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Sagicor Financial Corporation Limited (SFC) Results for the Half Year Ended June 30, 2018

Key Points:

Sagicor Financial Corporation Limited's ('SFC') adopted 2 new accounting standards which became effective from January 1, 2018.

- International Financial Reporting Standard No 9, this
 accounting standard changed the way that financial
 instruments were recognized and measured. It also
 introduced new measurement categories for
 financial instruments and an expected credit loss
 model for impairment.
- IFRS15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers was adopted, and effected how income was recognized on contracts by companies.

In June 2018, the Government of Barbados announced its intention to suspend all payments to creditors of its external commercial debt and plans to maintain interest-only payments on its domestic debt. In light of this, Sagicor, has increased its provision for expected losses on Government of Barbados debt in accordance with IFRS9.

Diluted Earnings Per Share (EPS):

SFC reported an EPS of US\$0.080, up 2.56 per cent or US\$0.002 per share on the corresponding period's EPS of US\$0.078 in HY17.

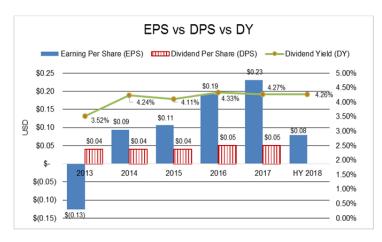
Dividend:

The Board of Directors has not declared an interim dividend to be paid to date. Based on previous historic data the interim dividend for the past five years ranged between US\$0.02 – US\$0.03 per share.

Diluted EPS	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	
2018	0.06	0.02			\$ 0.08	
2017 Restated	0.05	0.02			\$ 0.078	
2017	0.04	0.02	0.09	0.08	\$ 0.23	
2016	0.04	0.01	0.11	0.03	\$ 0.19	
2015	0.03	-0.01	0.04	0.05	\$ 0.11	
2014	0.01	-0.04	0.01	0.11	\$ 0.09	
2013	0.02	-0.09	0.02	-0.07	\$ (0.13)	

Financial Year End	December 30
Sector	Non-Banking Finance
Symbol on TTSE	SFC
Issued Share Capital	TTD306.56MM
Market Capitalization	TTD\$2.41B
Current Price (August 30, 2018)	TTD\$7.74
52 Week Price Range	TTD\$7.50 - TTD\$8.50
Trailing EPS	TTD\$1.56
Price to Earnings Multiple	4.96x
Current Book Value/Share	TTD\$13.03
Price to Book	0.59x
Return on Equity	5.45%
Return on Assets	0.72%
Dividend Yield (August 30, 2018)	4.32%

Dividend	Interim	Final	Total	Dividend Yield
2017	0.03	0.03	0.05	4.27%
2016	0.03	0.03	0.05	4.33%
2015	0.02	0.02	0.04	4.11%
2014	0.02	0.02	0.04	4.24%
2013	0.02	0.02	0.04	3.52%





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Income Statement as at June 30, 2018

	HY18 US\$'000	HY17 US\$'000	\$ Change HY18 - HY17 US\$'000	% Change HY17 - HY16	Change	YE17 US\$'000
Revenue						
Net premium revenue	410,030	340,145	69,885	20.55%	•	558,804
Net investment and other income	228,529	222,495	6,034	2.71%	1	352,125
Total revenue	638,559	562,640	75,919	13.49%	1	910,929
Benefits and Expenses						
Benefits	298,416	279,425	18,991	6.80%	1	474,373
Expenses	286,918	224,300	62,618	27.92%	1	329,148
Total benefits and expenses	585,334	503,725	81,609	16.20%	1	803,521
Income Before Taxes	53,225	58,915	(5,690)	-9.66%	•	107,408
Income taxes	(17,195)	(18,792)	(1,597)	-8.50%	•	(29,303)
Net Income From Continuing Operations	36,030	40,123	(4,093)	-10.20%		78,105
Net income/(loss) from discontinued operations	3,357	6,208	(2,851)	-45.92%	4	
Net Income For The Period	39,387	46,331	(6,944)	-14.99%	- ₽-	78,105
Net Income Attributable To: Common Shareholders From continuing operations From discontinued operation	21,543 3,357	17,982 6,208	3,561 (2,851)	19.80% -45.92%	1	47,211 0
	24,900	24,190	710	2.94%	1	47,211
Participating policyholders	(8,310)	(474)	7,836	1653.16%	1	(1,595)
Non-controlling interests	22,797	22,615	182	0.80%	1	32,489
	39,387	46,331	(6,944)	-14.99%	1	78,105
Basic earnings per common share (cents):						
From continuing operations	7.0	5.9	1.1	18.64%	1	15.5
From discontinued operation	1.1	2.0	(0.9)	-45.00%	1	0.0
	8.1	7.9	0.2	2.53%	1	15.5
Fully diluted earnings per common share (cents):						
From continuing operations	6.9	5.8	1.1	18.97%	1	15.2
From discontinued operation	1.1	2.0	(0.9)	-45.00%		0.0
	8.0	7.8	0.2	2.56%	1	15.2

Balance Sheet as at June 30, 2018

	HY 2018	HY 2017	\$ Change HY18 - HY17	% Change HY18 - HY17	Change	YE17
	USD \$'000	USD \$'000	USD \$'000			USD \$'000
Total Assets	6,942,916	6,617,555	325,361	4.92%	1	6,814,642
Total Liabilities	6,053,909	5,771,647	282,262	4.89%	1	5,875,089
Total Equities	889,007	845,908	43,099	5.09%	1	939,553
	6,942,916	6,617,555	325,361			6,814,642

Financials:

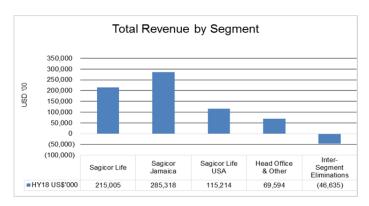
- Total revenue closed at \$638.56MM, up 13.49 per cent or \$75.92MM from HY17's total of \$562.64MM, this was mainly due to the growth in premiums in the USA Segment.
- Total Expenses increased by 16.20 per cent or \$81.61MM to end at \$585.33MM in HY18, this was attributed to the provision for losses on all assets arising from the adoption of IFRS9 and the provision for the Government of Barbados securities.
- Profit Before Tax for HY18 stands at \$53.26MM, down 9.66 per cent or \$5.69MM from \$58.92MM in HY17
- The effective tax rate remained at 32 per cent from HY17.

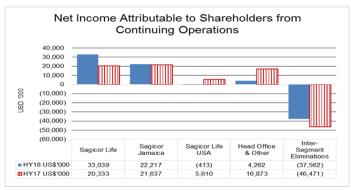
 Profit attributable to equity holders totaled \$24,90MM in HY18 up 2.94 per cent or \$0.71MM from \$24.19MM in HY17.

Total Assets increased by 4.92 per cent or \$325.36MM to \$6.94B in HY18. Total Liabilities amounted to \$6.05B in HY18 and Total Equities increased by 5.09 per cent or \$43.10MM to close at \$889.01MM.

The Sagicor Jamaica segment was the major contributors to the Group's Total Revenue. Sagicor Life segment and in third place was Sagicor Life USA segment.

Sagicor Life segment was the major contributor of the Group's Net Income Attributable to Shareholders from Continuing Operations. In second place was Sagicor Jamaica, followed by Head Office & Other segment.





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