cash - General Account	302,926
Cash - Segregated Cells	1,107,998
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The Cash – Segregated Cells of \$1,107,998 (General business - \$2,510; Long term business – \$1,105,488) is included in Note 13 Sundry Assets below.

- 2-9) NA
- 10) Accounts and premiums receivable

The Company had accounts receivable of \$221,452 (2021 \$221,556) as at December 31, 2022. These receivable balances relate to the reimbursement of expenses incurred for the operations of the business made by Deutsche Bank AG London.

11-12) NA

13) Sundry Assets

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Premium Receivable	3,345,911
Cash - Segregated Cells	1,107,998
Total	4,453,909

The Cash – Segregated Cells – Long term business of \$1,107,998 in Sundry Assets, is included in Note 1 Cash and Cash equivalents above.

14-16) NA

17) Loss and loss expense provisions

As per the practice permitted by the BMA, the Company does not reserve for losses on either a gross or net basis.

20-32) NA

33) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities amounted to \$31,001 and \$29,168 at December 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021 respectively relating to balances owed on general and administration expenses.

34-35) NA

36) Sundry liabilities

The Company had \$4,442,490 and \$3,750,626 of reinsurance payable to Reinsurers held in segregated accounts as of December 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, respectively.

37) NA

Matters to be set forth in Notes to the Consolidated Statement of Income

- 6) NA
- 15) NA
- 32) Combined other income

The other income of \$221,452 is the reimbursement of expenses incurred for the operations of the business made by Deutsche Bank AG London.

36	5)	NA			
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