

Financial Statements

AMERICAN EXPRESS BANKING CORP.

(INDIA BRANCH)

Year ended March 31, 2019



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Independent Auditor's Report

To
The Chief Executive Officer
American Express Banking Corp.- India Branch

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

1. We have audited the accompanying financial statements of American Express Banking Corp.- India Branch ('the Bank'), which comprise the Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2019 and the Profit and Loss Account and the Cash Flow statement for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid financial statements together with notes thereon give full information required by the Banking Regulation Act, 1949 as well as the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), in the manner so required for banking companies and give true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
 - a. in the case of the Balance Sheet, of the state of affairs of the Bank as at March 31, 2019;
 - b. in the case of the Profit and Loss Account, of the profit of the Bank for the year ended on that date;
 - c. in the case of the Cash Flow Statement, of the cash flows of the Bank for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

2. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ('SAs') specified under section 143(10) of the Act. 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 Bank in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ('ICAI') together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder; and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon

3. The Bank's management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Bank's annual report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The other information is expected to be made available to us after the date of this auditor's report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information when it becomes available and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the course of our audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

When we read the other Information and if we conclude that there is a material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to those charges with governance as required under SA 720 'The Auditor's responsibilities Relating to other Information'.

Responsibility of Management for Financial Statements

4. The Bank's management is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance and cash flows of the Bank in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the Accounting Standards specified under prescribed Section 133 of the Act, provision of Section 29 of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949 and the circulars and guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India ('RBI') from time to time. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Bank and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Bank'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 Bank or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Bank's management is also responsible for overseeing the Bank's financial reporting process.



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Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

5. 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 SAs 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. Our audit process in accordance with the SAs is narrated in details in Annexure 1 to this report.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

6. The Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account and the Cash Flow Statement have been drawn up in accordance with the provisions of Section 29 of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949 read with Section 133 of the Act read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.
7. As required by Section 30(3) of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949, we report that:
- We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit and have found them to be satisfactory;
 - the transactions of the Bank, which have come to our notice have been within the powers of the Bank; and
 - Since the bank is having only one branch, the question on reporting the number of branches audited by us and the manner of audit thereon does not arise.
8. As required by Section 143 (3) of the Act, we report that:
- we have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit;
 - in our opinion proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Bank so far as it appears from our examination of those books; except that the backup of the books of accounts and other books and papers maintained in electronic mode has not been maintained on servers physically located in India, Refer note I of Schedule 18 of the financial statements wherein it has been stated that the backup of the books of accounts and other paper maintained in electronic mode has been maintained on servers physically located outside India;
 - the Balance Sheet, the Profit and Loss Account and the Cash Flow Statement dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account;
 - in our opinion, the aforesaid financial statements comply with the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 in so far as they apply to the Bank;
 - reporting requirement pursuant to provision of Section 164 (2) of the Act is not applicable considering the Bank is a branch of American Express Banking Corp which is incorporated in United States of America with limited liability;
 - With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls with reference to financial statements of the Bank and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in Annexure 2 to this report;
 - Reporting requirement pursuant to section 197 of the Act related to managerial remuneration is not applicable considering the Bank is a branch of American Express Banking Corp which is incorporated in United States of America with limited liability;
 - With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, we report as under:
 - the Bank has disclosed the impact, if any, of pending litigations on its financial positions in its financial statements as at March 31, 2019; Refer Schedule 12 and Note IV. 11 of Schedule 18 to the financial statements;
 - the Bank has made adequate provision, as required under the applicable law or accounting standards, for material foreseeable losses, if any, on long-term contracts including derivative contracts- Refer note IV. 1 (g) of schedule 18 to the financial statements;
 - the Bank is currently not liable to transfer any amount to the Investor Education and Protection Fund;
 - the disclosure requirements on holdings as well as dealing in specified bank notes during the period from November 08, 2016 to December 30, 2016 as envisaged in Notification G.S.R 308(E) dated March 30, 2017 is not applicable to the Bank.

For **Khimji Kunverji & Co LLP**
(formerly Khimji Kunverji & Co- FRN 105146W)
Chartered Accountants

Mumbai
June 25, 2019

Gautam V Shah
Partner (F-117348)



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Annexure 1 to the Independent Auditors' Report

(referred to in para 5 titled "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements")

As part of our audit in accordance with SAs 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, to 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. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Bank has adequate internal financial controls system in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- 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 Bank'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 Bank 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.
- 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. We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

Annexure 2 to the Independent Auditors' Report

[referred to in paragraph 8(f) under 'Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements' in the Independent Auditor's Report]

Report on the Internal Financial Controls under Clause (i) of Sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Act

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of **American Express Banking Corp- India Branch** ("the Bank") as at March 31, 2019 in conjunction with our audit of the financial statements of the Bank for the year ended on that date.

Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

The Bank's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Bank considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI"). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to the Bank's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Act.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Bank's internal financial controls with reference to financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting (the "Guidance Note") and the Standards on Auditing, issued by ICAI and deemed to be prescribed under section 143(10) of the Act, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both issued by the ICAI. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining



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an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the Bank's internal financial controls system over financial reporting.

Meaning of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting

A Bank's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A Bank's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that:

- (a) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the Bank;
- (b) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the Bank are being made only in accordance with authorisations of management and directors of the Bank; and
- (c) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorised acquisition, use, or disposition of the Bank's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control over financial reporting may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

Opinion

In our opinion, the Bank has, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system with reference to financial statements and such internal financial controls with reference to financial statements were operating effectively as at March 31, 2019, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Bank considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the ICAI except that the backup of the books of accounts and other books and papers maintained in electronic mode has not been maintained on servers physically located in India, Refer note I of Schedule 18 of the financial statements wherein it has been stated that the backup of the books of accounts and other paper maintained in electronic mode has been maintained on servers physically located outside India.

For **Khimji Kunverji & Co LLP**
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Chartered Accountants

Mumbai
June 25, 2019

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT MARCH 31, 2019				PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019			
(Amount in INR '000)				(Amount in INR. '000)			
Schedule	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018	Schedule	Year ended March 31, 2019	Year ended March 31, 2018		
CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES			INCOME				
Capital	1	17,603,299	14,238,924	Interest Earned	13	5,187,308	3,633,676
Reserves and Surplus	2	473,155	402,410	Other Income	14	14,216,713	12,374,506
Deposits	3	21,355,294	16,105,638	Total		19,404,021	16,008,182
Borrowings	4	12,534,290	17,039,801	EXPENDITURE			
Other Liabilities and Provisions	5	33,530,707	29,465,835	Interest Expended	15	1,461,081	1,258,108
Total		85,496,745	77,252,608	Operating Expenses	16	15,125,894	12,256,795
ASSETS				Provisions and Contingencies	17	2,534,761	1,681,175
Cash and Balances with Reserve Bank of India	6	1,895,697	1,425,697	Total		19,121,736	15,196,078
Balances with Banks and Money at Call and Short Notice	7	1,485,030	1,463,608	PROFIT / (LOSS)			
Investments	8	23,411,094	18,638,151	Net Profit / (Loss) for the Year		282,285	812,104
Advances	9	53,398,404	50,981,045	Profit / (Loss) brought forward		(2,964,037)	(3,573,115)
Fixed Assets	10	316,448	280,102			(2,681,752)	(2,761,011)
Other Assets	11	4,990,072	4,464,005	APPROPRIATIONS			
Total		85,496,745	77,252,608	Transfer to Statutory Reserve		70,571	203,026
Contingent Liabilities	12	1,219,506	828,661	Transfer to Other Reserves		174	–
Bills for Collection		–	–	Transfer to Government / proposed dividend		–	–
Significant Accounting Policies and Notes to Financial Statements	18			Balance carried over to Balance Sheet		(2,752,497)	(2,964,037)
						(2,681,752)	(2,761,011)
				Significant Accounting Policies and Notes to Financial Statements	18		

The schedules referred above form an integral part of the Balance Sheet.

This is the Balance Sheet referred to in our Report of even date.

For **Khimji Kunverji & Co. LLP**
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Chartered Accountants

Gautam V. Shah
Partner
Membership No. F-117348

Place: Mumbai
Date: June 25, 2019

The schedules referred above form an integral part of the Profit and Loss Account.

This is the Profit and Loss Account referred to in our Report of even date.

For and on behalf of
American Express Banking Corp.- India Branch

Manoj Adlakha
Chief Executive Officer

Vivek Sehgal
Financial Controller

Place: Gurugram
Date: June 20, 2019



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CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

(Amount in INR. '000)

	Year ended March 31, 2019	Year ended March 31, 2018
Cash Flow from Operating activities		
Net profit/(loss) before taxes	282,285	812,104
Adjustments for :		
Provision for standard advances	42,411	162,598
Provision for non-performing advances	450,790	187,030
Depreciation on assets	111,661	118,495
Net (profit)/loss on sale of land, building and other assets	(1,125)	(1,215)
Operating profit before working capital changes	886,022	1,279,012
(Increase)/decrease in investments	(4,772,943)	(2,360,311)
(Increase)/decrease in advances	(2,868,149)	(15,528,507)
Increase/(decrease) in deposits	5,249,656	1,813,716
(Increase)/decrease in other assets	(682,313)	1,674,852
Increase/(decrease) in other liabilities and provisions	4,022,461	3,650,288
(Taxes paid)/(Taxes deducted at source)/Refund received [net]	(55,294)	(68,566)
A Net Cash Flow (used in)/from operating activities	<u>1,779,440</u>	<u>(9,539,516)</u>
Cash Flow from Investing activities		
Fixed assets purchased	(154,853)	(78,593)
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	7,971	4,491
B Net Cash Flow (used in)/from Investing activities	<u>(146,882)</u>	<u>(74,102)</u>
Cash Flow from Financing activities		
Infusion of capital	3,364,375	2,764,040
Proceeds/(Repayment) from/of Borrowings	(9,455,511)	7,396,030
Proceeds from Subordinate Debt	4,950,000	-
C Net Cash Flow from/(used in)Financing activities	<u>(1,141,136)</u>	<u>10,160,070</u>
Net Increase/(Decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)	<u>491,422</u>	<u>546,452</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	2,889,305	2,342,853
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	3,380,727	2,889,305
Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	<u>491,422</u>	<u>546,452</u>

Notes to the Cash Flow Statement

1. Cash and cash equivalents represents cash and balances with banks, balance with RBI as disclosed in Schedule 6 and 7
2. The above Cash Flow Statement has been prepared under the "Indirect method" as set out in the Accounting Standard (AS-3) on Cash Flow Statements issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

This is the Cash Flow Statement referred to in our Report of even date.

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

(Amount in INR. '000)			(Amount in INR. '000)		
	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018		As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
SCHEDULE 1 – CAPITAL			SCHEDULE 4 – BORROWINGS		
Amount of deposit kept with RBI under section 11 (2) of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949 as per contra.	404,410	201,384	I. BORROWINGS IN INDIA		
	<u>404,410</u>	<u>201,384</u>	Reserve Bank of India	–	–
HEAD OFFICE ACCOUNT			Other banks	3,034,290	12,489,801
Opening balance	14,238,924	11,474,884			–
Additions during the year	3,364,375	2,764,040	II. BORROWINGS OUTSIDE INDIA	9,500,000	4,550,000
Closing balance	<u>17,603,299</u>	<u>14,238,924</u>	Tier 2 Debt Capital raised in the form of Head Office Borrowings in Foreign Currency		
			[Refer Note IV. 1. b of Schedule 18]		
SCHEDULE 2 – RESERVES AND SURPLUS				<u>12,534,290</u>	<u>17,039,801</u>
I. STATUTORY RESERVES			Secured borrowings included in I and II above	Nil	Nil
Opening balance	402,410	199,384	SCHEDULE 5 – OTHER LIABILITIES AND PROVISIONS		
Additions during the year	70,571	203,026	I. Bills payable	–	–
Closing balance	<u>472,981</u>	<u>402,410</u>	II. Inter-office adjustments (net)	–	–
II. CAPITAL RESERVES			III. Interest accrued	272,152	189,486
Opening balance	–	–	IV. Others (including provisions)*	33,258,555	29,276,349
Additions during the year	–	–		<u>33,530,707</u>	<u>29,465,835</u>
Closing balance	–	–			
III. SHARE PREMIUM			* Refer Note IV. 6 of Schedule 18		
Opening balance	–	–	SCHEDULE 6 – CASH AND BALANCES WITH RESERVE BANK OF INDIA		
Additions during the year	–	–	I. Cash in hand (including foreign currency notes)	–	–
Closing balance	–	–	II. Balances with Reserve Bank of India		
IV. REVENUE AND OTHER RESERVES			i) In Current Account	1,895,697	1,425,697
Opening balance	–	–	ii) In Other Accounts	–	–
Additions during the year	174	–		<u>1,895,697</u>	<u>1,425,697</u>
Closing balance	<u>174</u>	–	SCHEDULE 7 – BALANCES WITH BANKS AND MONEY AT CALL AND SHORT NOTICE		
V. Balance of Profit and Loss Account	–	–	I. In India		
	<u>473,155</u>	<u>402,410</u>	Balances with banks		
SCHEDULE 3 – DEPOSITS			i) In Current Accounts	1,485,030	1,463,608
A. In India			ii) In Other Deposit Accounts	–	–
I. DEMAND DEPOSITS			Money at call and short notice		
From banks	–	–	i) With banks	–	–
From others	–	–	ii) With other institutions	–	–
II. SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS	–	–		<u>1,485,030</u>	<u>1,463,608</u>
III. TERM DEPOSITS			II. Outside India		
From banks	–	–	i) In Current Accounts	–	–
From others (Institutional)	21,355,294	16,105,638	ii) In Other Deposit Accounts	–	–
	<u>21,355,294</u>	<u>16,105,638</u>	iii) Money at call and short notice	–	–
B. (i) Deposits of branches in India	21,355,294	16,105,638		<u>1,485,030</u>	<u>1,463,608</u>
(ii) Deposits of branches outside India	–	–			
	<u>21,355,294</u>	<u>16,105,638</u>			



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(Amount in INR. '000)			(Amount in INR. '000)		
	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018		As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
SCHEDULE 8 – INVESTMENTS			SCHEDULE 10 – FIXED ASSETS		
I. Investment in India in			I. PREMISES		
i) Government Securities (Treasury Bills)	23,411,094	18,638,151	At cost as on 31 March of the preceding year	–	–
ii) Other approved securities	–	–	Additions during the year	–	–
iii) Shares	–	–	Deductions during the year	–	–
iv) Debentures and Bonds	–	–		–	–
v) Subsidiaries and/or joint ventures	–	–	Depreciation to date	–	–
vi) Others	–	–	Total Net Book Value I	–	–
	<u>23,411,094</u>	<u>18,638,151</u>			
II. Investment outside India in			II. OTHER FIXED ASSETS (Including Furniture and Fixtures)*		
i) Government Securities (including local authorities)	–	–	At cost as on March 31 of the preceding year	1,564,875	1,783,150
ii) Subsidiaries and/or joint ventures abroad	–	–	Additions during the year	154,853	78,593
iii) Others	–	–	Deductions during the year	(96,955)	(296,868)
	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>		<u>1,622,773</u>	<u>1,564,875</u>
	<u>23,411,094</u>	<u>18,638,151</u>	Depreciation to date	(1,306,325)	(1,284,773)
			Total Net Book Value II	<u>316,448</u>	<u>280,102</u>
SCHEDULE 9 – ADVANCES			Net Book Value I and II	<u>316,448</u>	<u>280,102</u>
A. i) Bills purchased and discounted	–	–	* Refer Note III. 7 of Schedule 18		
ii) Cash credits, overdraft and loan repayable on demand	53,398,331	50,980,951	SCHEDULE 11 – OTHER ASSETS		
iii) Term loans - Staff	73	94	I. Inter-office adjustments (net)	–	–
	<u>53,398,404</u>	<u>50,981,045</u>	II. Interest accrued	204,052	120,120
B. i) Secured by tangible assets (Secured primarily by Fixed Deposits)	1,101,165	1,772,915	III. Tax paid in advance/ tax deducted at source	180,168	124,874
ii) Covered by bank/ governments guarantees	982,216	1,438,541	IV. Stationery and Stamps	–	–
iii) Unsecured	51,315,023	47,769,589	V. Non-banking assets acquired in satisfaction of claims	–	–
	<u>53,398,404</u>	<u>50,981,045</u>	VI. Deferred tax asset	–	–
C. I. Advances in India			VII. Others (Including Debit Balance in Profit and Loss Account Rs. 2,752,497 ('000) - Previous year Rs. 2,964,037 ('000))	4,605,852	4,219,011
i) Priority sector *	–	–		<u>4,990,072</u>	<u>4,464,005</u>
ii) Public sector	–	–	SCHEDULE 12 – CONTINGENT LIABILITIES		
iii) Banks	–	–	I. Claims against the bank not acknowledged as debts	–	–
iv) Others	53,398,404	50,981,045	II. Liability for partly paid investments	–	–
	<u>53,398,404</u>	<u>50,981,045</u>	III. Liability on account of outstanding forward exchange contracts	–	–
II. Advances outside India			IV. Guarantees given on behalf of constituents		
i) Due from banks	–	–	a) In India	–	–
ii) Due from others			b) Outside India	–	–
(a) Bills purchased and discounted	–	–	V. Acceptances, endorsements and other obligations	–	–
(b) Syndicated loans	–	–	VI. Other items for which the bank is contingently liable	1,219,506	828,661
(c) Others	–	–		<u>1,219,506</u>	<u>828,661</u>
	<u>53,398,404</u>	<u>50,981,045</u>			

* Not applicable to the Bank vide RBI letter no. RPCD.CO.
Plan.11642/04.09.09/2008-09 dated 11/05/2009



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	(Amount in INR. '000)			(Amount in INR. '000)	
	Year ended March 31, 2019	Year ended March 31, 2018		Year ended March 31, 2019	Year ended March 31, 2018
SCHEDULE 13 – INTEREST EARNED			SCHEDULE 16 – OPERATING EXPENSES		
Interest/discount on advances/bills	3,767,583	2,591,378	Payments to and provisions for employees	1,591,008	1,329,453
Income on investments	1,419,725	1,042,298	Rent, taxes and lighting	196,164	164,185
Interest on balances with the Reserve Bank of India and other inter-bank funds	–	–	Printing and stationery	136,725	107,174
Others	–	–	Advertisement and publicity	7,414,948	5,608,524
	<u>5,187,308</u>	<u>3,633,676</u>	Depreciation on Bank's property	111,661	118,495
SCHEDULE 14 – OTHER INCOME			Director's fee, allowances and expenses	–	–
Commission, exchange and brokerage (net) [Refer Note IV.2 of Schedule 18]	13,380,503	11,731,876	Auditors' fees and expenses	5,229	4,568
Net Profit/(Loss) on sale of investments	174	41	[Refer Note IV. 17 of Schedule 18]		
Net Profit/(Loss) on revaluation of investments	–	–	Law charges	2,999	10,138
Profit on sale of land, building and other assets	1,750	1,982	Postage, telegram, telephones etc.	209,683	204,147
Less: Loss on sale of land, building and other assets	(625)	(767)	Repairs and maintenance	59,185	69,636
Net profit on exchange transactions	–	–	Insurance	18,793	17,181
Income earned by way of dividends etc. from subsidiaries, companies and/or joint ventures abroad/in India	–	–	Business Support Cost (net)	3,936,949	2,777,715
Miscellaneous Income	834,911	641,374	Other expenditure	1,442,550	1,845,579
	<u>14,216,713</u>	<u>12,374,506</u>		<u>15,125,894</u>	<u>12,256,795</u>
SCHEDULE 15 – INTEREST EXPENDED			SCHEDULE 17 – PROVISIONS AND CONTINGENCIES*		
Interest on deposits	1,100,620	814,462	Depreciation in the value of securities	–	–
Interest on Reserve Bank of India/ interbank borrowings	360,461	443,646	Provision for advances and receivables	2,534,761	1,681,175
Others	–	–	Provision for income tax and wealth tax :		
	<u>1,461,081</u>	<u>1,258,108</u>	Wealth Tax	–	–
			Fringe Benefit Tax	–	–
			Deferred Income Tax	–	–
				<u>2,534,761</u>	<u>1,681,175</u>
			* Refer Note IV.1.g of Schedule 18 for details		

SCHEDULE – 18 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

- I. The financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2019 comprises the Balance Sheet, Profit and Loss Account, Cash Flow Statement and Schedules of the India Branch of American Express Banking Corp. (the "Bank"), which is incorporated in the New York State Banking Law, United States of America. The Bank's ultimate holding company is American Express Company, which is incorporated in the United States of America. The Bank has maintained the books of accounts and other books and papers in the electronic mode, periodic backup of which have been maintained on servers physically located outside of India.
- II. **Background:** American Express Banking Corp. - India Branch has been granted license by Reserve Bank of India ('RBI') to carry on banking business in India. The license authorises the Bank to conduct credit card business, distribute traveller cheques and accept institutional deposits. In line with the market practice and the RBI Guidelines, the bank issues credit cards and provides payment solutions to corporates and other entities for their purchases like inventory, fixed assets, payroll cost and other expenses like office supplies, utilities, advertising, couriers, etc.
- III. **Significant Accounting Policies**
 1. **Basis of preparation:** The financial statements have been prepared and presented under the historical cost convention on the accrual basis of accounting, unless otherwise stated and are in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles in India, statutory provisions prescribed under the Banking Regulation Act, 1949, circulars and guidelines issued by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) from time to time and Accounting Standards (AS) prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 and Companies (Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2016 to the extent applicable and conform to the statutory requirements prescribed by the RBI from time to time and current practices prevailing within the banking industry in India.



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The financial statements are presented in Indian Rupees rounded off to the nearest thousand unless otherwise stated.

2. **Use of Estimates:** The preparation of financial statements, in conformity with the generally accepted accounting principles, requires the Management to make estimates and assumptions considered in the reported amounts of assets and liabilities (including contingent liabilities) as of the date of the financial statements and reported income and expenses for the reporting period. Management believes that the estimates used in the preparation of the financial statements are prudent and reasonable. Actual results could differ from these estimates and these differences are recognized prospectively in the current and future periods.
3. **Revenue Recognition**
 - (i) Fees and commissions received, net of rebates/commissions paid, are recognized upon the occurrence of the transactions. Annual card fees, net of direct card acquisition costs are amortized over the period of one year. Joining fees on cards are recognised in the year of billing.
 - (ii) Interest income and other charges on card balances are recognized as it accrues, except in the case of non-performing assets, where it is recognised on realisation, as per the prudential norms prescribed by RBI.
 - (iii) Recovery from bad debts written off is recognized as income on the basis of actual realization from customers.
 - (iv) Interest income on discounted instruments is recognised over the tenure of the instruments.
4. **Foreign Currency transactions and balances**

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded on the date of transactions at the standard exchange rate determined by the Bank. Exchange differences arising on the foreign currency transactions settled during the year are recognized in the Profit and Loss Account of the same year.

Monetary Assets and Liabilities denominated in foreign currencies as at the Balance Sheet date are restated at the closing rates notified by Foreign Exchange Dealers' Association of India (FEDAI) and the resultant exchange differences are recognised in the Profit and Loss Account. Transactions wherein there is no foreign exchange risk, the amounts are carried at the settlement rates.
5. **Investments**
 - (i) **Classification**

In accordance with Reserve Bank of India ('RBI') guidelines, all investments are categorised as 'Held to Maturity', or 'Held for Trading' or 'Available for Sale'.

Investments that the Bank intends to hold to maturity are classified as 'Held to Maturity'. Investments that are held principally for resale within ninety days from the date of purchase are classified as 'Held for Trading'. All other investments are classified as 'Available for Sale'. An Investment is classified as 'Held to Maturity', 'Available for Sale' or 'Held for Trading' at the time of its purchase. Any subsequent change in classification is done as per RBI norms. As on date, all the investments are classified as 'Available for Sale'.
 - (ii) **Valuation**

Treasury Bills, being discounted instruments are valued at carrying cost as per RBI guidelines.
 - (iii) **Acquisition Cost**

Brokerage, commission, etc., paid at the time of acquisition of securities are charged to Profit and Loss Account.
 - (iv) **Disposal of Investments**

Profit or loss on sale of investments is recognised in the profit and loss account on trade/settlement date.
6. **Advances**

Loans and Advances comprise card outstanding and loans to staff. Loans and Advances are stated net of specific provision made towards Non-Performing Assets (NPAs). Advances under card receivables are maintained at the card member level.

Provision for NPAs on card balances outstanding is made at card member level in compliance with the prudential norms on Income Recognition, Asset Classification and Provisioning pertaining to Advances issued by the Reserve Bank of India and are monitored and tracked at a portfolio level. In the case of sub-standard assets, in addition to minimum provision requirement prescribed by RBI, the bank makes additional provision based on best estimate of probable losses. The interest and other income on non-performing assets is not recognised as income until realised.

Provision for Standard Assets and Unhedged Foreign Currency Exposure is made in compliance with the prudential norms on Income Recognition, Asset Classification and Provisioning pertaining to Advances issued by the Reserve Bank of India and disclosed under Other Liabilities and Provisions. Provision for Standard Assets are monitored for sufficiency using the write off rates basis historical trend at a portfolio level.

The Bank identifies all card accounts with delinquencies and generally writes off in the books of account, the outstanding card receivables which are 210 days past billing from bill generation date. Accounts classified as doubtful/loss are provided at 100% till written off. Accelerated write off is effected for card receivables which are due for less than 210 days from bill generation date, where it is evident that the outstanding amount is unlikely to be recovered.

Restructured assets are classified and provided for in accordance with the guidelines issued by RBI from time to time.

Net Receivables from/payables to overseas group entities on account of merchant payments made for spends made by overseas/ Indian card members in India/overseas, have been classified under Other Assets/Other Liabilities in the Financial Statements.



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7. Fixed assets and depreciation

- (i) Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. The Bank capitalises all costs relating to acquisition and installation of fixed assets.
- (ii) Carrying amounts of cash generating assets are reviewed at each Balance Sheet date to determine whether there is any impairment. Impairment loss, if any, is recognised in the Profit and Loss Account whenever the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount.
- (iii) Depreciation on fixed assets is provided on pro-rata basis over the period of the estimated useful life of the asset on Straight Line Method over the estimated useful life prescribed in Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013.
- (iv) Fixed assets are depreciated over the estimated useful life given in the table below:

<u>Asset</u>	<u>Estimated Useful Life</u>
Leasehold Improvements	Over the lease period
Data Processing Equipment	
Server and Networks	6 years
End User Devices such as laptop, desktop, etc.	3 years
Transport Equipment	8 years
Furniture and Fixtures	10 years
Machinery and Equipment	
Office Equipment	5 years
Headsets and Mobile Phones	3 years

8. Accounting for Leases

Leases in which a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership are retained by the lessors are classified as operating lease. Lease payments for assets taken on operating leases are recognized as an expense in the Profit and Loss Account over the lease term on a straight line basis.

9. Employee Benefits

a) Provident Fund

The Bank contributes to mandatory government administered provident funds which are defined contribution schemes as the Bank does not carry any further obligation, apart from the contributions made on a monthly basis. The contributions are accounted for on an accrual basis and recognized in the Profit and Loss Account.

b) Pension

- (i) The Bank has a pension scheme which is a defined contribution plan. Employees of the Bank are entitled to receive retirement benefits under the Bank's Superannuation scheme under a defined contribution plan to the pension fund. Contributions under these schemes are recognised in the Profit and Loss Account in the period in which they accrue.
- (ii) In addition to the above arrangement, there are deferred (exited) employees who had opted for the defined benefit scheme.

The Bank has set up a Pension Trust viz. American Express Banking Corp. India Staff Superannuation Fund to manage the contributions to the pension fund. The Bank provides for its pension liability based on actuarial valuation of the pension liability, based on Projected Unit Credit Method, as at the Balance Sheet date carried out by an independent actuary and contributes to the pension fund. The contributions made to the Trust are recognized as plan assets. The defined benefit obligation as reduced by fair value of plan assets is recognized in the Balance Sheet. Actuarial gains or losses are recognized in the Profit and Loss Account in the year in which they arise.

c) Gratuity

The Bank has set up a Gratuity Trust viz. American Express Banking Corp. India Employees Gratuity Fund to manage the contributions to the gratuity fund. The Bank provides for its gratuity liability based on actuarial valuation of the gratuity liability as at the Balance Sheet date, based on Projected Unit Credit Method, carried out by an independent actuary and contributes to the gratuity fund. The contributions made to the Trust are recognized as plan assets. The defined benefit obligation as reduced by fair value of plan assets is recognized in the Balance Sheet. Actuarial gains or losses are recognized in the Profit and Loss Account in the year in which they arise.

d) Leave encashment/ Compensated Absences

The Bank provides for leave encashment/compensated absences liability, which is payable on separation or termination of service. The liability for leave encashment, which is a defined benefit scheme, is provided based on actuarial valuation as at the Balance Sheet date, based on Projected Unit Credit Method, carried out by an independent actuary.



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10. Income Taxes

Income tax expense comprises of the current tax, the net change in the deferred tax asset and the deferred tax liability during the year. Current tax is determined as the amount of tax payable in respect of taxable income for the year on the basis of the provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

Deferred tax is recognized, subject to the consideration of prudence in respect of deferred tax asset, on timing differences, being the difference between taxable income and accounting income that originate in one period and are capable of reversal in one or more subsequent periods.

In case there are carry forward tax losses, the Deferred Tax Asset is recognized only when there is virtual certainty supported by convincing evidence that sufficient future taxable income will be available against which such deferred tax assets can be realised.

11. Membership Reward Points

The Membership Reward programme is a card-based rewards programme through which eligible card members can earn points for purchases charged on the Bank's card products. Membership Rewards points can be redeemed for a broad variety of rewards. The Bank establishes balance sheet provisions that represent the estimated cost of points earned to date that are ultimately expected to be redeemed based on the management's judgement and shown as a part of Other Liabilities and Provisions. The cost of Membership Reward Points is included as part of Advertisement and Publicity Expense.

12. Accounting for Provision, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

The Bank creates a provision when there is a present obligation as a result of a past event that probably requires an outflow of resources and a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation can be made.

A disclosure for Contingent Liability is made when there is a possible obligation or a present obligation that may, but probably will not, require an outflow of resources. When there is a possible obligation or a present obligation in respect of which the likelihood of outflow of resources is remote, no provision or disclosure is made.

The provisions are reviewed at each Balance Sheet date and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate.

Contingent assets are not recognized in the financial statements.

13. Segment Reporting

The Bank has recognised Banking Operations and Treasury operations, as the primary reporting Business Segments, in accordance with the RBI guidelines on compliance with Accounting Standard – 17 issued by Institute of Chartered Accountants of India as specified under Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounting) Rules, 2014.

Banking Operations include card operations, travellers' cheque distribution and institutional deposits. Interest income and expense (other than those identified with the Treasury Operations), other identified income and operating expenses are reckoned in the operating results of this segment.

Treasury activities include the Investments and balance in bank account to meet the Statutory Liquidity Ratio (SLR), Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) and maintenance of Cash Balances to meet the Cash Reserve Ratio (CRR) requirement and the corresponding funding to meet these requirements. The interest income and interest expenses related to these activities comprise the revenue and expense of this segment.

14. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash in hand, balance with RBI, demand deposits with banks and other fixed deposits with bank with original maturities of three months or less.

15. Impairment of Assets

The carrying amounts of assets are reviewed at each balance sheet date to ascertain if there is any indication of impairment based on internal/external factors in accordance with Accounting Standard – 28, Impairment of Assets issued by Institute of Chartered Accountants of India as specified under Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounting) Rules, 2014. The carrying amount is reduced to the recoverable amount and reduction is recognised as an impairment loss in the Profit and Loss Account.



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IV. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Statutory Disclosures as per RBI norms:

a) Capital Adequacy Ratio

In terms of the extant RBI guidelines on Basel III Capital Regulations, as of March 31, 2019, the Bank is required to maintain a minimum Capital to Risk-weighted Asset Ratio (CRAR) (including capital conservation buffer of 1.875%) of 10.875%. Further, within this overall capital requirement, the Bank is also required to maintain a Minimum Common Equity Tier 1 (including capital conservation buffer of 1.875%) of 7.375% and Minimum Tier 1 Capital of 7%. The Bank's Capital Adequacy Ratio, calculated as per the Basel III Capital Regulations is provided here under.

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio (%)	14.92%	12.59%
Tier I Capital Ratio (%)	14.92%	12.59%
Tier II Capital Ratio (%)	9.44%	5.35%
Total Capital ratio (CRAR) (%)	24.36%	17.94%
Percentage of the shareholding of the Government of India in public sector banks	NA	NA
Amount of equity capital raised		
– Head Office Funds (Amount Rs. in '000)	3,364,375	2,764,040
Amount of additional Tier 1 capital raised	–	–
Amount of additional Tier 2 capital raised of which -		
– Debt Capital instrument: (Amount in Rs. '000)	4,950,000	–
– Preference Share Capital Instruments	–	–

b) Subordinated Debt - Tier 2 Debt Capital Raised in the form of Head Office Borrowings in Foreign Currency:

Schedule 4 – Borrowings includes an amount of Rs.1,250,000 thousands, Rs.3,300,000 thousands and Rs.4,950,000 thousands pertaining to Tier 2 debt capital raised in the form of Head Office borrowings in foreign currency during 2013-14, 2015-16 and 2018-19 respectively from Head Office. Details of the Head Office borrowings are as under–

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19			2017-18	
Date of Borrowing	1-Nov-2013	27-Nov-2015	04-May-2018	1-Nov-2013	27-Nov-2015
Rate of Interest	Interest Free	Interest Free	Interest Free	Interest Free	Interest Free
Amount (Rs. '000)	1,250,000	3,300,000	4,950,000	1,250,000	3,300,000
Date of Repayment	1-Nov-2023	27-Nov-2025	04-May-2028	1-Nov-2023	27-Nov-2025
Call Option with the Bank	After completion of 5 years from the Issuance date (1-Nov-2018), with a prior notice of 120 days to the Lender. The bank has decided not to exercise the prepayment option.	After completion of 5 years from the Issuance date (27-Nov-2020), with a prior notice of 120 days to the Lender. The bank has decided not to exercise the prepayment option.	After completion of 5 years from the Issuance date (04-May-2023), with a prior notice of 90 days to the Lender. The bank has decided to exercise the prepayment option only after 01-May-2025.	After completion of 5 years from the Issuance date (1-Nov-2018), with a prior notice of 120 days to the Lender. The bank has decided not to exercise the prepayment option.	After completion of 5 years from the Issuance date (27-Nov-2020), with a prior notice of 120 days to the Lender. The bank has decided to exercise the prepayment option only after 01-Apr-2024.

c) Business / Information Ratios:

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
a. Interest income as a percentage to working funds (%)	6.53	5.68
b. Non-interest income as a percentage to working funds (%)	17.88	19.34
c. Operating profit as a percentage to working funds (%)	3.54	3.89
d. Return on assets (%)	0.36	1.27
e. Business (deposits plus advances) per employee (Amount in Rs. '000)	104,166	87,234
f. Profit/(loss) per employee (Amount in Rs. '000)	420	1,263

Definitions:

- Working funds is the average of total assets as reported in return Form X under Section 27 of Banking Regulation Act, 1949 (excluding accumulated losses) during the year.
- Operating profit = (Interest income + other income – interest expenses – operating expenses – amortization of premium on investments – profit / (loss) on sale of fixed assets).
- “Business” is the average of the total of advances and deposits (net of inter-bank deposits).
- Productivity ratios are based on number of employees at year end.



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d) Asset Liability Management - Maturity Pattern of Certain Assets and Liabilities

Classification of assets and liabilities under the different maturity buckets are based on the estimates and assumptions used by the Bank. These estimates and assumptions are based on the guidelines on Asset Liability Management issued by Reserve Bank of India.

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	Day - 1	2-7 Days	8-14 Days	15-30 Days	31 Days & upto 2 months	Over 2 Months and upto 3 months	Over 3 Months and upto 6 months	Over 6 Months and upto 1 year	Over 1 Year and upto 3 years	Over 3 Year and upto 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
Deposits -												
Current Year	–	1,403,214	3,085,662	2,782,906	1,686,113	2,374,751	5,630,934	4,391,714	–	–	–	21,355,294
Previous Year	–	431,971	206,459	2,430,506	2,402,821	2,320,891	5,498,588	2,814,402	–	–	–	16,105,638
Advances -												
Current Year	1,205,086	7,230,516	8,435,601	19,281,375	4,540,296	1,361,937	2,983,318	2,168,235	4,970,685	1,082,146	139,209	53,398,404
Previous Year	1,254,354	7,526,123	8,780,477	20,069,661	4,070,115	1,063,392	2,598,737	1,306,478	3,624,316	385,565	301,827	50,981,045
Investments -												
Current Year	16,242,806	882,156	437,292	990,368	466,574	525,293	889,199	1,206,121	238,416	198,472	1,334,397	23,411,094
Previous Year	13,095,291	720,435	297,992	178,726	733,804	434,037	937,753	1,580,526	3,474	1,122	654,991	18,638,151
Borrowings -												
Current Year	–	–	–	–	–	1,000,000	–	2,023,786	10,504	1,250,000	8,250,000	12,534,290
Previous Year	278,832	–	–	–	1,800,000	1,000,000	1,800,000	7,610,969	–	–	4,550,000	17,039,801
Foreign Currency Assets –												
Current Year	–	–	–	37	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	37
Previous Year	–	–	–	722	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	722
Foreign Currency Liabilities –												
Current Year	266,456	584,491	1,766,279	4,090,191	7,780,583	2,324,836	–	622,784	–	1,250,000	8,250,000	26,935,620
Previous Year	226,915	543,511	1,640,169	3,570,166	6,859,854	2,461,648	574,230	–	–	–	4,550,000	20,426,493

e) Exposure to real estate

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
a) Direct exposure	82,727	466,130
(i) Residential Mortgages –	–	–
Lending fully secured by mortgages on residential property that is or will be occupied by the borrower or that is rented	–	–
(ii) Commercial Real Estate –	82,727	466,130
Lending secured by mortgages on commercial real estate	–	–
Others	82,727	466,130
(iii) Investments in Mortgage Backed Securities (MBS) and other securitized exposures –	–	–
a. Residential	–	–
b. Commercial Real Estate	–	–
b) Indirect Exposure	–	–
Fund based and non-fund based exposures on National Housing Bank (NHB) and Housing Finance Companies (HFCs)	–	–
Total Exposure to Real Estate Sector	82,727	466,130



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f) Exposure to Capital Market

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
(i) direct investment in equity shares, convertible bonds, convertible debentures and units of equity oriented mutual funds the corpus of which is not exclusively invested in corporate debt;	–	–
(ii) advances against shares / bonds / debentures or other securities or on clean basis to individuals for investment in shares (including IPOs / ESOPs), convertible bonds, convertible debentures, and units of equity oriented mutual funds;	–	–
(iii) advances for any other purposes where shares or convertible bonds or convertible debentures or units of equity oriented mutual funds are taken as primary security;	–	–
(iv) advances for any other purposes to the extent secured by the collateral security of shares or convertible bonds or convertible debentures or units of equity oriented mutual funds i.e. where the primary security other than shares / convertible bonds / convertible debentures / units of equity oriented mutual funds does not fully cover the advances;	–	–
(v) secured and unsecured advances to stockbrokers and guarantees issued on behalf of stockbrokers and market makers;	227,857	77,365
(vi) loans sanctioned to corporates against the security of shares / bonds / debentures or other securities or on clean basis for meeting promoter's contribution to the equity of new companies in anticipation of raising resources;	–	–
(vii) bridge loans to companies against expected equity flows / issues;	–	–
(viii) underwriting commitments taken up by the banks in respect of primary issue of shares or convertible bonds or convertible debentures or units of equity oriented mutual funds;	–	–
(ix) financing to stockbrokers for margin trading;	–	–
(x) all exposures to Venture Capital Funds (both registered and unregistered)	–	–
Total Exposure to Capital Market	227,857	77,365

g) Provisions and Contingencies:

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Provision for depreciation on Investment	–	–
Provision towards Non Performing Assets	450,790	187,030
Provision towards Standard Assets	42,412	162,598
Write-offs	1,943,654	1,206,689
Others	97,905	124,858
Provision made towards Income tax, Wealth Tax and Deferred Tax	–	–
TOTAL	2,534,761	1,681,175

h) Investments

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Gross value of Investments		
In India	23,411,094	18,638,151
Outside India	–	–
Provision for depreciation		
In India	–	–
Outside India	–	–
Net value of investments		
In India	23,411,094	18,638,151
Outside India	–	–



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i) Asset Quality - Non-performing assets ('NPAs')

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
(i) Net NPAs to Net Advances (%)	2.03%	0.76%
(ii) Movement of NPAs (Gross)		
(a) Opening balance	848,490	475,093
(b) Additions during the year	7,073,750	2,654,029
(c) Reductions during the year	5,926,359	2,280,632
(d) Closing balance	1,995,881	848,490
(iii) Movement of provisions for NPAs (excluding provisions on standard assets)		
(a) Opening balance	463,018	275,988
(b) Provisions made during the year	3,992,048	1,516,825
(c) Write off / write back of excess provision	3,541,258	1,329,795
(d) Closing balance	913,808	463,018
(iv) Movement of Net NPAs		
(a) Opening balance	385,472	199,105
(b) Additions during the year	3,081,702	1,137,204
(c) Reductions during the year	2,385,101	950,837
(d) Closing balance	1,082,073	385,472

j) Category-wise NPAs (funded)

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Non-performing asset category	2018-19		2017-18	
	Gross NPAs	Provisions	Gross NPAs	Provisions
Sub standard	1,752,587	670,514	759,221	373,749
Doubtful	243,223	243,223	89,269	89,269
Loss	71	71	–	–
Total	1,995,881	913,808	848,490	463,018

k) Single Borrower Limit (SBL) and Group Borrower Limits (GBL):

During the year, the Bank's credit exposure to single borrowers and group borrowers were within the limits prescribed by Reserve Bank of India.

l) Disclosure of complaints:

Customer Complaints

	Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
1	No. of complaints pending at the beginning of the year	415	428
2	No. of complaints received during the year	22,836	19,360
3	No. of complaints redressed during the year	22,854	19,373
4	No. of complaints pending at the end of the year	397	415

m) Concentration of Deposits, Advances, Exposures and NPAs:

Concentration of Deposits

(Amount Rs. in '000)

S. No.	Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
1	Total Deposits of twenty largest depositors	20,924,346	15,521,685
2	Percentage of Deposits of twenty largest depositors to Total Deposits of the Bank	97.98%	96.37%

Concentration of Advances

(Amount Rs. in '000)

S. No.	Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
1	Total Advances to twenty largest borrowers	7,939,976	9,387,501
2	Percentage of Advances of twenty largest borrowers to Total Advances of the Bank	14.62%	18.25%



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Concentration of Exposures

(Amount Rs. in '000)

S. No.	Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
1	Total Exposure to twenty largest borrowers / customers	13,484,816	13,147,558
2	Percentage of Exposures to twenty largest borrowers/ customers to Total Exposure of the bank on borrowers/ customers	5.90%	6.98%

Concentration of NPAs

(Amount Rs. in '000)

S. No.	Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
1	Total Exposure to top four NPA accounts	844,482	71,064

n) Sector-wise Advances

(Amount Rs. in '000)

S. No.	Sector	2018-19			2017-18		
		Outstanding Total Advances	Gross NPAs	Percentage of Gross NPA to Total Advances	Outstanding Total Advances	Gross NPAs	Percentage of Gross NPA to Total Advances
A	Priority Sector*						
1	Agriculture and allied activities	–	–	–	–	–	–
2	Industry (Micro & small, Medium and Large)	–	–	–	–	–	–
3	Services	–	–	–	–	–	–
4	Personal Loans	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Sub Total (A)	–	–	–	–	–	–
B	Non Priority Sector						
1	Agriculture and allied activities	–	–	–	–	–	–
2	Industry (Micro & small, Medium and Large)	7,025,265	908,784	12.94%	10,457,739	66,018	0.63%
	– Food Processing	994,524	81,975	8.24%	1,997,316	26	0.00%
	– Chemicals and Chemical Products (Dyes, Paints, etc.)	994,555	10,052	1.01%	1,084,616	7,078	0.65%
	– All Engineering (Electronics & Others)	1,998,087	65,074	3.26%	1,951,590	12,107	0.62%
	– Construction	595,334	304	0.05%	1,812,529	1,416	0.08%
	– Infrastructure	773,130	737,599	95.40%	1,545,952	28	0.00%
	– Others	1,669,635	13,780	0.83%	2,065,736	45,363	2.20%
3	Services	16,480,250	187,177	1.14%	17,316,279	172,180	0.99%
	– Computer Software	3,688,863	34,629	0.94%	3,821,787	54,714	1.43%
	– Tourism, Hotel and Restaurants	3,972,972	64,071	1.61%	4,297,506	41,386	0.96%
	– Professional Services	2,590,066	31,153	1.20%	2,594,071	19,337	0.75%
	– Retail Trade	2,714,683	35,438	1.31%	2,320,486	9,464	0.41%
	– Others	3,513,666	21,886	0.62%	4,282,428	47,279	1.10%
4	Personal Loans	30,806,697	899,920	2.92%	23,670,046	610,292	2.58%
	Sub Total (B)	54,312,212	1,995,881	3.67%	51,444,064	848,490	1.65%
	Totals (A+B)	54,312,212	1,995,881	3.67%	51,444,064	848,490	1.65%

* Not applicable to the Bank vide RBI letter no. RPCD.CO.Plan.11642/04.09.09/2008-09 dated 11/05/2009



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o) Movement of NPAs

(Amount Rs. in '000)

S. No.	Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
1	Gross NPAs – Opening Balance	848,490	475,093
2	Additions – Fresh NPAs during the year	7,073,750	2,654,029
3	Sub-Total [A] (1 + 2)	7,922,240	3,129,122
4	Less :		
	i. Upgradations	–	–
	ii. Recoveries	4,261,694	1,268,467
	iii. Write-offs	1,664,665	1,012,165
	Sub-Total [B]	5,926,359	2,280,632
5	Gross NPAs – Closing Balance	1,995,881	848,490

p) Provisioning Coverage Ratio (PCR)

In terms of the RBI guidelines, the Bank's Provisioning Coverage Ratio as of September 30, 2010 was 82.88%. The provisioning coverage ratio of the Bank with regard to the NPAs as on March 31, 2019 computed as per the RBI guidelines is 50.22% [2017-18: 65%].

q) Intra-Group Exposure

As a prudential measure aimed at better risk management and avoiding concentration and contagion of credit and liquidity risk that may arise from Intra Group Exposures, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has issued Guidelines on Management of Intra Group Transactions and Exposures (ITEs) vide its Circular No. RBI/2013-14/487 DBOD.No.BP.BC.96/21.06.102/2013-14 dated February 11, 2014. Quantitative disclosures under the above guidelines are provided here.

(Amount Rs. in '000)

S. No.	Particulars	March 31, 2019	March 31, 2018
1	Total amount of intra-group exposures	598,814	576,229
2	Total amount of top-20 intra-group exposures	598,814	576,229
3	Percentage of intra-group exposures to total exposure of the bank on borrowers / customers	0.26%	0.31%
4	Details of breach of limits on intra-group exposures and regulatory action thereon, if any	None	None

r) Transfers to Depositor Education and Awareness Fund (DEAF)

As per guidelines issued by RBI in relation to Depositor Education and Awareness Fund Scheme, 2014, banks are required to transfer to a designated fund, the amounts becoming due in each calendar month i.e. proceeds of the inoperative accounts and balances remaining unclaimed for ten years or more as specified in the Scheme and the interest accrued thereon on the last working day of the subsequent month.

Below are the details of amount transferred to Depositor Education and Awareness Fund as of March 2019.

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Opening balance of amounts transferred to DEAF	15,161	3,802
Add : Amounts transferred to DEAF during the year	7,682	11,359
Less : Amounts reimbursed by DEAF towards claims	3,267	–
Closing balance of amounts transferred to DEAF	19,576	15,161



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s) Liquidity Coverage Ratio

As per 'Basel III Framework on Liquidity Standards – Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR), Liquidity Risk Monitoring Tools and LCR Disclosure Standards' dated June 9, 2014 (Circular Ref No. RBI/2012-13/635/DBOD.BP.BC.No.120/21.04.098 /2013-14) and subsequent amendments, banks are required to monitor their resilience to potential liquidity disruptions under stress scenarios by ensuring that they have sufficient high quality liquid assets to survive an acute stress scenario lasting for 30 days and fund their activities with more stable sources of funding on an ongoing basis.

Banks are required to maintain High Quality Liquid Assets of a minimum of 100% of its Net Cash Outflows by January 1, 2019. However, with a view to provide transition time, the guidelines mandate a minimum requirement of 60% w.e.f. January 1, 2015 and a step up of 10% every year to reach the minimum requirement of 100% by January 1, 2019.

Qualitative Disclosures

Liquidity Risk is defined as the inability of the Bank to meet its ongoing financial and business obligations as they become due, at a reasonable cost. The Bank manages its liquidity risk by maintaining access to a diverse set of readily marketable securities, and contingent sources of liquidity to ensure that it can continuously meet its business requirements and financial obligations. The India Country ALCO chaired by the CEO oversees the Bank's liquidity and funding risk program including adherence to internal funding/liquidity limits as well as regulatory limits and ratios such as CRR, SLR and LCR.

General principles and the overall framework for managing liquidity and funding risk are defined in the Liquidity and Funding Policy of the Bank duly approved by the Country Executive Committee (CEC).

The Bank incurs and accepts liquidity risk through its established business model and through the normal course of offering its products and services. The liquidity risk the Bank is willing to accept is controlled through a liquidity risk tolerance limit which provides for the maintenance of a cushion of high quality, unencumbered liquid assets to be held against identified funding requirements under stress for defined liquidity risk survival horizon. In addition, the Bank maintains a contingency funding plan which provides a framework for analyzing and responding to liquidity events that are both market-driven as well as institution-specific. Further, the CFP describes the governance and protocol to be put into effect upon the occurrence of a liquidity event and details the roles and responsibilities of Senior Management.

The Bank also seeks to diversify its funding sources across capital, institutional deposits, subordinated debt from head office and lines of credit from local banks. Funding from significant counterparties and instruments is monitored regularly as part of its ongoing liquidity management.

The Bank has institutionalized a process of measuring, monitoring and reporting of the LCR in line with the Reserve Bank of India's guidelines on LCR.

The Bank has been in compliance with the minimum standard of 70% from 1st January 2016 to 31st December 2016, 80% from 1st January 2017, 90% from 1st January 2018 and 100% from 1st January 2019 onwards.

The LCR is calculated by dividing the amount of high-quality liquid unencumbered assets (HQLA) by the estimated net cash outflows over a stressed 30 calendar day period.

Detailed compositions of elements of the LCR are listed below –

High Quality liquid assets (HQLA)

Assets are HQLA if they can be converted into cash at little or no loss of value. The Bank holds stock of Level 1 HQLA in the form of excess CRR balances with RBI and excess Government securities over and above the SLR requirements. Additionally, the Bank also reckons government securities within the mandatory SLR requirement, to the extent allowed by the Reserve Bank under Marginal Standing Facility and Facility to avail Liquidity for LCR as Level 1 HQLA.

Net Cash Outflows

The total net cash outflows are defined as the total expected cash outflows minus total expected cash inflows for the subsequent 30 calendar days. Total expected cash outflows, are calculated by multiplying the outstanding balances of various categories or types of liabilities by the rates at which they are expected to run off or be drawn down and total expected cash inflows are calculated by multiplying the outstanding balances of various categories of receivables by the rates at which they are expected to flow in, up to an aggregate cap of 75% of total expected cash outflows, in line with RBI guidelines.

The major components of cash outflow for the Bank are unsecured wholesale funding (lines of credit from Banks and Institutional Deposits), uncommitted, revocable credit facilities extended to customers and other contractual payouts such as merchant payables, membership rewards etc. The key constituents of cash inflow for the Bank are remittances from card members, balances with banks etc.

The daily average LCR for the Bank for the quarter ending March 31, 2019 stood at 119.87%



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Quantitative Disclosures

(Amount Rs. in '000)

		Quarter ended 31st March 2019		Quarter ended 31st December 2018		Quarter ended 30th September 2018		Quarter ended 30th June 2018		Quarter ended 31st March 2018	
		Total Unweighted Value (average)	Total Weighted Value (average)	Total Unweighted Value (average)	Total Weighted Value (average)	Total Unweighted Value (average)	Total Weighted Value (average)	Total Unweighted Value (average)	Total Weighted Value (average)	Total Unweighted Value (average)	Total Weighted Value (average)
High Quality Liquid Assets											
1	Total High Quality Liquid Assets (HQLA)		21,074,942		19,230,329		20,665,853		18,630,470		15,866,113
Cash Outflows											
2	Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers, of which:										
(i)	Stable deposits										
(ii)	Less stable deposits										
3	Unsecured wholesale funding, of which:	6,659,196	3,038,739	7,016,034	3,444,716	8,410,101	4,052,201	5,891,979	3,178,752	4,409,188	2,172,617
(i)	Operational deposits (all counterparties)										
(ii)	Non-operational deposits (all counterparties)	6,034,095	2,413,638	5,952,197	2,380,879	7,263,167	2,905,267	4,522,045	1,808,818	3,727,619	1,491,048
(iii)	Unsecured debt	625,101	625,101	1,063,837	1,063,837	1,146,934	1,146,934	1,369,934	1,369,934	681,569	681,569
4	Secured wholesale funding										
5	Additional requirements, of which	920,972	920,972	880,751	880,751	961,052	961,052	1,103,556	1,103,556	1,030,173	1,030,173
(i)	Outflows related to derivative exposures and other collateral requirements	920,972	920,972	880,751	880,751	961,052	961,052	1,103,556	1,103,556	1,030,173	1,030,173
(ii)	Outflows related to loss of funding on debt products										
(iii)	Credit and liquidity facilities										
6	Other contractual funding obligations	18,396,489	18,396,489	18,497,955	18,497,955	18,472,725	18,472,725	18,918,109	18,918,109	16,774,854	16,774,854
7	Other contingent funding obligations	167,779,992	8,389,000	161,872,433	8,093,622	154,296,557	7,714,828	140,186,730	7,009,336	131,318,663	6,565,933
8	Total Cash Outflows		30,745,200		30,917,043		31,200,806		30,209,754		26,543,577
Cash Inflows											
9	Secured lending (e.g. reverse repos)										
10	Inflows from fully performing exposures	23,471,932	11,735,966	24,651,242	12,325,621	22,125,809	11,062,905	23,710,573	11,855,287	21,684,662	10,842,331
11	Other cash inflows	13,325,328	1,427,479	13,974,855	1,431,550	10,958,845	1,373,779	9,515,582	1,576,684	8,796,635	1,708,645
12	Total Cash Inflows	36,797,260	13,163,445	38,626,097	13,757,171	33,084,654	12,436,684	33,226,155	13,431,971	30,481,296	12,550,976
			Total Adjusted Value		Total Adjusted Value		Total Adjusted Value		Total Adjusted Value		Total Adjusted Value
21	TOTAL HQLA		21,074,942		19,230,329		20,665,853		18,630,470		15,866,113
22	Total Net Cash Outflows		17,581,755		17,159,873		18,764,122		16,777,783		13,992,601
23	Liquidity Coverage Ratio (%)		119.87%		112.07%		110.13%		111.04%		113.39%

* Higher of [25% of Total Cash Outflows] or [Total Cash Outflows less Total Cash Inflows]

t) Risk Category wise Country Exposure

Provision for country risk exposure in terms of RBI Circular DBOD.BP.BC.71/21.04.103/2002-03 dated June 17, 2004 is as follows:
(Amount Rs. in '000)

Risk Category	Exposure (Net) as at March 31, 2019	Provision as at March 31, 2019	Exposure (Net) as at March 31, 2018	Provision as at March 31, 2018
Insignificant	37	–	412	–
Low	–	–	17	–
Moderate	–	–	–	–
High	–	–	–	–
Very High	–	–	–	–
Restricted	–	–	–	–
Off-credit	–	–	–	–
Total	37	–	429	–



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u) Disclosure on Frauds

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Number of frauds reported (in numbers)	7,534	7,577
Amount Involved	164,403	211,546
Amount Written-Off	115,824	103,663
Amount Recovered	48,579	107,883
Quantum of unamortized provision debited from other reserves	–	–

v) Unhedged Foreign Currency Exposure:

Provision towards unhedged foreign currency exposures as on 31 March 2019 is Rs. 147,467 ('000) [2017-18: Rs. 112,777 ('000)] and the capital held by the Bank towards this risk is Rs. 469,182 ('000) [2017-18: Rs. 352,523 ('000)] as per RBI master circular DBR.No.BP.BC.2/21.04.048/2015-16 dated 01 July 2015 on prudential norms on income recognition, asset classification and provisioning pertaining to advances.

w) Divergence in the asset classification and provisioning

RBI vide its circular dated April 18, 2017, has directed that banks shall make suitable disclosures, wherever either (a) the additional provisioning requirements assessed by RBI exceed 15 percent of the published net profits after tax for the reference period or (b) the additional Gross NPAs identified by RBI exceed 15 percent of the published incremental Gross NPAs for the reference period, or both. For financial year 2017-18, RBI has not assessed any additional provisioning requirement or Gross NPAs for the Bank.

x) Particulars of Accounts Restructured

Under CDR Mechanism: NIL

Under SME Debt Restructuring Mechanism: NIL

Others:

(Amount Rs. in '000)

Particulars	2018-19					2017-18				
	Standard	Sub Standard	Doubtful	Loss	Total	Standard	Sub Standard	Doubtful	Loss	Total
Restructured Accounts – Opening Balance										
No. of Borrowers	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Amount Outstanding	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Provision Thereon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fresh restructuring during the year										
No. of Borrowers	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Amount Outstanding	–	737,599	–	–	737,599	–	–	–	–	–
Provision Thereon	–	184,400	–	–	184,400	–	–	–	–	–
Upgrade to Restructured Standard Category										
No. of Borrowers	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Amount Outstanding	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Provision Thereon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Restructured Standard Advances cease to attract higher provision / risk weight and need to be shown as restructured standard advance										
No. of Borrowers	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Amount Outstanding	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Provision Thereon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Downgrade of restructured accounts										
No. of Borrowers	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Amount Outstanding	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Provision Thereon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Write offs of restructured accounts										
No. of Borrowers	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Amount Outstanding	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Provision Thereon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Restructured Accounts – Closing Balance										
No. of Borrowers	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Amount Outstanding	–	737,599	–	–	737,599	–	–	–	–	–
Provision Thereon	–	184,400	–	–	184,400	–	–	–	–	–



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y) The Bank has no disclosure to make in respect of the following items as the relevant items are Nil

(i)	Investments :	Repo Transactions Non-SLR Investment Portfolio Non performing Non-SLR Investments Movement of provisions held towards depreciation in Investments Sale and transfers to/from HTM category
(ii)	Asset Quality :	Details of financial assets sold to Securitisation/Reconstruction Company for Asset Reconstruction Details of non-performing financial assets purchased/sold Unsecured Advances: Assets for which intangible securities have been taken as collateral Investment in Securities Receipts
(iii)	Awards passed by the Banking Ombudsman	
(iv)	Disclosure relating to securitisation	
(v)	Draw down from Reserves	
(vi)	Penalties imposed by Reserve Bank of India	
(vii)	Discontinuing Operations	
(viii)	Unamortised Pension and Gratuity Liabilities	

z) The Bank has no disclosure to make in respect of the following items as the relevant items are Not Applicable

(i)	Investments :	Investments in Associates
(ii)	Derivatives :	Forward Rate Agreements/ Interest Rate Swaps Exchange Traded Interest Rate Derivatives Disclosure on risk exposure in derivatives Credit Default Swaps
(iii)	Letter of Comforts issued by the Bank	
(iv)	Earnings per share	
(v)	Consolidated Financial Statements	
(vi)	Interim Financial Reporting	
(vii)	Overseas Assets, NPAs and Revenue	
(viii)	Off-Balance Sheet SPVs sponsored	

2. Commission, exchange and brokerage (net)

Commission, exchange and brokerage is netted off with the amount shared with affiliates on overseas Card Member spend on the Bank's merchant and volume rebates amounting to Rs. 3,204,800 ('000) [2017-18: Rs. 2,519,064 ('000)].

3. Deferred Taxes

In accordance with AS-22 on 'Accounting for Taxes on Income' issued by Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI), the Bank recognizes Deferred Tax Assets on timing differences to the extent that there is a virtual certainty supported by convincing evidence that sufficient future taxable income will be available against which such deferred tax assets can be realized. As of March 31, 2019, in view of lack of virtual certainty supported by convincing evidence that sufficient taxable income would accrue in the immediate future, as a matter of prudence, the Bank has decided not to recognise Net Deferred Tax Assets as on March 31, 2019.

The major composition of Deferred Tax Assets (DTA) and Deferred Tax Liabilities (DTL) is as under:

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
Deferred tax assets:		
Provision for Bad & Doubtful Debts	645,612	413,829
Provision for Employee Benefits	153,860	102,287
Accumulated Taxable Losses	53,428	445,073
Depreciation on fixed assets	62,019	66,570
Deferred Rent & Other reserves	17,731	17,727
Deferred tax liabilities	NIL	NIL



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4. Segment Reporting

The summary of the segmental information of the Bank for the Year ended 31st March, 2019 are given below-

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Segmentation Particulars	Banking operations		Treasury		Total	
	2018-19	2017-18	2018-19	2017-18	2018-19	2017-18
Segment revenue	17,984,296	14,965,884	1,419,725	1,042,298	19,404,021	16,008,182
Unallocated Expenses	–	–	–	–	–	–
Segment result	(15,003)	712,570	297,288	99,534	282,285	812,104
Operating Profits /(Loss)					282,285	812,104
Income taxes					–	–
Extraordinary profit / (loss)					–	–
Net profit (loss)					282,285	812,104
Other information :						
Segment assets	56,560,266	52,844,320	26,003,814	21,413,916	82,564,080	74,258,236
Unallocated assets (Taxes and accumulated losses)					2,932,665	3,088,911
Total assets	56,560,266	52,844,320	26,003,814	21,413,916	85,496,745	77,347,147
Segment liabilities	41,416,477	41,291,897	26,003,814	21,413,916	67,420,291	62,705,813
Unallocated liabilities (Taxes, Capital and Reserve and Surplus)					18,076,454	14,641,334
Total liability	41,416,477	41,291,897	26,003,814	21,413,916	85,496,745	77,347,147
Cost to acquire fixed assets	154,853	78,593	–	–	154,853	78,593
Depreciation	111,661	118,495	–	–	111,661	118,495

The Bank does not have any overseas operations and hence there is no geographical segment reporting.

5. Related Party Disclosures

In the terms of the Accounting Standard 18 on 'Related Party Disclosures' issued by Institute of Chartered Accountants of India as specified under Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounting) Rules, 2014 and the related guideline issued by the RBI, the details pertaining to related parties are as under:

Related Party Relationship:

Sr. No.	Relationship	Party Name
1.	Parent - Head Office	American Express Banking Corp., New York.
2.	Ultimate Holding Company	American Express Company
3.	Subsidiaries of Ultimate Holding Company	American Express (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd. American Express (Thai) Co., Ltd. American Express Australia Ltd American Express Business Solutions (India) Private Limited American Express Company (Mexico) Sa De CV American Express Europe Limited American Express Global Business Travel American Express India Pvt Ltd. American Express International (NZ), Inc. American Express International (Taiwan), Inc. American Express International, Inc. American Express Limited American Express Services Europe Limited American Express Services India Pvt Ltd American Express Travel Related Services Company, Inc. Amex Canada Inc. Loyalty Solutions and Research Pvt Ltd
4.	Subsidiaries/ Associates/ Joint Ventures	–
5.	Key Management Personnel **	Manoj Adlakra as Chief Executive Officer



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The related party balances and transactions for the year ended March 31, 2019 are summarized as follows: **(Amount in Rs. '000)**

Particulars	Year	Parent - Head Office		Total
		American Express Banking Corp, New York		
Borrowings	2018-19	9,500,000		9,500,000
	2017-18	4,550,000		4,550,000
<i>Maximum Outstanding</i>	2018-19	9,500,000		
	2017-18	4,550,000		

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Particulars	Year	Subsidiaries of Ultimate Holding Company						Others	Grand Total
		American Express India Pvt Ltd.	American Express Limited	American Express Services India Pvt Ltd	American Express Travel Related Services Company, Inc.	American Express Europe Limited	American Express International, Inc.		
Deposits	2018-19	19,390,000	–	430,000	–	–	–	360,000	20,180,000
	2017-18	13,855,000	–	340,000	–	–	–	115,000	14,310,000
<i>Maximum Outstanding</i>	2018-19	21,535,000	–	485,000	–	–	–	396,000	
	2017-18	17,025,000	–	410,000	–	–	–	200,000	
Advances	2018-19	291,104	–	7,150	–	–	–	10,859	309,113
	2017-18	297,145	–	3,468	–	–	–	6,429	307,042
<i>Maximum Outstanding</i>	2018-19	475,170	–	22,719	–	–	–	48,087	
	2017-18	514,264	–	14,811	–	–	–	30,007	
Receivables	2018-19	–	–	–	12	–	–	25	37
	2017-18	–	–	–	316	–	96	17	429
Payables	2018-19	556,499	–	143,726	471,311	157,459	16,663,863	259,700	18,252,558
	2017-18	665,164	470,004	116,077	343,638	132,547	14,707,000	262,562	16,696,992
Transfer of assets	2018-19	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	2017-18	743	–	–	–	–	–	–	743
Interest Expense	2018-19	978,583	–	22,099	–	–	–	9,997	1,010,679
	2017-18	709,514	–	15,359	–	–	–	10,056	734,929
Payments by Related Party on Bank's Behalf or Payment/Receipt by Bank on behalf of Related Party	2018-19	226,011	–	3,168	–	–	–	2,329	231,508
Revenue from Services Rendered	2017-18	158,583	–	1,637	–	–	–	980	161,200
Commission, exchange and brokerage (gross)	2018-19	1,764	–	45	2,617,793	–	41	222	2,619,865
	2017-18	1,807	–	18	2,198,635	–	610	42	2,201,111
Less: Volume Rebate and Issuer Rate Payable	2018-19	–	–	–	(1,736,761)	(128,269)	(6,877)	(2,808)	(1,874,715)
	2017-18	–	–	–	(1,377,510)	(90,626)	(3,256)	(1,665)	(1,473,057)
Miscellaneous Income	2018-19	–	–	–	4,466	–	7	17	4,490
	2017-18	42	–	–	5,962	–	499	615	7,118
Revenue from Services Rendered Total	2018-19	1,764	–	45	885,498	(128,269)	(6,829)	(2,569)	749,640
	2017-18	1,849	–	18	827,087	(90,626)	(2,147)	(1,008)	735,173
Cost of Services Received	2018-19	1,553,241	–	1,381,749	1,008,747	–	35,988	352,473	4,332,198
	2017-18	1,217,271	–	1,107,298	771,645	–	17,158	131,245	3,244,617
Other expenditure	2018-19	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	2017-18	–	526,998	–	3,748	–	321	26,197	557,264
Rent, taxes and lighting	2018-19	81,931	–	1,518	–	–	–	–	83,449
	2017-18	63,404	–	380	–	–	–	–	63,784
Advertisement and Publicity	2018-19	–	–	–	–	–	–	16,803	16,803
	2017-18	–	–	–	–	–	–	10,453	10,453
Re-imbursments of cost to/from Related Party	2018-19	39,631	–	–	(395,249)	–	–	–	(355,618)
	2017-18	16,581	–	–	(466,903)	–	–	–	(450,322)
Cost of Services Received Total	2018-19	1,674,803	–	1,383,268	613,498	–	35,988	405,023	4,112,580
	2017-18	1,297,256	526,998	1,107,678	308,490	–	17,479	167,895	3,425,796

No disclosure has been made in respect of Key Management Personnel, keeping in view the secrecy clauses and the provisions of the RBI guidelines.

Payables include amount with respect to settlements with overseas group entities on account of spends made by overseas/Indian card members in India/outside India. However, volume of such transactions is not considered for disclosure.



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6. Other Liabilities include:

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Provisions towards Standard Assets [#]	360,578	318,167
Counter Cyclical Provisioning Buffer	88,500	88,500

[#]Includes Unhedged Foreign Currency Provision of Rs.147,467 ('000) (2017-18: Rs. 112,777 ('000))

7. Floating Provisions: The Bank has no policy of making floating provision.

8. Leases

The Bank's significant leasing arrangements are in respect of operating leases for commercial and residential premises. Lease expenditure for operating leases is recognized on a straight-line basis over the primary period of lease.

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable Operating leases		
Not later than 1 year	175,893	109,830
Later than 1 year and not later than 5 years	394,963	99,466
Later than 5 years	–	–
Lease payments recognized in the Profit and Loss Account in respect of operating leases	147,090	127,128

9. Provision, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

Movement in provision for membership reward points:

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Opening	2,113,141	1,726,029
Additions	3,975,080	3,430,090
Utilisations/Write backs	3,368,937	3,042,978
Closing Balance	2,719,284	2,113,141

The bank estimates provision for card reward points by applying historic redemption rates on points eligible for redemption by a card member.

10. Taxes

The income tax expenses comprise the following:

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Wealth Tax	–	–
Deferred Income tax (benefit)/expense	–	–
Total	–	–

11. Description of contingent liabilities

Contingent Liabilities	Brief Description
Other items for which the bank is contingently liable*	The Bank is a party to various legal proceedings and direct/indirect tax assessments in the normal course of business. The Bank does not expect the outcome of any of legal proceedings to have a material adverse effect on the Bank's financial condition, result of operations and cash flows. Income tax matters for which appeal is pending having tax impact of Rs. 1,197,150 ('000) [2017-18: Rs. 792,488 ('000)] has been disputed by bank and hence disclosed as contingent liability.
	The Bank as part of certain service contracts has provided guarantees which amount to Rs. 2,780 ('000) [2017-18: Rs. 23,280 ('000)].
	The amount deposited in Depositor Education and Awareness Fund amounting to Rs. 19,576 ('000) [2017-18: Rs. 12,893 ('000)].

* Also refer Schedule 12 – Contingent Liabilities



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12. Employee Benefits

The disclosures required as per the revised AS 15 are as under:

Brief description of the Plans

The Bank has various schemes for long-term benefits such as provident fund, pension, and gratuity and leave encashment. The Bank's defined contribution plans are provident fund and employees' pension scheme (under the provisions of the Employees' Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952), and the Bank has no further obligation beyond making the contributions. The Bank's defined benefit plans includes pension for deferred/vested pensioner (left employees), gratuity and leave encashment.

(Amount in Rs. '000)

A	Charge to the Profit and Loss Account based on contributions:	2018-19	2017-18
		Provident fund	49,748
	Superannuation	867	1,080
	TOTAL	50,615	45,516

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India ("SC") by their order dated February 28, 2019, in the case of Surya Roshani Limited & others v/s EPFO, set out the principles based on which allowances paid to the employees should be identified for inclusion in basic wages for the purposes of computation of Provident Fund contribution. In light of the same, with effect from 1st March 2019, the PF contribution by the Bank has been changed to a flat amount of Rs. 1800/- per month for all colleagues whose monthly basic wage is less than Rs. 15,000/-.

Subsequently, a review petition against this decision has been filed and is pending before the SC for disposal. Pending decision on the subject review petition and directions from the EPFO, further impact, if any, is not ascertainable and consequently no effect has been given in the accounts.

(Amount in Rs. '000)

B	Contribution towards Pension for deferred / vested pensioners (left employees):	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
	The above employee benefit is covered under Pension Trust and as detailed under Paragraph III 9 (b) of Schedule 18 above.		
Pension: The components of net benefit expenses recognized in the Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet and the funded status for the pension benefit plan are summarised below:			
		As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
I	Assumptions		
	Mortality Rate (in deferment)	LIC (1996-98) Ultimate	LIC (1996-98) Ultimate
	Mortality Rate (Post retirement)	LIC (1996-98) Ultimate	LIC (1996-98) Ultimate
	Discount Rate	7.30%	7.50%
	Rate of increase in compensation	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
	Rate of return (expected) on plan assets	7.50%	7.50%
		As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
II	Changes in present value of obligations		
	Defined Benefit Obligation at beginning of the Year	37,026	41,096
	Interest Cost	2,699	2,535
	Current Service Cost	–	–
	Actuarial Losses/(Gains)	320	2,106
	Benefit Payments	(2,088)	(8,711)
	Defined Benefit Obligation at end of the Year	37,957	37,026
III	Changes in fair value of plan assets		
	Fair Value of Plan Assets at beginning of the Year	63,027	68,346
	Expected return on plan assets	4,650	4,799
	Actuarial Gain / (Loss)	(2,838)	(1,407)
	Benefit Payments	(2,041)	(8,711)
	Fair Value of Plan Assets at end of the Year	62,798	63,027
IV	Amounts to be recognised in the Balance Sheet		
	Defined Benefit Obligation at the end of the Year	37,957	37,026
	Fair Value of Plan Assets at the end of the Year	62,798	63,027
	Amount not recognised as an Asset	–	–
	Surplus Assets	24,841	26,001
V	Expense Recognised	–	–

The Pension Fund assets are invested in government securities, corporate bonds and other eligible investments.



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	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
	Percentage	
Government of India securities (Central and State)	49.46	49.37
High quality corporate Bonds (Including Public Sector Bonds)	–	–
Equity shares	–	–
Cash (Including Special Deposits)	49.88	48.08
Others	0.66	2.55
Total	100	100

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Experience Adjustments	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018	As at March 31, 2017	As at March 31, 2016	As at March 31, 2015
Defined Benefit Obligation at the end of the period	(37,957)	(37,026)	(41,096)	(35,522)	(33,559)
Plan Asset as at the end of the period	62,798	63,027	68,346	72,666	70,747
Funded Status	24,841	26,001	27,250	37,144	37,188
Experience Gain/(Loss) adjustments on plan liabilities	(104)	(2,854)	(7,433)	(584)	(2,680)
Experience Gain/(Loss) adjustments on plan assets	(2,838)	(1,407)	(2,053)	(2,150)	(4,712)
Actuarial Gain/(Loss) due to change on assumptions	(216)	748	(3,098)	–	(5,256)

(Amount in Rs. '000)

C	Contribution towards Gratuity: The above employee benefit is covered under a Gratuity Trust and as detailed under Paragraph III 9 (c) of Schedule 18 above.		
	Gratuity: The components of net benefit expenses recognized in the Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet and the funded status for gratuity benefit plan are summarised below:		
		As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
I	Assumptions		
	Mortality	Indian Assured Lives Mortality (2006-08) (modified) Ult.	Indian Assured Lives Mortality (2006-08) (modified) Ult.
	Discount Rate	7.50%	7.50%
	Rate of increase in compensation	9.00%	9.00%
	Rate of return (expected) on plan assets	7.50%	7.50%
	Withdrawal rates	Up to age 30 - 27% age 31-40 - 18% age 41-50 - 7% age 51 and above - 8%	Up to age 30 - 27% age 31-40 - 18% age 41-50 - 7% age 51 and above - 8%
II	Changes in present value of obligations		
	DBO at beginning of the Year	146,177	148,301
	Interest Cost	10,612	9,848
	Current Service Cost	16,138	15,889
	Benefits Paid	(15,421)	(11,159)
	Actuarial Losses/(Gains) on obligation	10,472	(17,545)
	Liabilities extinguished on settlements	–	–
	Liability released due to employee transfer	–	–
	Plan Amendment Cost	–	14
	Acquisitions Cost	6,051	829
	DBO at end of the Year	174,029	146,177



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		As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
III	Changes in fair value of plan assets		
	Fair Value of Plan Assets at beginning of the Year	37,711	46,870
	Expected Return of Plan Assets	2,250	3,097
	Contributions	–	–
	Benefits paid	(15,421)	(11,159)
	Assets distributed in settlements	–	–
	Actuarial gain / (loss) on plan assets	(1,277)	(1,097)
	Fair Value of Plan Assets at end of the Year	23,263	37,711
IV	Amounts to be recognised in the Balance Sheet		
	Present Value of DBO at the end of the Year	174,029	146,177
	Fair Value of Plan Assets at end of the Year	23,263	37,711
	Funded/(Unfunded) Status	(150,766)	(108,466)
	Unrecognised Past Service Costs	–	–
	Net Asset /(Liability) recognised in the Balance Sheet	(150,766)	(108,466)
V	Expense Recognised		
	Current Service Cost	16,138	15,889
	Interest Cost	10,612	9,848
	Expected Return on Plan Assets	(2,250)	(3,097)
	Net Actuarial (Gain) /Loss recognised for the Year	11,749	(16,448)
	Past Service Cost	–	14
	Expense recognised in the P&L A/c	36,249	6,206

The estimate of future salary increases, considered in actuarial valuation take account of inflation, seniority, promotion and other relevant factors such as supply and demand in employee market.

The Gratuity Fund assets are invested in government securities, corporate bonds and other eligible investments.

Major categories of Plan assets as a percentage of total plan assets.

	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018
	Percentage	
Government of India securities (Central and State)	–	–
High quality corporate Bonds (Including Public Sector Bonds)	–	–
Equity shares	–	–
Cash (Including Special Deposits)	100.00	100.00
Others	–	–
Total	100.00	100.00

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Experience Adjustments	As at March 31, 2019	As at March 31, 2018	As at March 31, 2017	As at March 31, 2016	As at March 31, 2015
Defined Benefit Obligation at end of the period	(174,029)	(146,177)	(148,301)	(125,572)	(133,030)
Plan Asset as at the end of the period	23,263	37,711	46,870	53,878	42,550
Funded Status	(150,766)	(108,466)	(101,431)	(71,694)	(90,480)
Experience Gain/(Loss) adjustments on plan liabilities	(7,998)	(844)	267	(2,601)	14,869
Experience Gain/(Loss) adjustments on plan assets	(1,277)	(1,097)	(1,673)	(464)	(147)
Actuarial Gain/(Loss) due to change on assumptions	(2,474)	18,429	(7,891)	–	(26,139)

D	<p><u>Leave Encashment/Compensated Absences</u></p> <p>The amount charged/(released) to Profit and Loss Account during the year towards Leave Encashment and compensated absences Rs. (4,504) ('000) (Previous year Rs. 9,090 ('000))</p> <p>The liability for leave encashment and compensated absences as on March 31, 2019 is Rs.104,122 ('000) (Previous Year Rs. 121,958 ('000)).</p>
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13. Disclosure under Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006:

To the extent of the information received by the Bank from its vendors, the below are the transactions with suppliers as defined under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 during the financial year.

(Amount in Rs. '000)

	Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
1	Principal amount due remaining unpaid	–	–
2	Interest amount due thereon and remaining unpaid	–	–
3	Amount of interest paid in terms of Section 18 of the MSMED Act 2006	421	318
4	Interest due and payable (under the MSMED Act 2006) which have not been paid (covering all payments)	405	421
5	The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of the accounting year (i.e. including amount brought forward from previous year)	405	421
6	Details on payments made in respect of outstanding as at Sl. No. 1 above.	–	–

14. Details of fees / remuneration received in respect of Bancassurance business:

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
Others - Income from Insurance Corporate Agency Business		
– For selling life insurance products	1,941	1,765
– For selling non-life insurance products	103,346	83,481

15. Disclosures on Remuneration:

Qualitative Disclosures

Being a Branch of a Foreign Bank, the Bank does not have any Remuneration Committee for approval of the Managerial Remuneration. The Bank's compensation structure is in conformity with the principles and practices set out by the Financial Stability Board (FSB). Further, the Bank's has obtained the RBI's approval for the Chief Executive Officer's (CEO) remuneration.

Quantitative Disclosures

The quantitative disclosures cover the Bank's CEO and Key Risk Takers. The Bank's Key Risk Takers include the CEO, Head of Business Units and select roles in Treasury and Risk.

(Amount in Rs. '000)

No.	Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
1	(i) Number of employees having received a variable remuneration award during the financial year.	4	4
	(ii) Total amount of outstanding deferred remuneration, split into cash, shares and share-linked instruments and other forms.	–	–
	(iii) Total amount of deferred remuneration paid out in the financial year	–	–
2	Breakdown of amount of remuneration awards for the financial year to show fixed and variable, deferred and non-deferred.		
	Fixed	49,589	47,587
	Variable	39,815	32,653
	Deferred	–	–
	Non-deferred	39,815	32,653
3	(i) Total amount of outstanding deferred remuneration and retained remuneration exposed to ex-post explicit and/or implicit adjustments.	–	–
	(ii) Total amount of reductions during the financial year due to ex-post explicit adjustments.	–	–
	(iii) Total amount of reductions during the financial year due to ex-post implicit adjustments.	–	–
4	Retirals (PF, Gratuity, SA)	3,282	3,219

Variable pay included above is on cash basis i.e. the year in which the same is paid out.

Compensation for CEO is as approved by the RBI and paid by the Bank to the CEO. Compensation for other risk takers is as approved by the Bank.

Charges for ESOPs, issued by the ultimate parent company to the key risk takers, has not been considered for the disclosure purpose as there is no charge to Profit and Loss Account of the Bank.



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16. Disclosure on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)

The Bank believes that serving our communities is not only integral to running a business successfully; it is part of our individual responsibilities as corporate citizen.

The CSR committee was formed in accordance with the Bank's CSR policy to comply with the provisions of the Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013. During the year, the Bank has contributed an amount of Rs. 13,105 ('000).

(Amount in Rs. '000)

S.no.	Particulars	2018-19			2017-18		
		In Cash	Yet to Paid in Cash	Total	In Cash	Yet to Paid in Cash	Total
A.	Gross amount required to be spent by the Bank during the year	13,105			–		
B.	Amount spent during the year:						
(i)	Construction/acquisition of any asset	–	–	–	–	–	–
(ii)	On purposes other than (i) above	13,105	–	13,105	–	–	–

17. Auditors' Remuneration [excluding goods & service tax]

(Amount in Rs. '000)

Particulars	2018-19	2017-18
As Auditors:		
– Statutory Audit	3,500	2,820
– Tax Audit	390	340
– Certificates	400	340
– Out of Pocket Expenses		
Current year Auditors	939	–
Previous year Auditors	–	1,068
Total	5,229	4,568

18. Transfer Pricing

The Bank has a comprehensive system of maintenance of information and documents required by transfer pricing legislation under section 92-92F of the Income Tax Act, 1961. The management is of the opinion that international transactions are at arm's length so that the above legislation will not have material impact on the financial statements, particularly on the amount of tax expense and that of provision of taxes.

19. Implementation of Indian Accounting Standards (IND AS)

In January 2016, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs issued the roadmap for implementation of new Indian Accounting Standards (IND AS) for scheduled commercial banks, insurance companies and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs). The RBI has also issued a circular DBR.BP.BC.No.76/21.07.001/2015-16 dated February 11th, 2016 advising that the Banks in India are required to implement IND AS from April 1, 2018. Subsequently, RBI in its press release issued on 5th April 2018 and vide notification RBI/2018-2019/146 DBR.BP.BC.No.29/21.07.001/2018-19 dated March 22, 2019 has deferred the applicability of IND AS for Scheduled Commercial Banks.

Based on RBI directions, the Bank has formed a Steering Committee to oversee IND AS implementation. The bank Submitted Proforma IND AS financial statements to the RBI for the half-year ended September 30, 2016 and quarter ended June 30, 2017. Further, as per email notification dated July 20th, 2018, the Bank is also submitting Proforma IND AS financials to RBI on quarterly basis effective quarter ended June 2018.

20. Comparative figures

Previous year figures have been reclassified and regrouped wherever considered necessary to conform to current year's presentation.

Signature to Schedules 1 to 18

For **Khimji Kunverji & Co. LLP**
(formerly Khimji Kunverji & Co – FRN: 105146W)
Chartered Accountants

Gautam V. Shah
Partner
Membership No. F-117348

Place: Mumbai
Date: June 25, 2019

For and on behalf of
American Express Banking Corp.- India Branch

Manoj Adlakha
Chief Executive Officer

Vivek Sehgal
Financial Controller

Place: Gurugram
Date: June 20, 2019