DB DELAWARE HOLDINGS (EUROPE) LIMITED

Company number. FC012321

REPORTS AND NON-STATUTORY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 31 December 2011

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## REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS For the year ended 31 December 2011

The Directors present their annual report and audited non-statutory financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011

#### **ACTIVITIES AND REVIEW OF BUSINESS**

The principal activity of the Company is a holding company

As the Company qualifies as a small company an enhanced business review is not required

The Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual report and accounts

The position at the end of the year is reflected in the audited balance sheet set out on page 5

#### **POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS**

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   December 2012 to DB Delaware Holdings (Europe) Limited
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   DB UK Holdings Limited is a direct wholly owned subsidiary of Deutsche Holdings No. 3 Limited
- A dividend of \$1,715,000,000 was paid to D8 Delaware Holdings (Europe) Limited by its wholly owned subsidiary D8 Delaware Holdings (UK) Limited on 27 December 2012

### **RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS**

The results of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2011, after providing for taxation, show a loss of \$2,093,191 (2010 loss of \$1,961,696)

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend for the year (2010 \$nil)

## **FUTURE OUTLOOK**

The Directors will consider options to streamline the ownership of the Company and its holdings during 2013

## PRINCIPAL RISK AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary with the Deutsche Bank Group and therefore the risks it is subject to are managed within the risk and control functions of this Group

The Directors acknowledge their responsibility for the overall management of the risks faced by the Company and note that the key business risks and uncertainties affecting the Company are considered to relate to the external interest rate and credit environment, particularly in relation to the Euro zone and the banking sector

### DIRECTORS

The Directors of the Company who held office during the year and subsequent to the year ended 31 December 2011 were as follows

B Craig

R Srvanithy D K Thomas Resigned 31 July 2011

A P Rutherford was the Secretary of the Company throughout the year. There have been no further changes during the year or subsequent to the year-end

### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (continued) For the year ended 31 December 2011

### STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RESPECT OF THE NON-STATUTORY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Directors have accepted responsibility for prepaning the Directors' Report and the non-statutory financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 which are intended by them to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for that year. The Directors have decided to prepare the non-statutory financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In preparing these non-statutory financial statements the Directors have

- selected suitable accounting policies and then applied them consistently,
- made judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- stated whether applicable UK accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the non-statutory financial statements, and
- prepared the non-statutory financial statements on the going concern basis as they believe that the company will continue in business

The Directors have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the Company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregulanties

### DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

The Directors who held office at the date of approval of this Directors' Report confirm that, so far as they are each aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware, and each Director has taken all steps that they ought to have taken as a director to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditors are aware of that information

By order of the Board of Directors this

25th day of January 2013

A P Rutherford Secretary

## Registered office

1209 Orange Street Wilmington, Delaware **United States** 19801

Company number FC012321

## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF DB DELAWARE HOLDINGS (EUROPE) LIMITED

We have audited the non-statutory financial statements of DB Delaware Holdings (Europe) Limited for the year ended 31 December 2011 set out on pages 4 to 11. These non-statutory financial statements have been prepared for the reasons set out in note 1 to the non-statutory financial statements and on the basis of the financial reporting framework of UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

Our report has been prepared for the Company solely in connection with our engagement letter dated 1 June 2010. It has been released to the Company on the basis that our report shall not be copied, referred to or disclosed, in whole (save for the Company's own internal purposes) or in part, without our prior written consent.

Our report was designed to meet the agreed requirements of the Company determined by the Company's needs at the time. Our report should not therefore be regarded as suitable to be used or relied on by any party wishing to acquire rights against us other than the Company for any purpose or in any context. Any party other than the Company who obtains access to our report or a copy and chooses to rely on our report (or any part of it) will do so at its own risk. To the fullest extent permitted by law, KPMG Audit Plc will accept no responsibility or liability in respect of our report to any other party.

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and KPMG Audit Plc

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 2, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the non-statutory financial statements which are intended by them to give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit, and to express an opinion on, the non-statutory financial statements in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 1 June 2010 and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

### Scope of the audit of the non-statutory financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the non-statutory accounts sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the non-statutory accounts are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the entity's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors, and the overall presentation of the non-statutory accounts

### Opinion on non-statutory financial statements

In our opinion the non-statutory financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 December 2011 and of its loss for the year then ended,
- · have been properly prepared in accordance with UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, as if those requirements were to apply

KPMG Audit Plc Chartered Accountants 15 Canada Square

London E14 5GL
Dated 25 January 2013

KPMG Audit Pla

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT For the year ended 31 December 2011

Note	2011 \$	<u>2010</u> \$
	1.064.548	1,244,729
		(3,205,697)
	127	20
	(500)	(748)
	(2,093,191)	(1,961,696)
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	(2,093,191)	(1,961,696)
		1,064,548 (3,157,366) 127 (500) (2,093,191)

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There were no other recognised gains and losses during the year

The notes on pages 7 to 11 form part of these accounts

## **BALANCE SHEET** As at 31 December 2011

	Note	<u>2011</u> \$	<u>2010</u> \$
FIXED ASSETS		<b>x</b>	¥
Investments	5	931,540,182	931,540,182
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	7	6,261	9,429,740
Cash at bank	9	367	•
		6,628	9,429,740
CREDITORS amounts falling due within one year	10	(803,928,739)	(811,258,660)
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(803,922,111)	(801,828,920)
NET ASSETS		127,618,071	129,711,262
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	11	31,549	31,549
Share premium		1,102,354,000	1,102,354,000
Other reserves		1,222,962,000	1,222,962,000
Profit and loss account		(2,197,729,478)	(2,195,636,287)
SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS		127,618,071	129,711,262

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These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on

25th January

Signed by D.K. THOMAS for and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Company number FC012321

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# RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS For the year ended 31 December 2011

	Ordinary Share Capital \$	Share Premium	Other reserves	Profit & Loss Account \$	<u>Total</u> §
Balance at 1 January 2011	31,549	1,102,354,000	1,222,962,000	(2,195,636,287)	129,711,262
Loss for the year		-	-	(2,093,191)	(2,093,191)
Balance at 31 December 2011	31,549	1,102,354,000	1,222,962,000	(2,197,729,478)	127,618,071

## RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS For the year ended 31 December 2009

	Ordinary Share Capital	Share Premium	Other reserves	Profit & Loss Account	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	<u>\$</u>
Balance at 1 January 2010	31,549	1,102,354,000	1,222,962,000	(2,193,674,591)	131,672,958
Loss for the year		-	-	(1,961,696)	(1,961,696)
Balance at 31 December 2010	31,549	1,102,354,000	1,222,962,000	(2,195,636,287)	129,711,262

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### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the non-statutory financial statements, except as noted below

#### Basis of preparation

These non-statutory financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, as if these requirements were to apply, UK applicable accounting standards and applicable Statements of Recommended Practice. The directors have decided to prepare these non-statutory financial statements to support the tax return made to the UK authorities. The particular accounting policies are described below.

## (a) CONVENTION

These non-statutory financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable UK accounting standards and under the historical cost convention

#### (b) INTEREST INCOME AND EXPENSE

Interest income and expense is accounted for on an accrual basis

## (c) FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

Fixed asset investments are held at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value. Any such provision is charged to the profit and loss account in the period in which it arises

#### (d) TAXATION

The charge for taxation is based on profit for the year and takes into account taxation deferred because of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes

### (e) CASH FLOW STATEMENT

The Company is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement under Financial Reporting Standard 1 (Revised 1996) as it is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of a company which prepares consolidated financial statements which are publicly available

### (f) GROUP ACCOUNTS EXEMPTION

As the Company is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of Deutsche Bank AG, which is incorporated in the EU and which publishes consolidated financial statements, and as its immediate parent undertaking is also incorporated in the EU, it is exempt under section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 from the requirement to prepare group financial statements. Accordingly, these non-statutory financial statements present information about the Company as an individual undertaking and not about its group.

## (g) FOREIGN CURRENCY

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into US Dollars at the dates of transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the balance sheet date are translated at the rates ruling at that date. These translation differences are dealt with in the profit and loss account.

## (h) GOING CONCERN

The Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual report and accounts.

## 2 DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

The aggregate emoluments of persons who were Directors of the Company during the year ended 31 December 2011, including pension contributions, were \$nil (2010 \$nil)

3	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES			
	The Company has no full time employees. The Bank Group. The total staff costs have been bo therefore been included in these financial statem.	rne by a Deutsche Bank Group o		
			<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
			<u>\$</u>	3
	Audit of these financial statements	_	8,401	8 401
	Auditor's remuneration for services to the Compa	any has been borne by the ultima	ite parent undertaking Deut	sche Bank AG
4	TAXATION		<u>2011</u>	2010
	(a) Analysis of tax on loss on ordinary activities		<u>\$</u>	3
	(a) Analysis of tax on loss on Ordinary activities			
	Current tax US Corporation tax credit for the year		-	
	(b) Current tax reconciliation			
	(b) Carrell ax reconstitution		2011 \$	<u>2010</u>
	Loss on ordinary activities before taxation	_	•	
	,	— and rate	<b>\$</b>	S
	Loss on ordinary activities before taxation  Tax credit on loss on ordinary activities at standa  Effect of		\$ (2,093,191) 732,617	(1,961,696
	Loss on ordinary activities before taxation  Tax credit on loss on ordinary activities at standard	 ard rate	<b>\$</b> (2,093,191)	(1,961,696
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5	Loss on ordinary activities before taxation  Tax credit on loss on ordinary activities at standa  Effect of Non taxable expense  Total current tax  INVESTMENTS	Shares in Group undertakings and	\$ (2,093,191)  732,617  (732,617)  Loans to group	(1,961,696 686,594 (686,594
5	Loss on ordinary activities before taxation  Tax credit on loss on ordinary activities at standa  Effect of  Non taxable expense  Total current tax	Shares in Group undertakings and participating interests	\$ (2,093,191)  732,617  (732,617)  Loans to group undertakings	(1,961,696) 686,594 (686,594
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5 INVESTMENTS (continued)	Shares in Group undertakings	Loans to group undertakings	<u>Total</u>
	and participating	<u>\$</u>	<u>s</u>
Cost	\$	<b>₹</b>	型
At 1 January 2010	831,540,182	100,000,000	931,540,182
At 31 December 2010	831,540,182	100,000,000	931,540,182
Comprising			
Subsidiary undertakings	831,540,182	100,000,000	931,540,182
	831,540,182	100,000,000	931,540,182

## 6 SUBSIDIARY UNDERTAKINGS AND SIGNIFICANT HOLDINGS

## Incorporated subsidiary undertakings

Name of Company	<u>%</u>	Country of Incorporation/Op eration	Nature of Business
Americas Trust Servicios de Consultona SA	100% *	Spain	Financial Services
Atlantic No 1 Limited (in liquidation)	100% *	United Kingdom	Investment
B T I Investments	100% *	United Kingdom	Investment
Bankers Trust Investments Limited	100% *	United Kingdom	Holding Co
Britannia Limited	100% *	United Kingdom	Holding Co
BT Finance (Leasing) No 2 (in liquidation)	100% *	United Kingdom	Leasing
BT McKinley Limited	100% *	Cayman Islands	Investment
BT Pension Fund Trustees Limited	100%	United Kingdom	Consultation and Administration
DB Delaware Holdings (UK) Limited	100%	United Kingdom	Holding Co
Metis Properties Limited	100% *	United Kingdom	Property
Novoquote Limited	100% *	United Kingdom	Property
Pyramid Investments Limited (in liquidation)	100% *	United Kingdom	Holding Co
Pyramid Office Properties Limited (in liquidation)	100% *	United Kingdom	Property
Sagamore Limited	100% *	United Kingdom	Investment
Sapphire Aircraft Leasing and Trading Limited (in liquidation)	100% *	United Kingdom	Leasing
Shopready Limited	100% *	United Kingdom	Investment
Spring Leasing Limited (in liquidation)	100% *	United Kingdom	Leasing
Tapeorder Limited	100% *	United Kingdom	Investment
* indirect holding			

7	DEBTORS			<u>2011</u> §	<u>201</u>
	Amounts owed by group undertakings			6,261	5,74
	Payment receivable in respect of U.S. tax		_	6 261	9,424,00 9,429,74
8	DEFERRED TAX	· <u>-</u>			
	The company has not recognised \$2,681,000 deferred tax as Balance Sheet date the Directors were of the opinion that on not have been regarded as recoverable. Subsequently, in Judeemed dividend payment from DB Delaware Holdings (UK)	the basis of all ava ine 2012, the defen	ilable evidence	the deferred tax a	asset would
9	CASH AT BANK			2011 \$	<u>201</u>
	Cash at bank held with Deutsche Bank AG		_	367	
10	CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year			2011 \$	<u>201</u>
	Amounts owed to group undertakings		_	803 928,739	811 258,66
11	CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL	<del> </del>	_		
		<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	201
		<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>N</u>
	Authorised	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.0
	Common Stock of \$1 each	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,0
	Class A Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each Class B Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,0
	Class C Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each	1,000 1,000	1,000 1,000	1,000 1,000	1,0 1,0
	Class D Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,0
	Class E Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,0
	Class F Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each	30,000	30,000	30,000	30,0
	Class G Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,0
	Class H Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each	1,000	1 000	1,000	1,0
	Preferred Stock	7,600	7,600	7,600	7,6
		46,600	46,600	46,600	46,6
		<u>2011</u> \$	<u>2010</u> \$	<u>2011</u> <u>No</u> ,	<u>20</u> N
	Alloted, called up and fully paid		4 0 4 0	1,049	1,0
	Common Stock of \$1 each	1,049	1,049	-	1,0
	Common Stock of \$1 each Class A Redeemable Common Stock of \$1 each	100	100	100	1
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### 11 CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL (continued)

Dividends are payable on the Common Stock and each class of the Redeemable Common Stock only as recommended by the Directors. The Company may declare dividends on one class of stock without declaring dividends on others.

Each class of the Redeemable Common Stock carnes no entitlement to vote and is redeemable in whole or in part at the option of the Company only

In all other respects, the Common Stock and each class of the Redeemable Common Stock have the same rights and rank equally

#### 12 ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY AND OTHER PARENT UNDERTAKINGS

Bankers International Corporation is incorporated in the United States of America and is the Company's immediate parent

Deutsche Bank AG, a joint stock corporation with limited liability incorporated in the Federal Republic of Germany, is the Company's ultimate controlling entity, also being the ultimate parent company and the parent undertaking of the largest and smallest group for which group financial statements are drawn up

Copies of the group financial statements prepared in respect of Deutsche Bank AG may be obtained from the Company Secretary, Deutsche Bank AG, London branch, Winchester House, 1 Great Winchester Street, London EC2N 2DB

#### 13 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

As permitted by paragraph 3(c) of FRS 8, no disclosure is made of transactions or balances with members or associates of the Deutsche Bank AG group

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