Nqaba Finance 1 (RF) Ltd (Registration number 2005/040050/07) Annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015

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The group financial statements and the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015 of Nqaba Finance 1 (RF) Ltd have been prepared under the supervision of the financial manager, Ettienne Bester and approved by the board of directors and signed on its behalf on 25 May 2015.

The financial statements have been audited in compliance with section 30 of the Companies Act.

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Statement of responsibilities and approval

The Companies Act of South Africa, 71 of 2008 requires the directors to ensure that Nqaba Finance 1 (RF) Ltd (Nqaba) keeps full and proper records of their financial affairs. The annual financial statements should fairly present the state of affairs of Nqaba, its financial results for the year and its financial position at the end of the year in terms of International Financial Reporting Standards.

To enable the directors to meet the above mentioned responsibilities, the Nqaba board of directors sets standards and management implements systems of internal control. The controls are designed to provide cost-effective assurance that assets are safeguarded, and that liabilities and working capital are efficiently managed. Policies, procedures, structures and approval frameworks provide direction, accountability and division of responsibilities, and contain self-monitoring mechanisms. The controls throughout Nqaba focus on those critical risk areas identified by operational risk management and confirmed by executive management. Both management and the internal audit department closely monitor the controls, and actions are taken to correct deficiencies as they are identified.

The preparation and fair presentation of the Nqaba annual financial statements are the responsibility of the directors. The external auditors are responsible for independently auditing the financial statements in accordance with International Standards of Auditing and the Public Audit Act, 25 of 2004.

The directors have made an assessment of the ability of Nqaba to continue as a going concern in the foreseeable future and are satisfied that Nqaba have access to adequate resources and facilities to be able to continue operations for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, the board has continued to adopt the going-concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

The financial statements of Nqaba have been prepared in terms of International Financial Reporting Standards, the Companies Act of South Africa, 71 of 2008. These annual financial statements are based on appropriate accounting policies, supported by reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates and are prepared on the going-concern basis.

Based on the information and explanations given by management, the internal audit function and discussions held with the independent external auditors, the directors are of the opinion that the internal accounting controls are adequate to ensure that the financial records may be relied upon for preparing the annual financial statements and that accountability for assets and liabilities is maintained.

The audit committee has reviewed the effectiveness of Nqaba's internal controls and considers the systems appropriate for the effective operation of Nqaba. The committee has evaluated Nqaba annual financial statements and has recommended their approval to the board. The audit committee's approval is set out on page 4.

Nothing significant has come to the attention of the directors to indicate that any material breakdown has occurred in the functioning of these controls, procedures and systems during the year under review.

In the opinion of the directors, based on the information available to date, the annual financial statements fairly present the financial position of Nqaba at 31 March 2015 and the results of its operations and cash flow information for the year then ended.

The annual financial statements of Nqaba set out on pages 9 to 35, were approved by the Board of directors of Nqaba on 25 May 2015 and are signed on its behalf by:

EM Southey Chairman 25 May 2015

DP Towers Director 25 May 2015

Report of the audit committee

The audit committee reports that it has adopted appropriate formal terms of reference as its audit committee charter, has regulated its affairs in compliance with this charter, and has discharged all of its responsibilities contained therein.

In the conduct of its duties, the audit committee has, inter alia, reviewed the following:

Finance function

the expertise, resources and experience of the finance function

Internal control, management of risks and compliance with legal and regulatory provisions

- the effectiveness of the internal control systems;
- all factors and risks that may impact on the integrity of the integrated report; and
- the effectiveness of the system and process of risk management including the following specific risks:
 - financial reporting;
 - internal financial controls;
 - fraud risks relating to financial reporting;
 - information technology risks relating to financial reporting; and
 - the effectiveness of the entity's compliance with legal and regulatory provisions

Financial and sustainability information provide

the adequacy, reliability and accuracy of financial information provided by management

Internal and external audit

- the effectiveness of the assurance and forensic department (internal audit);
- the activities of the assurance and forensic department, including its annual work programme, coordination with the
 external auditors, the reports of significant investigations and the responses of management to specific recommendation
- the independence and objectivity of the external auditors; and ...
- accounting and auditing concerns identified as a result of internal and external audits, including reportable irregularities

Nqaba is applying a combined assurance model to ensure coordinated assurance activities. The audit committee oversees the assurance activities. The committee also oversees the establishment of effective systems of internal control to provide reasonable assurance that Nqaba's financial and non financial objectives are achieved.

The audit committee is of the opinion, based on the information and explanations given by management and the assurance and forensic department and discussions with the independent external auditors that:

- the expertise, resources and experience of the finance function are adequate;
- the system and process of risk management and compliance processes are adequate;
- the internal accounting controls are adequate to ensure that the financial records may be relied upon for preparing the financial statements, and accountability for assets and liabilities is maintained;
- the effectiveness of the assurance and forensic department is adequate and the internal audit charter was approved by the risk committee; and
- having considered the matters set out in section 94(8) of the Companies Act of South Africa, 71 of 2008, it is satisfied with the independence and objectivity of the external auditors

Nothing significant has come to the attention of the audit committee to indicate that any material breakdown in the functioning of these controls, procedures and systems has occurred during the year under review.

The audit committee has evaluated the annual financial statements of Nqaba Finance 1 (RF) Ltd for the year ended 31 March 2015 and, based on the information provided to the audit committee, considers that they comply, in all material respects, with the requirements of the Companies Act of South Africa, 71 of 2008, the Public Finance Management Act, 1 of 1999, as amended, and International Financial Reporting Standards. The audit committee concurs with the board of directors and management that the adoption of the going concern premise in the preparation of the annual financial statements is appropriate. The audit committee has therefore, at its meeting held on 25 May 2015 recommended the adoption of the financial statements by the board of directors.

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DP Towers Chairman 25 May 2015

Statement by company secretary

Declaration by the Group secretary in respect of Section 88(2)(e) of the Companies Act

In terms of Section 88(2)(e) of the Companies Act 71 of 2008, I certify that the company has filed with the Companies and Intellectual Property Commission all such returns and notices in terms of this Act, and all such returns appear to be true, correct and up to date.

Maitland Group South Africa Company secretary 25 May 2015

Directors' report

The directors are pleased to present their report for the year ended 31 March 2015.

1. Principal activities, state of affairs and business review

Nqaba Finance 1 (RF) Ltd (Nqaba), is incorporated and domiciled in South Africa. Nqaba manages a pool of mortgage backed securities which are listed on the Interest Rate Market of the Johannesburg Security Exchange Limited (JSE), using a securitisation structure.

There has been no material changes to the nature of the company's business from the prior year.

2. Results of operations

Revenue for the year was R167 million (2014: R157 million). Profit before tax amounted to R19.5 million (2014: R2.4 million), profit after taxation amounted to R14 million (2014: R1.8 million).

The detailed financial results of the company are set out on page 9 to 36 of the accompanying annual financial statements.

3. Share capital and dividends

No shares were issued during the year under review. Shares issued to date amount to 100 ordinary shares of R1 each and 100 preference shares of 1 cent each.

No dividends were paid during the current and prior financial years.

4. Going concern

The directors are of the opinion that the company will have access to adequate financial resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future and for this reason they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual financial statements.

Directors 5.

The directors in office at the date of this report are as follows:

Directors	Date of appointment	Date of resignation	Designation
EM Southey (Chairperson)	31 January 2009	n/a	Non-executive director
KW van Staden	01 January 2009	30 September 2014	Non-executive director
TL Myburgh	09 February 2006	n/a	Non-executive director
DP Towers	10 May 2013	n/a	Non-executive director
D Lorimer	30 September 2014	n/a	Non-executive director

Directors' interest

The directors have no interests in contracts with the company.

Attendance at board and board committee meetings:

	Board m	eetings
Members	19-May-14	16-Feb-15
KW van Staden	\checkmark	n/a
EM Southey	\checkmark	\checkmark
TL Myburgh	\checkmark	\checkmark
DP Towers	\checkmark	\checkmark
D Lorimer		
	n/a	A

The members of the audit committee are all independent, non-executive directors of the group.

The committee is satisfied that the members thereof have the required knowledge and experience as set out in Section 94(5) of the Companies Act of South Africa, 71 of 2008 and Regulation 42 of the Companies Regulation, 2011.

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Directors' report

6. Events subsequent to reporting date

The directors are not aware of any matter or circumstances arising since the end of the financial year, not otherwise dealt with in the report or financial statements that would significantly affect the operations of the company, or the results of their operations.

7. Liquidity and solvency

The directors have performed the required liquidity and solvency tests required by the Companies Act of South Africa, 71 of 2008 and are satisfied with the liquidity and solvency of Nqaba.

8. Auditors

SizweNtsalubaGobodo Inc. were the auditors during the current and prior financial periods.

9. Company secretary

Maitland Group South Africa:

Business address	Postal address
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Johannesburg	
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10. Company

In terms of IFRS 12 Appendix A, a structured entity is an entity that has been designed so that voting or similar rights are not the dominant factor in deciding who controls the entity, such as when any voting rights relate to administrative tasks only and the relevant activities are directed by means of contractual arrangements. Nqaba is a structured entity of Eskom Finance Company SOC Limited and is consolidated in the annual financial statements of Eskom Finance Company SOC Ltd.

11. Holding company

Nqaba is a structured entity owned by Nqaba Finance 1 Owner Trust (Pty) Ltd, a company incorporated in the Republic of South Africa.

Independent Auditor's Report

To the shareholder of Ngaba Finance 1 RF Limited

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the group and company financial statements of Nqaba Finance 1 RF Limited as set out on pages 9 to 36, which comprise the statements of financial position as at 31 March 2015, the statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and the notes, comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Directors' responsibility for the financial statements

The board of directors, which constitutes the accounting authority, is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Public Finance Management Act of South Africa and the Companies Act of South Africa, and for such internal control as the directors determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Public Audit Act of South Africa, the *General Notice* issued in terms thereof and International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated and separate financial position of Nqaba Finance 1 RF Limited as at 31 March 2015, and its consolidated and separate financial performance and consolidated and separate cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Public Finance Management Act of South Africa and the Companies Act of South Africa.

Other Reports Required by the Companies Act

As part of our audit of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015, we have read the Report of the audit and risk committee, the Statement by company secretary and the Directors' report for the purpose of identifying whether there are material inconsistencies between these reports and the audited financial statements. These reports are the responsibility of the respective preparers. Based on reading these reports we have not identified material inconsistencies between these reports and the audited financial statements. However, we have not audited these reports and accordingly do not express an opinion on these reports.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

Public Audit Act Requirements

In accordance with the Public Audit Act of South Africa (PAA), and the *General Notice* issued in terms thereof, we report the following findings relevant to the reported performance against predetermined objectives, compliance with laws and regulations as well as internal control. We performed tests to identify reportable findings as described under each subheading but not to gather evidence to express assurance on these matters. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion or conclusion on these matters.

Predetermined Objectives

We did not audit performance against predetermined objectives, as the entity is not required to prepare a report on its performance against predetermined objectives. The entity does not require reporting on performance against predetermined objectives.

Compliance with Laws and Regulations

We performed procedures to obtain evidence that the Company had complied with applicable laws and regulations regarding financial matters, financial management and other related matters. We did not identify any instances of material non-compliance with specific matters in key applicable laws and regulations as set out in the General Notice issued in terms of the PAA.

Internal control

We considered internal control relevant to our audit of the performance in terms of the shareholders compact and compliance with legislation. We did not identify any significant matters of internal control deficiencies.

SizweNtsalubaGobodo Inc. Director: Darshen Govender Chartered Accountant (SA) Registered Auditor

28 May 2015 Woodmead

Statement of financial position at 31 March 2015

	Note	2015 R '000	2014 R '000
Assets			
Non-Current Assets			
Properties in possession	4	695	1,625
Loans receivable	5	1,904,763	1,902,913
Deferred tax	6	-	4,337
Derivatives held for risk management	7	3,576	-
	-	1,909,034	1,908,875
Current Assets			
_oans receivable	5	1,286	769
Derivatives held for risk management	7	2,469	2,708
Trade and other receivables	8	15,157	17,880
Taxation		6,622	4,775
Cash and cash equivalents	10	74,878	59,953
	-	100,412	86,085
Total Assets	-	2,009,446	1,994,960
Equity and Liabilities			
Equity			
Share capital	11	-	-
Retained income	_	41,830	27,800
	-	41,830	27,800
Liabilities			
Non-Current Liabilities			
Deferred tax	6	76	-
Derivatives held for risk management	7	-	233
Debt securities issued	12 _	1,344,000	1,278,000
	-	1,344,076	1,278,233
Current Liabilities			
Debt securities issued	12	329,559	394,619
First loss credit enhancement loan	13	293,269	293,060
Trade and other payables	14	712	1,248
	-	623,540	688,927
Total Liabilities	-	1,967,616	1,967,160
Total Equity and Liabilities	-	2,009,446	1,994,960

Statement of comprehensive income for the year ended 31 March 2015

	Note	2015 R '000	2014 R '000
Interest income	15	167,269	155,016
Finance expense	16	(153,203)	(140,467)
Net interest income	-	14,066	14,549
Other income	17	6,591	6,674
Operating profit	-	20,657	21,223
Net impairment loss	18	749	(2,320)
Net fair value gain (loss) on financial instruments	19	3,570	(10,838)
Operating expenses	20	(5,490)	(5,580)
Profit before tax	-	19,486	2,485
Taxation	21	(5,456)	(696)
Profit for the year	-	14,030	1,789
Other comprehensive income		-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	14,030	1,789

Statement of changes in equity for the year ended 31 March 2015

	Note	Share capital	Retained income	Total equity
			R '000	R '000
Balance at 01 April 2013		-	26,011	26,011
Total comprehensive income for the year		-	1,789	1,789
Balance at 31 March 2014		-	27,800	27,800
Total comprehensive income for the year		-	14,030	14,030
Balance 31 March 2015	11	-	41,830	41,830

Statement of Cash flows for the year ended 31 March 2015

	Note	2015 R '000	2014 R '000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	22	163,966	134,755
Finance income		6,591	6,674
Finance costs	16	(153,203)	(140,467)
Income tax paid	9	(2,891)	(2,114)
Net cash from operating activites	_	14,464	(1,152)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Decrease/(increase) in non-current trade and other receivables		1,236	17,524
(Decrease)/Increase in non-current loans receivable		(1,924)	1,639
Net cash from investing activites	-	(688)	19,163
Cash flows from financing activities			
Increase in borrowings		1,149	1,415
Net cash from financing activities	-	1,149	1,415
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		14,925	19,426
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		59,953	40,527
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	-	74,878	59,953

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015

1. Summary of significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these statements are set out below, except for the new or revised statements and interpretations implemented during the year. The nature and effect of the changes to the accounting policies are discussed in note 28.

1.1 Basis of preparation and measurement

Statement of compliance

The financial statements of Nqaba Finance 1 (RF) Ltd at and for the year ended 31 March 2015 have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) and the Companies Act of South Africa, 71 of 2008.

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

Basis of measurement

The financial statements are prepared on the historical cost basis except for derivatives held for risk management which are measured at fair value.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed where relevant.

Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (functional currency). The financial statements are presented in South African rand (rounded to the nearest thousands), which is the company's functional and presentation currency.

1.2 Financial instruments

(a) Non-derivative financial instruments

Recognition, measurement and derecognition of financial assets

Non-derivative financial assets comprises of loans receivable, trade and other receivables and cash and cash equivalents.

Cash and cash equivalents comprise balances with local and international banks, monies in call accounts, short-term assets and money market assets with an original maturity of less than 90 days. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities on the statement of financial position.

All non-derivative financial assets are recognised on the date of commitment to purchase (trade date). Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the investments have expired or the group has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership. Realised gains or losses on derecognition are determined using the last-in-last-out (LIFO) method.

Non-derivative financial assets plus any directly attributable transaction costs are recognised initially at fair value. Directly attributable transaction costs related to financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are recognised in profit or loss on initial recognition when incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition, non-derivative financial assets are measured per asset category (as stated below). The appropriate classification of the financial asset is determined at the time of commitment to acquire the financial asset.

Loans and receivables

Trade and other receivables are classified as loans and receivables.

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market, other than:

- those that management intends to sell immediately or in the short term, which are classified as held-for-trading;
- those that upon initial recognition are designated as available-for-sale;
- those for which the group may not recover substantially all of its initial investment, other than because of credit deterioration, which shall be classified as available-for-sale

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015

1.2 Financial instruments (continued)

Trade and other receivables are measured at initial recognition at fair value, and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. Appropriate allowances for estimated irrecoverable amounts are recognised in profit or loss when there is objective evidence that the asset is impaired. Significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation, and default or delinquency in payments (more than 120 days overdue) are considered indicators that the trade receivable is impaired. The allowance recognised is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition.

The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account, and the amount of the loss is recognised in profit or loss within operating expenses. When a trade receivable is uncollectable, it is written off against the allowance account for trade receivables. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against operating expenses in profit or loss.

Subsequent to initial recognition, loans and receivables are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any accumulated impairment losses.

Fair value

Included in the financial trading assets are derivatives held for risk management.

The fair values of trading assets are based on quoted bid prices if available. For assets that are not quoted in an active market, valuation techniques are used. Where pricing models are used, inputs are based on market-related measures at the reporting date. Where discounted cash flow techniques are used, estimated future cash flows are based on management's best estimates and the discount rate is a market-related rate for a financial asset with similar terms and conditions at the reporting date.

The fair value of trade and other receivables for disclosure purposes is estimated as the present value of future cash flows, discounted at the market rate of interest at the reporting date.

Impairment (loans and receivables)

At each reporting date the group assesses all financial assets, other than those at fair value through profit or loss, to determine whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or group of financial assets has been impaired;

- A review for impairment indicators is carried out at each financial year end to determine whether there is any objective
 evidence that a financial asset not carried at fair value through profit or loss is impaired. A financial asset is considered to be
 impaired if objective evidence indicates that one or more events have had a negative effect on the estimated future cash flows
 of that asset. In the case of equity securities classified as available-for-sale, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value
 of the security below its cost or adverse changes in the technological, market, economic environment in which the entity
 operates are considered to be indicators that the securities are impaired.
- An impairment loss in respect of a financial asset measured at amortised cost is calculated as the difference between its carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the original effective interest rate. Individually significant financial assets are tested for impairment on an individual basis. The remaining financial assets are assessed collectively in groups that share similar credit risk characteristics.
- All impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss within net impairment (loss)/reversal.

For amounts due to the group, significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy and default of payments are all considered indicators of impairment.

Impairment losses are reversed when an increase in the financial asset's recoverable amount can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, subject to the restriction that the carrying amount of the financial asset at the date that the impairment is reversed shall not exceed what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not been recognised.

Where an asset has been impaired, the carrying amount of the asset is reduced through an allowance account.

(b) Recognition, measurement and derecognition of financial liabilities

Non-derivative financial liabilities comprise debt securities issued, first loss credit enhancement loans and trade and other payables. Non-derivative financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value plus any directly attributable transaction costs except for financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss.

Directly attributable transaction costs related to liabilities recognised at fair value through profit or loss are recognised in profit or loss on initial recognition when incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition, non-derivative financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost or fair value as per the relevant liability category (as described below).

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015

1.2 Financial instruments (continued)

All non-derivative financial liabilities are recognised on the date of commitment (trade date) and are derecognised when the obligation expires, is discharged or cancelled, or there is a substantial modification to the terms of the liability. Realised gains and losses are determined using the amortised costs.

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (held-for-trading)

An instrument is classified at fair value through profit or loss if it is held-for-trading or is designated as such upon initial recognition. An instrument may only be designated at fair value through profit or loss when certain criteria are met. The company has not elected to designate financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss.

A financial liability is classified as held-for-trading if it is:

- incurred principally for the purpose of selling or repurchasing it in the near term;
- part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that is managed together and for which there is evidence of a recent pattern of short-term profit taking; or
- a derivative instrument.

Subsequent to initial recognition, financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss continue to be measured at fair value.

Financial liabilities at amortised cost

Financial liabilities that are not held-for-trading are classified as financial liabilities at amortised cost. Residential backed mortgage securities, that are not held-for-trading are classified as held at amortised cost. Subsequent to initial recognition, these liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The trade and other payables of the group are classified as financial liabilities at amortised cost.

Fair value

The fair value of financial trading liabilities is based on quoted offer prices. For liabilities that are not quoted in an active market, valuation techniques are used. Where pricing models are used, inputs are based on market related measures at the reporting date. Where discounted cash flow techniques are used, estimated future cash flows are based on management's best estimates and the discount rate is a market-related rate for a financial liability with similar terms and conditions at the reporting date.

(c) Derivative financial instruments

Recognition

A derivative is a financial instrument whose value changes in response to an underlying variable, requires little or no initial investment and is settled at a future date. All derivatives are classified as held-for-trading instruments, unless they meet the criteria for hedge accounting and have been designated for purposes of applying hedge accounting. Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value and remeasured subsequently at fair value. Fair values are obtained from quoted market prices, discounted cash flow models and options pricing models which consider current market and contractual prices for the underlying instruments as well as the time value of money.

All derivative instruments of the company are included in the statement of financial position as derivatives held for risk management. Realised and unrealised gains or losses for derivatives used for economic hedging are recognised in profit or loss within net fair value gain/(loss) on financial instruments within other income or operating expenses.

1.3 Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

1.4 Income tax

Income tax expense comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax expense is recognised in profit or loss except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income, in which case it is recognised in other comprehensive income.

Current tax is expected tax payable on taxable income for the year, using tax rates (and laws) enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015

1.5 Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the statement of financial position. Deferred tax is not accounted for if it arises from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction other than a business combination that at the time of the transaction, affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss. However, deferred tax is provided in respect of the temporary differences arising on the assets. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates (and laws) enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date and that are expected to apply when the related deferred tax asset is realised or the deferred tax liability is settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and reversed if it is no longer probable that the related tax benefits will be realised.

Deferred tax is provided on temporary differences arising on investments in subsidiaries and associates, except where the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference is controlled by the group and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

1.6 Impairment of non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the company's non-financial assets, deferred tax assets and tax assets, are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. Assets that have an indefinite useful life, for example land, are not subject to depreciation or amortisation and are tested annually for impairment. Assets that are subject to depreciation or amortisation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable.

An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (cash-generating units). Non-financial assets that were subject to impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at each reporting date. The impairment (loss)/reversal is recognised in profit or loss within net impairment (loss)/reversal.

1.7 Interest income and interest expense

Interest income comprises interest receivable on loans receivable and trade and other receivables. Interest income is recognised as it accrues in profit or loss, using the effective interest method.

Interest expense comprises of interest payable on debt securities issued.

The company recognises revenue when the amount of revenue can be reliably measured, it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the entity and specific criteria have been met for each of the company's activities as described below. The company bases its estimates on historical results, taking into consideration the type of customer, the type of transaction and the specifics of each arrangement.

Other income

Other income is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership are transferred to the buyer and the amount of revenue can be measured reliably.

Other income comprises commission income, rentals on repossessed property and income from financial market investments. Interest income earned on swap diferrential is recognised as it accrues in profit or loss using the effective interest method.

1.8 Finance income

Finance income comprises interest received on cash and cash equivalents.

1.9 Finance expense

Finance expense comprises interest payable on debt securities issued.

1.10 Related-party transactions

IAS 24 Related party disclosures provide government related entities an exemption which eliminates the requirements to disclose the related party transactions and outstanding balances, including commitments.

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1.11 Loans receivable

EFC primarily extends home loans to employees of the Eskom group and the Eskom Pension and Provident Fund. EFC's loan book comprises both fixed and variable rate loans. The rates applicable to fixed rate loans are based on market rates at the date of disbursement and remain fixed for the full term of the loan. Variable interest rates are determined and adjusted from time to time taking into account the current market conditions. The unsecured loans comprise of micro loans and are only secured by compulsory credit life insurance policies. The personal home loans are fully guaranteed by the individual's employer.

1.12 Properties in posession

Properties in possession are recognised initially at the lower of fair value of the property or outstanding balance. Properties in possession are subsequently measured at the lower of fair value of the property or the initially recognised value. Valuations are performed semi-annually by independent assessors.

2. Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements, are disclosed in note 3.

Estimates and judgements are evaluated continually and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The company makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are recognised in the period in which they are revised and future periods they affect.

(a) Impairment provisions

EFC assesses the impact on impairment of the loan book based on loan loss history and underlying current economic conditions. This is done periodically to assess the potential loan loss provision.

Valuation

The value of the impairment is determined by assessing risk categories per loan class and applying loan loss history ratio into the loan balance. The assumptions used are:

- High risk loans
- Debt reviews
- Legal actions
- Insolvent
- Under-administration
- Ill health retirement
- Deceased
- Pension
- Third party attachments
- Last payment date > 3 months

(b) Derivatives

EFC has entered into interest rate swaps transaction to hedge against interest rate variability of the issued fixed rate notes. The swaps are linked to the main debt from the secure note holders.

Valuation

The fair value of these swaps is determined by using interest rate differentials and the forecasted cash flow is determined and then discounted at the relevant interest rate curve. This will represent the value of cash flows which would have occurred if the rights and obligations arising from those instruments were closed out in the market place at a reporting date.

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3. Financial risk management

The company has an integrated risk management framework.

The company has an integrated risk management framework. The company's approach to risk management is based on risk governance structures, risk management policies, risk identification, measurement and reporting. Three types of risks are reported as part of the risk profile, namely operational, strategic and business continuity risks. Operational risks are events, hazards, variances or opportunities which could influence the achievement of Nqaba's compliance and operational objectives. For Nqaba, a strategic risk is a significant unexpected or unpredictable change or outcome beyond what was factored in to the organisation's strategy and business model which could have an impact on the company's performance. Business continuity risks are those events, hazards, variances and opportunities which could influence the continuity of Nqaba. The financial risks, as defined by IFRS 7 Financial instruments: disclosures, and the management there of, form part of this key risk area.

The Board of Directors (the board) has delegated the management of enterprise wide risk to the audit and risk management committee which operates through various sub committees. One of the committee's objectives is to ensure that the company is not unduly exposed to financial risks. Most of the financial risks arising from financial instruments are managed in the finance function of Eskom Finance Company SOC Limited (EFC).

The company's exposure to risk, its objectives, policies and processes for managing the risk and the methods used to measure it have been consistently applied in the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

The company has exposure to the following risks as a result of its financial instruments:

- credit risk (refer to note 3.1)
- market rate risk (refer to note 3.2)
- liquidity risk (refer to note 3.3)

3.1 Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the company if a customer or other counter party (including financial institutions) to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations. Credit risk arises primarily from mortgage loan advances and related services in the ordinary course of business and financial instruments managed in the finance activities. Credit risk includes counterparty risk and delivery or settlement risk.

Counter party risk is the risk that a counter party is unable to meet its financial and/ or contractual obligations during the period of a transaction. Delivery or settlement risk is the risk that a counter party does not deliver on its contractual commitment on maturity date (including the settlement of money and delivery of securities).

Trade receivables comprise a widespread customer base. Management evaluated credit risk relating to customers on an ongoing basis. If customers are independently rated, these ratings are used. Otherwise, if there is no independent rating, risk control assesses the credit quality of the customer, taking into account its financial position, past experience and other factors. Individual risk limits are set based on internal or external ratings in accordance with limits set by the board.

Nqaba purchases eligible home loans originated by EFC to staff employed by the Eskom group. Policies that govern credit risk are in place. These policies require that various criteria around valuation, affordability and credit history are met, in compliance with the National Credit Act, prior to the approval of a loan. Credit risk is the risk that an asset, in the form of a monetary claim against a counter party, may not result in a cash receipt (or equivalent) in accordance with the terms of the contract. Credit risk in the company arises from various forms of lending. Financial assets, which potentially subject the company to concentrations of high credit risk, consist primarily of mortgage advances. Loans and advances are presented net of impairment provisions. The company register mortgage bonds as security against advances.

Advances exceeding 80% of the property market value are guaranteed by Eskom and its subsidiaries. The fair value of this guarantee approximates R92 million (2014: R79 million).

The amounts advanced are secured by first mortgages on the property purchased and are repayable over an average period of 27 years. The risk of default by the employee is reduced as the monthly instalments are deducted from the employee's salary. Credit risk of Eskom group employees are re-assessed when they leave Eskom's service. These exemployees may arrange for a monthly debit order or make over-the-counter deposits to settle the monthly instalment.

2014

2015

The weighted average current loan-to-value ratio of the home loan book at 31 March 2015 was:

	2010	2014
Weighted average current loan to value ratio (%)	65.69%	60.46%
The average loan amount in relation to the total home loan book value at 31 March was:		
Average loan amount - Home loans	235,775	223,865
Loan amount as a percentage of the loan book (%)	0.012%	0.012%

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3. Risk management (continued)

Management of credit risk

Financial instruments managed by the treasury function

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents and derivatives held for risk management. Processes are in place to identify, measure, monitor, control and report credit risk. The objective of Eskom's credit risk management framework is firstly to protect cash and investments and, secondly to project and maximise the rate of return of financial market investments.

(a) Credit exposure

The carrying amount of financial assets represents the maximum credit exposure at the reporting date (refer to note 5, 7, 8 and 9).

The following table represents an analysis per credit rating level (as determined by rating agencies) of the credit risk of financial assets, as indicated.

15	Cash and cash equivalent R '000	Derivatives held for risk management R '000	Loans receivable R '000	Trade and other receivables R '000
	74,878	6,045	-	-
	-	-	1,906,049	15,157
	74,878	6,045	1,906,049	15,157
	59,953	2,475	-	-
	-	-	1,903,682	17,880
	59,953	2,475	1,903,682	17,880

No credit limits were exceeded during the reporting period, nor does management expect any losses from non-performance by these counterparties.

The maximum exposure to credit risk for mortgage advances and trade and other receivables per class was:

	2015	2014
	R '000	R '000
Loans and advances		
Home loans	1,906,049	1,903,682
	1,906,049	1,903,682
Other receivables		
Sundry receivables	15,157	17,880
	15,157	17,880

	Carrying	Not past due	0 - 30 days	31 - 60 days	>60 days
	amount R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000
2015					
Collectively assesssed for impairment					
Home loans	1,910,252	1,873,169	12,892	5,633	18,558
Impairment					
Home loans	(4,203)	(2,035)	(166)	(72)	(1,930)
	1,906,049	1,871,134	12,726	5,561	16,628

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3. Risk management (continued)

			Days past due	
Carrying	Not past due	0 - 30 days	31 - 60 days	>60 days
amount R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000
1,909,378	1,863,739	12,083	8,479	25,077
(5,697)	(5,596)	(27)	(20)	(53)
1,903,682	1,858,143	12,056	8,459	25,024
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Mortgage advances include an amount of R21 million (2014: R40 million) relating to receivables that were renegotiated. These mortgage advances would have been past due had their terms not been renegotiated.

Allowance for impairment

The movement in the allowance for impairment in respect of properties in possession, trade and other receivables during the year is as follows:

	2015	2014
	R '000	R '000
Balance at the beginning of the year	6,200	5,943
Impairment loss (reversal) recognised	(1,800)	257
Balance at the end of the year	4,400	6,200
Comprising:		
Home loans	4,203	5,696
Property in possession	197	504
	4,400	6,200

Nqaba establishes an allowance for impairment that represents its estimate of incurred losses in respect of trade and other receivables. This allowance consisits of a specific loss component that relates to individual exposure, and a collective loss component established for groups of similar customers in respect of losses that have been incurred but not yet identified.

3.2 Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates, commodity prices, interest rates and equity prices.

Market risk is the potential impact on earnings of unfavourable changes in interest rates, prices, market volatilities and liquidity. Eskom Treasury monitors, analyses and reports market risk to EFC's Finance Committee. The board implemented a funding strategy that aims to protect the company from major interest rate changes and liquidity challenges.

Market risk exposures for funding activities are measured using sensitivity analysis. The current sensitivity analysis measures the impact on net profit of specified movements in interest rates.

Loans receivable

Market risks in respect of loans receivable arise from changes in interest rates and market prices. Market risk is monitored and analysed through the treasury department and reported to the EFC Finance committee. A strategy aimed at protecting the company from changes in market risk that may have a negative impact on earnings has been implemented. The cost of funding is based on prevailing conditions in the South African money market. Rates charged on outstanding loan receivables are based on movements in the South African Reserve Bank repurchase rate.

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the company's financial position may be adversely affected as a result of changes in interest rate levels, yield curves and spreads

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3. Risk management (continued)

The company's interest rate risk arises mainly from debt securities issued. Debt securities issued at variable rates expose the company to cash flow interest rate risk. Debt securities issued at fixed rates expose the company to fair value interest rate risk. During increasing and decreasing interest rate market conditions the interest rate risk management strategy followed was to re-price assets in conjunction with the repo rate increases and decreases.

Sensitivity Analysis

The company analyses its interest rate exposure on a dynamic basis by conducting a sensitivity analysis. This involves determining the impact on profit or loss of defined interest rate shifts. For each simulation, the same interest rate shift is used for all currencies.

The sensitivity analysis for interest rate risk assumes that all other variables, in particular foreign exchange rates, remain constant. The calculation excludes borrowing costs capitalised in terms of the company's accounting policy. The analysis relates to variablerate instruments and has been performed on the same basis as the prior year.

The simulation is performed on a monthly basis to verify that the maximum loss potential is within the limit set by management. The results of the simulation are included in the table below.

	2015	2015	2014	2014
	+100 basis	-100 basis	+100 basis	-100 basis
	point	point	point	point
	R' 000	R' 000	R' 000	R' 000
Effect on Profit/ (Loss) Rand interest rate	3,251	(3,251)	3,093	(3,093)

The company has elected not to hedge interest risk and therefore there would be no impact on equity.

3.3 Liquidity risk

Prudent liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash and marketable securities, the availability of funding through an adequate amount of committed credit facilities and the ability to close out market positions. Borrowings are of a revolving nature and are expected to be refinanced with new loans raised in the market upon repayment date.

The company's risk to liquidity is a result of the funds available to cover future commitments. The company manages liquidity risk through an ongoing review of future commitments and credit facilities.

Liquidity risk is the risk that the company will not have sufficient financial resources to meet its obligations when they fall due, or will have to do so at excessive cost. This risk can arise from mismatches in the timing of cash flows from revenue and capital and operational out flows. Nqaba is an evergreen structure where notes issued have a final legal maturity of 30 years and a scheduled maturity of up to 7 years.

In the event that notes are not refinanced on the scheduled maturity date, notes will start amortising from principal collections on the pool of assets plus the excess margin in the priority of payments.

In this instance the note will be termed a "matured note" and will not constitute an early amortisation event or an event of default.

On each payment date after the scheduled maturity date, the Issuer will partially redeem each matured note in reducing order of rank in accordance with the revolving reriod priority of payments.

The transaction remains in the revolving period but no new loans will be purchased until the matured notes are redeemed in full.

The Issuer has the option to redeem all the matured notes on any payment date after the scheduled maturity at the outstanding principal and accrued interest by giving not less than 20 days' notice to the note holders and Nqaba Finance 1 Security SPV (RF) (Pty) Ltd.

The objective of the company's liquidity and funding management is to ensure that all foreseeable operational and loan commitment expenditure can be met under both normal and stressed conditions. The company has adopted an overall statement of financial position approach, which consolidates all sources and uses of liquidity, while aiming to maintain a balance between liquidity, profitability and interest rate considerations.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015

3. Risk management (continued)

Contractual cash flows

The management of consolidated liquidity and funding risk is centralised in the finance department in accordance with practices and limits set by the board. The company's liquidity and funding management process includes:

- projecting cash flows and considering the cash required by the company and optimising the short-term liquidity as well as the long-term funding;
- monitoring financial position liquidity ratios;
- maintaining a diverse range of funding sources with adequate back-up facilities;
- managing the concentration and profile of debt maturities;
- actively managing the funding risk by evaluating optimal entry points into the various markets per the official funding plan and
- maintaining liquidity and funding contingency plans

Primary sources of funding and unused facilities

The primary sources to meet liquidity requirements are cash generated from operations, cash inflows from maturing financial assets purchased.

The table below indicates the contractual undiscounted cash flows of the company's financial assets and liabilities on the basis of their earliest possible contractual maturity. The undiscounted cash flows in respect of the company's financial assets are presented net of impairment losses and include estimates where there are no contractual repayment terms or the receivable is past due. The cash flows of the company's financial liabilities are indicated on a gross undiscounted basis.

The cash flows for derivatives are presented as gross inflows and out flows even though physically they are settled simultaneously. Contractual cash flows are a function of forward exchange rates and forward interest rates and is a point in time calculation that is impacted by market conditions at that time.

The table contains only cash flows relating to financial instruments. It does not include future cash flows expected from the normal course of business.

	Car	rying amount			Cash flows			
	Non-current R' 000	Current R' 000	Total R' 000	Nominal inflow or outflow R' 000	0 - 3 months R' 000	4 - 12 months R' 000	1 - 5 years R' 000	More than 5 years R' 000
2015 Financial assets								
Loans receivable Derivatives held for risk	1,904,763	1,286	1,906,049	1,906,049	60,227	180,223	929,013	2,767,835
management Trade and other	3,576	2,469	6,045	6,045	700	1,769	3,517	59
receivables	-	15,157	15,157	15,157	15,157	-	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents	-	74,878	74,878	74,878	74,878	-	-	-
	1,908,339	93,790	2,002,129	2,002,129	150,962	181,992	932,530	2,767,894
Financial liabilities								
Debt securities issued First loss credit	1,344,000	329,559	1,673,559	1,673,559	329,559	-	1,208,000	136,000
enhancement loan	-	293,269	293,269	293,269	293,269	-	-	-
Trade and other payables	-	712	712	712	712	-	-	-
	1,344,000	623,540	1,967,540	1,967,540	623,540	-	1,208,000	136,000
Liquidity gap	564,339	(529,750)	34,589	34,589	(472,578)	181,992	(275,470)	2,631,894

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3. Risk management (continued)

	Car	rying amount						
	Non-current R' 000	Current R' 000	Total R' 000	Nominal inflow or outflow R' 000	0 - 3 months R' 000	4 - 12 months R' 000	1 - 5 years R' 000	More than 5 years R' 000
2014 Financial assets								
Loans receivable	1,902,913	769	1,903,682	1,903,682	106	663	49,842	1,853,071
Derivatives held for risk management Trade and other	-	2,708	2,708	2,708	824	1,884	-	-
receivables Cash and cash	-	17,880	17,880	17,880	17,880	-	-	-
equivalents	-	59,953	59,953	59,953	59,953	-	-	-
	1,902,913	81,310	1,984,223	1,984,223	78,763	2,547	49,842	1,853,071
Financial liabilities								
Debt securities issued	1,278,000	394,619	1,672,619	1,672,619	394,619	-	1,242,000	136,000
First loss credit enhancement loan	-	293,060	293,060	293,060	293,060	-	-	-
Derivatives held for risk management	233	-	233	233	-	-	233	-
Trade and other payables	-	1,248	1,248	1,248	1,248	-	-	-
	1,278,233	688,927	1,967,160	1,967,160	688,927	-	1,242,233	136,000
Liquidity gap	624,680	(607,617)	17,063	17,063	(610,164)	2,547	(1,192,391)	1,717,071

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3. Risk management (continued)

Accounting classifications and fair value

The company has applied IFRS 13 Fair value measurement in considering the measurement of fair value where applicable. A number of the company's accounting policies and disclosures require the measurement of fair values for both financial assets and financial liabilities.

The classification of each class of financial assets and liabilities, and their fair values are:

	Held for trading	Loans and receivables	Liabilities at amortised cost	Total carrying amount	Fair value
	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000
2015					
Financial assets					
Non-current					
Loans receivable	-	1,904,763	-	1,904,763	1,774,915
Derivatives held for risk management	3,576	-	-	3,576	3,576
	3,576	1,904,763	-	1,908,339	1,778,491
Current					
Loans receivable	-	1,286	-	1,286	718
Derivatives held for risk management	2,469	-	-	2,469	2,469
Trade and other receivables	-	15,157	-	15,157	15,157
Cash and cash equivalents	-	74,878	-	74,878	74,878
	2,469	91,321	-	93,790	93,222
Total financial assets	6,045	1,996,084	-	2,002,129	1,871,713
Financial liabilities					
Non-current					
Debt securities issued	-	-	1,344,000	1,344,000	1,344,000
Derivatives held for risk management	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	1,344,000	1,344,000	1,344,000
Current					
Debt securities issued	-	-	329,559	329,559	329,559
First loss credit enhancement loan	-	-	293,269	293,269	293,269
Derivatives held for risk management	-	-	-	-	-
Trade and other payables	-	-	712	712	712
	-	-	623,540	623,540	623,540
Total financial liabilities	-	-	1,967,540	1,967,540	1,967,540

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3. Risk management (continued)

	Held for trading	Loans and receivables	Liabilities at amortised cost	Total carrying amount	Fair value
	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000
2014					
Financial assets					
Non-current					
Loans receivable	-	1,902,913	-	1,902,913	1,766,868
Derivatives held for risk management	-	-	-	-	-
	-	1,902,913	-	1,902,913	1,766,868
Current					
Loans receivable	-	769	-	769	769
Derivatives held for risk management	2,708	-	-	2,708	2,708
Trade and other receivables	-	17,880	-	17,880	17,880
Cash and cash equivalents	-	59,953	-	59,953	59,953
	2,708	78,602	-	81,310	81,310
Total financial assets	2,708	1,981,515	-	1,984,223	1,848,178
Financial liabilities					
Non-current					
Debt securities issued	-	-	1,278,000	1,278,000	1,278,000
Derivatives held for risk management	233	-	-	233	233
	233	-	1,278,000	1,278,233	1,278,233
Current			~~ ~ ~ ~ ~	~~ / ~ / ~	
Debt securities issued	-	-	394,619	394,619	394,619
First loss credit enhancement loan	-	-	293,060	293,060	293,060
Derivatives held for risk management	-	-	-	-	-
Trade and other payables	-	-	1,248	1,248	1,248
	-	-	688,927	688,927	688,927
Total financial liabilities	233	-	1,966,927	1,967,160	1,967,160

Collateral obtained

Nqaba Finance 1 (RF) Limited took possession of properties from debtors who have defaulted on their accounts. The carrying amount of the mortgage bonds which were called upon is R0.2 million (2014: R0.4 million).

Fair value hierarchy

The table below analyses fair value measurements for financial assets and financial liabilities. These fair value measurements are categorised into the different levels in the fair value hierarchy based on the inputs to the valuation techniques used. Other than the application of IFRS 13 there has been no change in the valuation technique applied. The hierarchy levels are defined as follows:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e as prices) or indirectly (i.e derived from prices). These quotes are tested for reasonableness by discounting expected future cash flows using a market interest rate for a similar instrument at the measurement date. Fair values reflect the credit risk of the instruments and include adjustments for the credit risk of the group entity and counterparty when appropriate.

Level 3: Inputs for the financial asset or financial liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

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3. Risk management (continued)

The group recognises transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period during which the transfer has occurred.

The valuation techniques used are as follows:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets

Nqaba has no items fair valued using quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets

Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable

Nqaba has items which are fair valued using inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability.

Level 3: Inputs not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs)

Nqaba has no items fair valued using inputs not based on observable market data.

		Fair value	
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
2015	R '000	R '000	R '000
Assets measured at fair value			
Derivatives held for risk management			
Interest rate swaps	-	6,045	-
	-	6,045	-
Assets not measured at fair value			
Loans receivables			
Residential mortgage backed securities	-	1,775,633	-
Trade and other receivables	-	15,157	-
Cash and cash equivalents	-	74,878	-
	-	1,865,668	-
Liabilities measured at fair value			
Derivatives held for risk management			
Interest rate swaps	-	-	-
	-	-	-
Liabilities not measured at fair value			
Debt securities issued			
Commercial paper	-	1,673,559	-
First loss credit enhancement loan			
Subordinated loan	-	293,269	-
Trade and other payables	-	712	-
	-	1,967,540	-

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3. Risk management (continued)

		Fair value	
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
2014	R '000	R '000	R '000
Assets measured at fair value			
Derivatives held for risk management			
Interest rate swaps	-	2,708	-
	-	2,708	-
Assets not measured at fair value			
Loans receivables			
Residential mortgage backed securities	-	1,903,682	-
Trade and other receivables	-	17,880	-
Cash and cash equivalents	-	59,953	-
	-	1,981,515	-
Liabilities measured at fair value			
Derivatives held for risk management			
Interest rate swaps	-	233	-
	-	233	-
Liabilities not measured at fair value			
Debt securities issued			
Commercial paper	-	1,672,619	-
First loss credit enhancement loan			
Subordinated loan	-	293,060	-
Trade and other payables	-	1,248	-
	-	1,966,927	-

Valuation techniques

Interest rate swaps

The fair value of the swaps is determined by using interest rate differentials and the forecasted cash flow is determined and then discounted at the relevant interest rate curve. This will represent the value of cash flows which would have occurred if the rights and obligations arising from those instruments were closed out in the market place at a reporting date.

Residential mortgage backed securities

The fair value of these instruments is determined by using risk profiles of those asset classes categorised into:

- Current mortgage loans
- Current ex-employee mortgage loans
- Vacant land
- High risk mortgage loans
- Personal housing loans
- Current personal and micro loans
- High risk current personal and micro loans

Debt securities issued

Fair values for debt securities are determined using a discounted cash flow technique, which uses expected cash flows and a market-related discount rate.

Borrowings

Fair values for borrowings are determined using a discounted cash flow technique, which uses expected cash flows and a market-related discount rate.

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		2015 R '000	2014 R '000
4.	Properties in possession		
	Gross	892	2,129
	Impairments	(197)	(504)
	-	695	1,625
5.	Loans receivable		
	Secured by mortgage	1,906,049	1,903,682
	-	1,906,049	1,903,682
	Maturity analysis		
	Non-current	1,904,763	1,902,913
	Current	1,286	769
		1,906,049	1,903,682
	The loans receivable are split into non-current and current based on the maturity dates of the loans.		
		2015	2014
6.	Deferred tax	R '000	R '000
	Deferred tax assets (liabilities)		
	Balance at the beginning of the year	4,337	1,248
	Recognised in profit or loss	(4,413)	3,089
		(76)	4,337
	Reconciliation of deferred tax asset/(liability)		
	Balance at beginning of year	4,337	1,248
	Doubtful debts allowances S11(j)	126	3,089
	Originating differences on provisions	(504)	-
	Reversing differences on fair value swaps	(4,035)	-
	-	(76)	4,337

Recognition of deferred tax asset / (liability)

An entity shall disclose the amount of deferred tax asset and the nature of the evidence supporting its recognition, when:

- the utilisation of deferred tax asset is dependent on future taxable profits in excess of the profits arising from the reversal of existing temporary differences; and
- the entity has suffered a loss in either the current or preceding period in the tax jurisdiction to which the deferred tax asset relates.

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7. Derivatives held for risk management		2015			2014	
	Assets	Liabilities	Notional amount	Assets	Liabilities	Notional amount
	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000	R '000
Interest rate derivatives						
Interest rate swaps	6,045	-	6,045	2,708	(233)	2,475
	6,045	-	6,045	2,708	(233)	2,475
Reconciliation						
Derivatives held for risk management						
Balance at the beginning of the year	2,708	(233)	2,475	13,313	-	13,313
Charged to profit or loss	3,570	-	3,570	(10,605)	(233)	(10,838)
—	6,278	(233)	6,045	2,708	(233)	2,475
Maturity analysis						
Non-current	3,576	-	3,576	-	(233)	(233)
Current	2,469	-	2,469	2,708	-	2,708
-	6,045	-	6,045	2,708	(233)	2,475

Interest rate swaps are used to hedge the interest expense variability of the issued fixed rate notes issued on 22 May 2010. No hedge accounting is applied. The interest rate swaps are linked to the main debt from the secured note holders. Quarterly payments or receipts are based on the difference between the Johannesburg Interbank Agreed Rate plus an agreed fixed interest spread and the fixed rate of the swap agreement.

The fair value of a derivative represents the value of cashflows (either positive or negative) which would have occurred if the rights and obligation arising from those instruments were closed out in the market place at year end.

The interest differential earned during the year on this swap agreement was R3.6 million (2014: R4.2 million).

8. Trade and other receivables

		2015 R '000	2014 R '000
	Gross	15,157	17,880
	Impairment	-	-
		15,157	17,880
9.	Income tax paid		
	Balance at the beginning of the year	4,775	6,446
	Current tax for the year recognised in profit or loss	(1,044)	(3,785)
	Balance at the end of the year	(6,622)	(4,775)
		(2,891)	(2,114)
10.	Cash and cash equivalents		
	Bank balances	74,878	59,953
11.	Share capital		
	Authorised		
	1000 Ordinary shares of R1 each	-	-
	100 Cumulative redeemable preference shares of R0.01 each	-	-
	Issued		
	100 Ordinary shares of R1 each	-	-
	100 Cumulative redeemable preference shares of R0.01 each	-	-

The un-issued ordinary shares are under the control of the directors of the company

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12. Debt securities issued	2015 R '000	2014 R '000
Commercial paper	1,673,559	1,672,619
Maturity analysis		
Non-current	1,344,000	1,278,000
Current	329,559	394,619
	1,673,559	1,672,619

Notes	Currency	Intere	st rate	Maturity date	Nominal		Carrying value	
		2015	2014		2015	2014	2015	2014
		%	%		R' 000	R' 000	R' 000	R' 000
Floating rate notes								
Class A12	ZAR	-	6.69	May-14	-	318,000	-	320,105
Class B11	ZAR	-	7.03	May-14	-	32,000	-	32,222
Class C11	ZAR	-	7.43	May-14	-	32,000	-	32,235
Class A15	ZAR	7.01	6.59	May-15	303,000	303,000	305,171	304,977
Class B14	ZAR	7.20	6.78	May-15	8,000	8,000	8,059	8,054
Class C14	ZAR	7.55	7.13	May-15	5,000	5,000	6,050	6,047
Class A11	ZAR	7.35	6.93	May-16	205,000	205,000	206,532	206,406
Class D6	ZAR	8.74	8.32	May-16	24,000	24,000	24,213	24,197
Class A16	ZAR	6.95	6.53	May-16	200,000	200,000	201,414	201,292
Class A18	ZAR	7.05	6.69	May-17	318,000	-	320,272	-
Class B16	ZAR	7.25	7.03	May-17	32,000	-	32,235	-
Class C16	ZAR	7.50	7.43	May-17	32,000	-	32,243	-
Class A17	ZAR	7.20	6.78	May-18	302,000	302,000	304,211	304,026
Class B15	ZAR	7.35	6.93	May-18	40,000	40,000	40,299	40,274
Class C15	ZAR	7.45	7.03	May-18	25,000	25,000	25,189	25,174
Class D7	ZAR	7.65	7.23	May-18	30,000	30,000	30,233	30,214
Class D5	ZAR	9.35	8.93	May-20	5,000	5,000	5,048	5,044
Fixed rate notes								
Class A10	ZAR	10.44	10.44	May-20	115,000	115,000	116,216	116,184
Class B10	ZAR	10.64	10.64	May-20	11,000	11,000	11,119	11,115
Class C10	ZAR	10.84	10.84	May-20	5,000	5,000	5,055	5,053
				-	1,660,000	1,660,000	1,673,559	1,672,619

During the period, there were no loans overdue.

Class A11, A12, A15, A16, A17, A18, B11, B14, B15, B16, C11, C14, C15, C16, D5, D6 and D7 are Secured floating rate notes

Interest on the notes is payable at an annual rate equal to the sum of the Johannesburg Interbank Agreed Rate ("JIBAR") for 3 Months Rand deposits plus a margin of:

- 1.25% per annum in relation to Class A11 Notes;
- 1.01% per annum in relation to Class A12 Notes;
- 0.91% per annum in relation to Class A15 Notes;
- 0.85% per annum in relation to Class A16 Notes;
- 1.10% per annum in relation to Class A17 Notes;
- 0.95% per annum in relation to Class A18 Notes;
- 1.35% per annum in relation to Class B11 Notes;
- 1.10% per annum in relation to Class B14 Notes;
- 1.25% per annum in relation to Class B15 Notes;
- 1.15% per annum in relation to Class B16 Notes;
- 1.75% per annum in relation to Class C11 Notes;
- 1.45% per annum in relation to Class C14 Notes;
- 1.35% per annum in relation to Class C15 Notes;
- 1.40% per annum in relation to Class C16 Notes;
- 3.25% per annum in relation to Class D5 Notes;
- 2.64% per annum in relation to Class D6 Notes; and
- 1.55% per annum in relation to Class D7 Notes;

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12. Debt securities issued (continued)

Class A10, B10 and C10 are Secured fixed rate notes

The fixed interest rate of these notes were:

- 10.435% per annum in relation to Class A10 Notes;
- 10.635% per annum in relation to Class B10 Notes; and
- 10.835% per annum in relation to Class D10 Notes;

The interest rate swap agreement rates applicable to these notes are:

- 2.100% per annum in relation to Class A10 Notes;
- 2.300% per annum in relation to Class B10 Notes; and
- 2.500% per annum in relation to Class C10 Notes;

Interest is payable quarterly on the 22nd day of February, May, August and November or if the 22nd is not a business day, the next business day.

Interest payable on each class of notes will occur in descending order of rank and with notes of equal rank being paid parri passu, until the interest due and payable in respect of each such class of notes has been paid in full.

The Notes are solely the obligations of Nqaba and are neither the obligations of, nor the responsibility of and nor are they guaranteed by EFC.

Loan covenants and triggers

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Loan covenants and triggers are standardised and are monitored on an on-going basis with formal testing reported to the board. During the year, the Arrears Reserve trigger breached its trigger level of 1.5%. The consequence is a cash provision in the priority of payments. The Issuer (Nqaba) must pay the Arrears Reserve Required Amount, being R2.8mil into the Arrears Reserve, in accordance with the Programme Memorandum

The company continues to comply with all borrowing obligations and financial covenants. All financial covenants have been tested and complied with as at 31 March 2015

	2015	2014
13. First loss credit enhancement loan	R '000	R '000
Subordinated loan - Eskom Finance Company SOC Limited	290,000	290,000
Accrued interest	3,269	3,060
	293,269	293,060

The aggregate principal amount of the subordinated loan is R290 million and shall be used by the Issuer solely to:

- fund a portion of the purchase price of home loans; and
- to repay, on any scheduled maturity date, the refinanced notes and any subordinated loan associated with the refinanced notes

The First Loss Credit Enhancement Loan or such balance as shall remain outstanding from time to time, bears interest at 3 month JIBAR plus 5.0%. Although interest accrues on a daily basis, it only becomes owing in respect of each Interest Period to the extent that the notional amount of net income accrued to Nqaba, after taking account of all other income and expenses, exceeds the interest to be accrued, Nqaba shall not incur any obligation, then or at any later date, to pay such excess.

Any interest which is owing is payable by Nqaba in arrears on each Interest Payment Date, provided that the payment is made in accordance with the Priority of Payments.

14. Trade and other payables

Accruals	712	1,248
Maturity analysis Current	712	1,248
15. Interest income Interest revenue	167,269	155,016
16. Finance expense Interest paid on borrowings	153,203	140,467

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17.	Other income	2015 R '000	2014 R '000
	Swaps received	3,151	4,216
	Call account - ABSA Bank Limited	3,440	2,458
		6,591	6,674
18.	Net impairment loss		
	Impairment charge / (reversal)	(1,800)	257
	Loan losses	1,051	2,063
		(749)	2,320
10	Net foir value gain (loco) on financial instrumente		
19.	Net fair value gain (loss) on financial instruments Interest rate swaps	3,570	(10,838)
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		3,570	(10,838)
20.	Other operating expenses		
	Auditors fees	330	336
	Management fees	571	570
	Servicer fees	3,272	3,284
	Liquidity facility fee	42	42
	Redraw facility fees	479	474
	Back up servicer fees JSE fixed fee	191 53	192
	JSE fixed fee	53	53 56
	Owner trustee fee	170	167
	Rating fee	245	245
	National credit regulator fee	87	88
	Credit ombudman	50	57
	Strate fixed fee	-	16
		5,490	5,580
21.	Taxation		
	Major components of tax expense		
	Income tax	1,044	3,785
	Deferred tax	4,413	(3,089)
	Total income tax in profit or loss	5,457	696
	Reconciliation of tax expense		
	Taxation as a percentage of profit before tax	28.00%	28.00%
	Taxation effect of:		
	Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	0.00%	0.00%
	Other	0.00%	0.00%
	Standard tax rate	28.00%	28.00%
22	Cash generated from operations		
22.	Profit before taxation	19,486	2,485
	Adjustments for:		
	Irrecoverable advances written off	1,051	-
	Finance income	(6,591)	(6,674)
	Finance costs	153,203	140,467
	Net impairment loss (excluding bad debts recovered)	(1,800)	2,320
	Net fair value (gain)/loss on financial instruments	(3,570)	10,838
	Changes in working capital:		
	Increase/(decrease) in trade and other receivables	2,723	6,170
	(Increase)/decrease in trade and other payables	(536)	(20,851)
		163,966	134,755

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23. Commitments

	2015	2014
	R '000	R '000
Nqaba further loans approved but not yet paid out		
Loans and advances	380,916	384,338

These commitments will be financed by operations or a redraw facility.

24. Guarantees and contigent liabilities

Legal claims

There were no legal claims against the company for the period under review.

25. Related parties

Related party transactions with Eskom Finance Company SOC Limited

Eskom Finance Company (Pty) Limited (EFC) is a related party as Nqaba is a Structured entity, established to securitise residential mortgage backed advances originated by EFC and is the appointed service provider to Nqaba. The following transactions took place between EFC and Nqaba.

Financing

A Credit Enhancement loan has been provided by EFC, details of which are set out in note 13 above. Total interest on this loan during the period amounted to R31.8 million (2014: R29.6 million).

Servicing fees

EFC is the appointed servicing agent to Nqaba.

EFC has been appointed under the servicing agreement as agent for Nqaba, to administer the pool of mortgage advances, including the collection of payments, arrears and foreclosure procedures.

EFC is entitled to charge fees for its services under the servicing agreement which are payable on each interest payment date. Such fees are limited to an amount equal to 0.15% per annum of the average principal balance of the home loan pool during the immediately preceding collection period.

Management fees

ABSA Corporate and Investment bank has been appointed under the terms of a Management Agreement as agent for Nqaba to advise Nqaba in relation to the management of the Programme. A management fee is charged and accordingly becomes due in respect of each interest period only to the extent that, on any interest payment date, cash is available for the payment of such fee in accordance with the Priority of Payments. In the event that insufficient cash is available for payment of all or part of any management fee, EFC incurs no obligation to pay that portion of the management fee in respect of which no cash is available.

Related party balances	2015 R '000	2014 R '000
Payables and amounts owed to related parties	K 000	K 000
First loss credit enhancement loan	290,000	290,000
Interest payable on first loss credit enhancement loan	3,269	3,060
Servicing fees	299	291
	293,568	293,351
Transactions		
Purchases of goods and services		
Servicing fees	3,272	3,284
Finance cost		
Eskom Finance Company SOC Limited	31,798	29,566

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25. Related parties (continued)

Other related party transactions

These transactions comprise those entered into with Maitland Trustees Proprietary Limited, the trustee of the Issuer and of Nqaba Finance1 Security SPV (RF) Proprietary Limited and relates to Trustee fees paid during the period and owed to the Trustees at the end of the period.

	2015	2014
	R '000	R '000
Transactions		
Purchases of goods and services	-	-
Owner trustee fees	170	167
Outstanding balances (due to related parties)		
Payables and amounts owed to related parties	-	-
Owner trustee fees	-	-
	-	-
Outstanding balances (due by related parties)		
Payables and amounts owed by related parties	-	-
Owner trustee fees	20	2
	20	2

26. Significant events

The Residential Mortgaged Backed Securities in note 12 of these financial statements, scheduled for maturity on 22 May 2015, are scheduled to be re-financed on 22 May 2015. None of the notes became a "matured note" as defined in note 2 of these financial statements.

The Eskom board of directors is currently in the process of developing a project plan and strategy for the disposal of EFC in terms of a directive from the Department of Public Enterprises. An estimation of the financial effect of this event cannot be determined at the date of these annual financial statements.

27. Directors' emoluments

The directors do not receive individual remuneration from the company. Due to the nature of the securitisation structure Maitland Trustees Proprietary Limited (Maitland) acts as Trustees of the Issuer and of Nqaba Finance 1 Security SPV (RF) Proprietary Limited. Employees of Maitland serve as directors of the company. The fee paid to Maitland for their services to the securitisation structure is disclosed in note 25.

28. New Standards and Interpretations

28.1 Standards, interpretations and amendments to published standards that are not yet effective

The following new standards, interpretations and amendments to existing standards have been published that are applicable for future accounting periods but have not been adopted early by the group. The group is currently in the process of evaluating the detailed requirements of the following amendments to assess the possible impact on the group's financial statements:

Annual improvements 2012 (effective 1 July 2014)

These improvements amend standards from the 2010 – 2012 reporting cycle. The changes affect IFRS 2 Share based payments, IFRS 3 Business combinations, IFRS 8 Operating segments, IFRS 13 Fair value, IFRS 16 Property, plant and equipment and IAS 24 Related party disclosures.

Annual improvements 2013 (effective 1 July 2014)

These improvements amend standards from the 2011 – 2013 reporting cycle. The changes affect IFRS 1 First time adoptions of IFRSs, IFRS 3 Business combinations, IFRS 13 Fair value and IAS 40 Investment property.

Annual improvements 2014 (effective 1 January 2016)

The improvements amend standards from the 2012 – 2014 reporting cycle. The changes affect IFRS 5 'Non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations', IFRS 7 'Financial instruments: Disclosures', IAS 19 'Emplyee benefits' and IAS 34 'Interim financial reporting'.

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28. New Standards and Interpretations (continued)

IFRS 9, Financial instruments (effective 1 January 2018)

IFRS 9 retains but simplifies the mixed measurement model in IAS 39 and establishes three primary measurement categories for financial assets: amortised cost, fair value through other comprehensive income and fair value through profit and loss. The basis of classification depends on the entity's business model and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset. Includes a new expected credit losses model that replaces the incurred loss impairment model used in IAS 39.

There were no changes to classification and measurement for financial liabilities except for that changes in own credit risk for liabilities designated at fair value, through profit or loss are recognised in other comprehensive income, .

IFRS 9 relaxes the requirements for hedge effectiveness. It requires an economic relationship between the hedged item and hedging instrument and for the 'hedged ratio' to be the same as the one management actually use for risk management purposes. Contemporaneous documentation is still required but is different to that currently prepared under IAS 39.

28.2 Standards, interpretations and amendments to published standards that are effective and applicable to the group

The group has adopted the following new standards, interpretation and amendments to existing standards for the first time for the financial year ended 31 March 2015. The nature and effect of the changes are as follows:

Amendments to IAS 32 Financial instruments: presentation (effective 1 January 2014)

The amendment clarify some of the requirements for offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities on the balance sheet. The effect of this amendment is regarded as being immaterial.

IFRS 7 Financial instruments: disclosure (effective 1 January 2014)

The amendments to IFRS 7 require additional disclosure on transfer transactions of financial assets, including the possible effects of any residual risks that the transferring entity retains, if a disproportionate amount of transfer transactions are undertaken around the end of a reporting period. The amendments also requires additional disclosure on offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities. The effect of this amendment is regarded as being immaterial.

Amendments to IAS 36 Impairment of assets (effective 1 January 2014)

The amendment addresses the disclosure of information about the recoverable amount of impaired assets if that amount is based on fair value less costs of disposal. The effect of this amendment is regarded as being immaterial.