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Capital Small Finance Bank

CAPITAL SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED



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Our Bank was incorporated as 'Capital Local Area Bank Limited' on May 31, 1999 at Phagwara district Kapurthala, Punjab, as a public limited company under the Companies Act, 1956, and was granted a certificate of incorporation by the Registrar of Companies, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh and Chandigarh. The name of our Bank was subsequently changed to 'Capital Small Finance Bank Limited' pursuant to a shareholders' resolution dated April 2, 2016, to reflect the change in status of our Bank from a local area bank to a small finance bank pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India approval dated March 4, 2016, and a fresh certificate of incorporation was granted by the Registrar of Companies, Punjab and Chandigarh at Chandigarh ("RoC") on April 15, 2016. Our Bank commenced its business pursuant to a certificate of commencement of business issued by the Registrar of Companies, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh and Chandigarh dated August 12, 1999. For further details, see "History and Certain Corporate Matters" on page 243 of the red herring prospectus dated February 1, 2024 ("RHP" or "Red Herring Prospectus") filed with the RoC.

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OUR PROMOTERS: SARVJIT SINGH SAMRA, AMARJIT SINGH SAMRA, NAVNEET KAUR SAMRA, SURINDER KAUR SAMRA AND DINESH GUPTA

INITIAL PUBLIC OFFER OF UP TO [●] EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹ 10 EACH ("EQUITY SHARES") OF CAPITAL SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED ("BANK") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹ [●] PER EQUITY SHARE (INCLUDING A SHARE PREMIUM OF ₹ [●] PER EQUITY SHARE) ("OFFER PRICE"), AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION (THE "OFFER"), COMPRISING A FRESH ISSUE OF UP TO [●] EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ 4,500.00 MILLION (THE "FRESH ISSUE") AND AN OFFER FOR SALE OF UP TO 1,561,329 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION (THE "OFFER FOR SALE"), COMPRISING UP TO 836,728 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION BY OMAN INDIA JOINT INVESTMENT FUND II ("OIJF II"), UP TO 151,153 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION BY AMICUS CAPITAL PRIVATE EQUITY LLP ("ACPE"), UP TO 17,544 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION BY AMICUS CAPITAL PARTNERS INDIA FUND I ("ACPIF", TOGETHER WITH ACPE, "AMICUS", AND TOGETHER WITH ACPE, AND OIJF II, THE "INVESTOR SELLING SHAREHOLDERS"), AND UP TO 555,904 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION BY CERTAIN PERSONS LISTED IN THE RED HERRING PROSPECTUS (THE "OTHER SELLING SHAREHOLDERS", AS DEFINED BELOW) (THE INVESTOR SELLING SHAREHOLDERS AND THE OTHER SELLING SHAREHOLDERS, COLLECTIVELY, THE "SELLING SHAREHOLDERS", AND SUCH EQUITY SHARES OFFERED BY THE SELLING SHAREHOLDERS, THE "OFFERED SHARES").

DETAILS OF THE SELLING SHAREHOLDERS, OFFER FOR SALE AND THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE COST OF ACQUISITION

Name of Selling Shareholder	Type	NUMBER OF SHARES OFFERED	WEIGHTED AVERAGE COST OF ACQUISITION PER EQUITY SHARE ON A FULLY DILUTED BASIS (IN ₹)
Oman India Joint Investment Fund II	Investor Selling Shareholder	Up to 836,728 Equity Shares of ₹ 10 each aggregating up to ₹ [●] million	252.00*
Amicus Capital Private Equity I LLP	Investor Selling Shareholder	Up to 151,153 Equity Shares of ₹ 10 each aggregating up to ₹ [●] million	252.00*
Amicus Capital Partners India Fund I	Investor Selling Shareholder	Up to 17,544 Equity Shares of ₹ 10 each aggregating up to ₹ [●] million	252.00*
Certain Other Persons Listed in the Red Herring Prospectus	Other Selling Shareholders	Up to 555,904 Equity Shares of ₹ 10 each aggregating up to ₹ [●] million	20.00

*As certified by M/s VP Bhalla & Associates, by way of certificate dated February 1, 2024.

We are a small finance bank, offering a range of banking products, with our asset products primarily including agriculture loans, MSME & trading loans and mortgages.

The Offer is being made through the Book Building Process in accordance with Regulation 6(1) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations

QIB Portion: Not more than 50% of the Offer | Non-Institutional Portion: Not less than 15% of the Offer | Retail Portion: Not less than 35% of the Offer

PRICE BAND: ₹ 445 TO ₹ 468 PER EQUITY SHARE OF FACE VALUE OF ₹10 EACH.

THE FLOOR PRICE IS 44.50 TIMES THE FACE VALUE AND THE CAP PRICE IS 46.80 TIMES THE FACE VALUE.

PRICE TO EARNINGS RATIO BASED ON DILUTED EPS FOR FINANCIAL YEAR 2023 AT THE CAP PRICE IS 17.20 TIMES AND AT THE FLOOR PRICE IS 16.32 TIMES. BIDS CAN BE MADE FOR A MINIMUM OF 32 EQUITY SHARES AND IN MULTIPLES OF 32 EQUITY SHARES THEREAFTER.

In accordance with the recommendation of Independent Directors of our Bank, pursuant to their resolution dated February 1, 2024, the above provided price band is justified based on quantitative factors/ KPIs disclosed in the 'Basis for Offer Price'" section of the RHP vis-a-vis the weighted average cost of acquisition ("WACA") of primary and secondary transaction(s), as applicable, disclosed in 'Basis for Offer Price'" beginning on page 149 of the RHP.

In making an investment decision, potential investors must rely on their own examination of the Bank and the information included in the RHP and the terms of the Offer, including the merits and risks involved and not rely on any other external sources of information about the Offer available in any manner.

RISKS TO INVESTORS

- Our business is concentrated in North India, with approximately 86.13% of our total branches i.e., 149 branches out of a total of 173 branches, as of September 30, 2023 are located in the state of Punjab.
- Our business is currently significantly dependent on banking operations in rural and semi-urban areas and contribute 76.80% of our total number of Depositors for the six months period ended September 30, 2023.
- Our sector wise outstanding gross advances and the proportion of these advances to our outstanding advances as on September 30, 2023 is set out below:

Particulars	Contribution to Total Gross Advances
Agriculture and Allied Activities	38.65%
Advances to MSME and trading sector	19.66%
Mortgage Loans	26.06%
Others	15.63%

Any deterioration in the performance of any of these sectors in which we have significant exposure may adversely affect our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

- As at six months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and Fiscals ended March 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021, our gross NPAs as a percentage of gross advances were 2.73%, 2.60%, 2.77%, 2.50% and 2.08% and our provision coverage ratio was 50.96%, 48.62%, 51.48%, 46.02% and 46.14%, respectively while for the peers it ranges from 50.50% to 96.00%.
- As of December 31, 2023, we had total indebtedness of ₹ 5,295.10 million, which comprised of secured borrowings of ₹ 2,657.80 million and unsecured borrowings ₹ 2,637.30 million.
- The changes in market interest rates may affect the interest rates we charge on our interest-earning assets differently from the interest rates we pay on our interest-bearing liabilities. Our Net Interest Income is significantly dependent on our average performing advances for a particular period and our Net Interest Margin which is the difference of interest earned and interest expended divided by the Average Total Assets. Our Net Interest Income as percentage of net total income is 85.40%, 87.27%, 86.68%, 82.49% and 81.25% for the period ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and for the year ended March 31, 2023, March 31, 2022 and March 31, 2021.

- We have experienced negative cash flows in prior years. Our cash flows for the six months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and the Fiscals ended 2023, 2022 and 2021 are set forth in the table below:

Particulars	Six months ended September 30, 2023	Six months ended September 30, 2022	Fiscal 2023	Fiscal 2022	Fiscal 2021
Net cash flow from/ (used in) operating activities	1884.72	(1603.61)	(1,074.44)	(2,107.41)	1,743.18
Net cash flows from/ (used in) investing activities	(67.43)	(109.33)	(196.63)	(131.54)	(124.21)
Net cash flow from/ (used in) financing activities	(1,030.81)	2,834.31	2,215.15	(1,197.03)	1,968.14

- We are involved in certain legal proceedings initiated by our Bank involving an aggregate amount of ₹ 633.89 million and a proceeding against our Bank involving an amount of ₹ 12.21 million. Any adverse developments related to these proceedings could adversely affect our reputation, business and cash flows.
- Our Cost to Income Ratio was 62.35%, 61.23%, 59.97%, 63.42% and 70.76% for the six months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and the Fiscals ended March 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021 respectively. An increase in the Cost to Income Ratio due to inefficient business management or otherwise will adversely affect our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.
- Our Bank has settled a matter with SEBI in the past in connection with allotment of Equity Shares during the Financial Year 2004-2005 to more than 49 investors which were considered not in compliance with the then applicable laws relating to issuance and allotment of securities. The matter was subsequently settled and compounded by

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- way of a settlement order dated June 10, 2022 passed by SEBI and the compounding order dated November 26, 2021 issued by the National Company Law Tribunal, Chandigarh bench.
11. We have experienced negative cash flows in prior years. Our cash flow for six months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and the Fiscals ended 2023, 2022 and 2021 were negative.
 12. RBI, vide email dated September 13, 2023, has found our current Statutory Auditors, M/s T R Chadha & Co., LLP, Chartered Accountants, ineligible for reappointment for Financial Year 2024, and has directed our Bank to recommend the name of another firm meeting the eligibility criteria prescribed under the 'Guidelines for Appointment of Statutory Central Auditors (SCAs)/Statutory Auditors (SAs) of Commercial Banks (excluding RRBs), UCBs and NBFCs (including HFCs)' dated April 27, 2021.
 13. The Offer Price of our Equity Shares, our market capitalization to Total Income and our Price to Earning ratio at Offer Price may not be indicative of the market price of the Equity Shares after the Offer.

Particulars	Ratio vis-à-vis Floor Price (₹ 445)	Ratio vis-à- vis Cap Price (₹ 468)
Market capitalization to total income	2.33	2.45
Price to Earning (Diluted)	16.35	17.20
Price to Book Value	2.21	2.33

14. The Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition of all Equity Shares transacted in last three years, 18 months and one year preceding the date of the RHP:

Period	Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition (WACA) (in ₹) ⁽¹⁾	Upper end of the Price Band is 'X' times the WACA	Lower end of the Price Band is 'X' times the WACA	Range of acquisition price: Lowest Price – Highest Price (in ₹) ⁽¹⁾
Last three years	135.86	3.44	3.28	132.00-150.00
Last 18 months	NIL	NA	NA	NA
Last one year	NIL	NA	NA	NA

⁽¹⁾ As certified by M/s VP Bhalla & Associates, by way of certificate dated February 1, 2024.

15. Since there were no primary issuances or secondary transactions during the 18 months preceding the date of filing of the RHP, the information has been disclosed for price per share of our Company based on the last five primary issuances or secondary transactions where our Promoters, our Promoter Group, Selling Shareholders or Shareholder(s) having the right to nominate director(s), are a party to the transaction, not older than three years prior to the date of filing of the RHP irrespective of the size of the transaction.

Type of Transaction	WACA	Floor Price (i.e., ₹ 445)	Cap Price (i.e., ₹ 468)
Based on primary issuances	468.00	0.95	1.00
Based on Secondary transactions	135.32*	3.29	3.46

*excluding transmission

16. The three BRLMs associated with the Offer have handled 58 public issues in the past three Financial Years and until the date of this advertisement, out of which 15 issues closed below the Offer price on the listing date.

Name of the BRLM	Total Public Issues	Public Issues closed below price on listing date
Nuvama Wealth Management Limited (Formerly known as Edelweiss Securities Limited)**	21	5
DAM Capital Advisors Limited	17	6
Equirus Capital Private Limited	14	2
Common issue handled by the above BRLMs. *	6	2
Total	58	15

* Issues handled where there were common BRLMs.

** Pursuant to order passed by Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Mumbai Bench dated April 27, 2023, the merchant banking business of Edelweiss Financial Services Limited has demerged and now transferred to Nuvama Wealth Management Limited and therefore the said merchant banking business is part of Nuvama Wealth Management Limited.

BID/OFFER PERIOD

ANCHOR INVESTOR BIDDING DATE : TUESDAY, 6 FEBRUARY, 2024⁽¹⁾

BID/OFFER OPENS ON : WEDNESDAY, 7 FEBRUARY, 2024⁽¹⁾

BID/OFFER CLOSES ON : FRIDAY, 9 FEBRUARY, 2024⁽²⁾⁽³⁾

1. Our Bank may, in consultation with the BRLMs, consider participation by Anchor Investors in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations. The Anchor Investor Bid shall be one Working Day prior to the Bid/Offer Opening Date.

2. Our Bank may, in consultation with the BRLMs, consider closing the Bid/Offer Period for QIBs one Working Day prior to the Bid/Offer Closing Date in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations.

3. The UPI mandate end time shall be at 5.00 p.m. on Bid/Offer Closing Date.

An indicative timetable in respect of the Offer is set out below:

Submission of Bids (other than Bids from Anchor Investors):

Bid/Offer Period (except the Bid/Offer Closing Date)	
Submission and Revision in Bids	Only between 10.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. (Indian Standard Time ("IST"))
Bid/Offer Closing Date*	
Submission of Electronic Applications (Online ASBA through 3-in-1 accounts) – For RIBs	Only between 10.00 a.m. and up to 5.00 p.m. IST
Submission of Electronic Applications (Bank ASBA through Online channels like Internet Banking, Mobile Banking and Syndicate UPI ASBA applications where Bid Amount is up to ₹500,000)	Only between 10.00 a.m. and up to 4.00 p.m. IST
Submission of Electronic Applications (Syndicate Non-Retail, Non-Individual Applications)	Only between 10.00 a.m. and up to 3.00 p.m. IST
Submission of Physical Applications (Bank ASBA)	Only between 10.00 a.m. and up to 1.00 p.m. IST
Submission of Physical Applications (Syndicate Non-Retail, Non-Individual Applications where Bid Amount is more than ₹500,000)	Only between 10.00 a.m. and up to 12.00 p.m. IST
Modification/ Revision/cancellation of Bids	
Upward Revision of Bids by QIBs and Non-Institutional Bidders categories [#]	Only between 10.00 a.m. and up to 5.00 p.m. IST on Bid/Offer Closing Date
Upward or downward Revision of Bids or cancellation of Bids by RIBs	Only between 10.00 a.m. and up to 5.00 p.m. IST

*UPI mandate end time and date shall be at 5.00pm on Bid/Offer Closing Date.

[#] QIBs and Non-Institutional Bidders can neither revise their Bids downwards nor cancel/withdraw their Bids.

Bid/Offer Period

Event	Indicative Date
BID/ OFFER OPENS ON	WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2024
BID/ OFFER CLOSES ON	FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2024
FINALISATION OF BASIS OF ALLOTMENT WITH THE DESIGNATED STOCK EXCHANGE	On or about Monday, February 12, 2024
INITIATION OF REFUNDS (IF ANY, FOR ANCHOR INVESTORS)/UNBLOCKING OF FUNDS FROM ASBA ACCOUNT	On or about Tuesday, February 13, 2024
CREDIT OF EQUITY SHARES TO DEMAT ACCOUNTS OF ALLOTTEES	On or about Tuesday, February 13, 2024
COMMENCEMENT OF TRADING OF THE EQUITY SHARES ON THE STOCK EXCHANGES	On or about Wednesday, February 14, 2024



Applications supported by blocked amount (ASBA) is a better way of applying to issues by simply blocking the fund in the bank account, For further details, check section on ASBA.

Mandatory in public issues. No cheque will be accepted.



UPI-Now available in ASBA for Retail Individual Investors and Non - Institutional Investor applying for amount upto ₹ 5,00,000/-, applying through Registered Brokers, DPs and RTAs. UPI Bidder also have the option to submit the application directly to the ASBA Bank (SCSBs) or to use the facility of linked online trading, demat and bank account. Investors are required to ensure that the bank account used for bidding is linked to their PAN. Bidders must ensure that their PAN is linked with Aadhaar and are in compliance with CBDT notification dated February 13, 2020, issued by the Central Board of Direct Taxes and the subsequent press releases, including press releases dated June 25, 2021 and September 17, 2021 and CBDT circular no.7 of 2022, dated March 30, 2022 read with press release dated March 28, 2023 and any subsequent press releases in this regard.

In case of any revision in the Price Band, the Bid/Offer Period will be extended by at least three additional Working Days after such revision in the Price Band, subject to the Bid/Offer Period not exceeding 10 Working Days. In cases of force majeure, banking strike or similar circumstances, our Bank may, in consultation with the BRLMs, request to be recorded in writing, extend the Bid/Offer Period for a minimum of three Working Days, subject to the Bid/Offer Period not exceeding 10 Working Days. Any revision in the Price Band and the revised Bid/Offer Period, if applicable, shall be widely disseminated by notification to the Stock Exchanges, by issuing a public notice, and also by indicating the change on the respective websites of the BRLMs and at the terminals of the Syndicate Members and by intimation to Designated Intermediaries and the Sponsor Bank, as applicable.

The Offer is being made through the Book Building Process, in terms of Rule 19(2)(b) of the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Rules, 1957, as amended ("SCRR") read with Regulation 31 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and in compliance with Regulation 6(1) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, wherein not more than 50% of the Offer shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Qualified Institutional Buyers ("QIBs") ("QIB Portion"), provided that our Bank may, in consultation with the BRLMs, allocate up to 60% of the QIB Portion to Anchor Investors on a discretionary basis in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations ("Anchor Investor Portion"), of which one-third shall be reserved for domestic Mutual Funds, subject to valid Bids being received from domestic Mutual Funds at or above the Anchor Investor Allocation Price. In the event of under-subscription, or non-allocation in the Anchor Investor Portion, the balance Equity Shares shall be added to the Net QIB Portion. Further, 5% of the Net QIB Portion (excluding the Anchor Investor Portion) shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis only to Mutual Funds, and the remainder of the Net QIB Portion shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to all QIBs, including Mutual Funds, subject to valid Bids being received at or above the Offer Price. However, if the aggregate demand from Mutual Funds is less than 5% of the Net QIB Portion, the balance Equity Shares available for allocation in the Mutual Fund Portion will be added to the remaining QIB Portion for proportionate allocation to QIBs. Further, not less than 15% of the Offer shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Non-Institutional Bidders of which (a) one-third shall be reserved for applicants with application size of more than ₹ 200,000 and up to ₹ 1,00,000, and (b) two-third shall be reserved for applicants with application size of more than ₹ 1,00,000, provided that the unsubscribed portion in either of such sub-categories may be allocated to applicants in the other sub-category of Non-Institutional Bidders, and not less than 35% of the Offer shall be available for allocation for individual Bidders ("RIBs") in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations, subject to valid Bids being received at or above the Offer Price. Anchor Investors are not permitted to participate in the Offer through the ASBA process. For details, see "Offer Procedure" on page 402 of the RHP.

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Bidders/ Applicants should ensure that DP ID, PAN, Client ID and UPI ID (for UPI Bidders bidding through the UPI Mechanism) are correctly filled in the Bid cum Application Form. The DP ID, PAN and Client ID provided in the Bid cum Application Form should match with the DP ID, PAN, Client ID available in the Depository database; otherwise, the Bid cum Application Form is liable to be rejected. Bidders/ Applicants should ensure that the beneficiary account provided in the Bid cum Application Form is active. Bidders/ Applicants should note that on the basis of the PAN, DP ID, Client ID and UPI ID (for UPI Bidders bidding through the UPI Mechanism) as provided in the Bid cum Application Form, the Bidder/Applicant may be deemed to have authorised the Depositories to provide to the Registrar to the Offer any requested Demographic Details of the Bidder/Applicant available on the records of the depositories. These Demographic Details may be used, among other things, for giving Allotment Advice or unblocking of ASBA Account or for other correspondence(s) related to the Offer. Bidders/ Applicants are advised to update any changes to their Demographic Details as available in the records of the Depository Participant to ensure accuracy of records. Any delay resulting from failure to update the Demographic Details would be at the Bidders'/Applicants' sole risk. Investors must ensure that their PAN is linked with Aadhaar and are in compliance with CBDT notification dated February 13, 2020 read with press release dated June 25, 2021 and September 17, 2021, read with press release dated September 17, 2021. CBDT circular no. 7 of 2022, dated March 30, 2022, read with press release dated March 28, 2023.

Contents of the Memorandum of Association of our Company as regards its objects: For information on the main objects of our Company, please see the section "History and Certain Corporate Matters" on page 243, of the RHP. The Memorandum of Association of our Company is a material document for inspection in relation to the Offer. For further details, please see the section titled "Material Contracts and Documents for Inspection" on page 428 of the RHP.

Liability of the members of our Company: Limited by shares.

Amount of share capital of our Company and Capital structure: As on the date of the RHP, the authorised share capital of the Company is ₹ 500,000,000 divided into 50,00,000 Equity Shares of face value ₹ 10 each. The issued, subscribed and paid-up share capital of the Company is ₹ 354,271,360 divided into 35,427,136 Equity Shares of face value ₹ 10 each. For details, please see the section titled "Capital Structure" on page 93 of the RHP.

Names of signatories to the Memorandum of Association of our Company and the number of Equity Shares subscribed by them: The initial signatories to the Memorandum of Association of our Company are Amrik Singh Pooni, Amarjeet Singh Samra, Sarvajit Singh Samra, K.K. Sardana, Brig. Swarn Singh Saini, Sarbjit Singh Dhillon, Mohinder Singh and Amardeep Singh Samra. For details of the share capital history and capital structure of our Company, please see the section titled "Capital Structure" on page

93 of the RHP.

Listing: The Equity Shares offered through the Red Herring Prospectus are proposed to be listed on BSE Limited ("BSE") and National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE"), and together with BSE, the "Stock Exchanges". Our Company has received "in-principle" approvals from BSE and NSE for the listing of the Equity Shares pursuant to letters each dated December 8, 2023 respectively. For the purposes of the Offer, the Designated Stock Exchange shall be BSE Limited. A signed copy of the Red Herring Prospectus and the Prospectus shall be delivered to the RoC in accordance with Sections 26(4) and 32 of the Companies Act, 2013. For details of the material contracts and documents available for inspection from the date of the Red Herring Prospectus up to the Bid/ Offer Closing Date, see "Material Contracts and Documents for Inspection" on page 428 of the RHP.

Disclaimer Clause of the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI"): SEBI only gives its observations on the offer documents and this does not constitute approval of either the Offer or the specified securities or the offer document. The investors are advised to refer to page 378 of the RHP for the full text of the disclaimer clause of SEBI.

Disclaimer Clause of NSE: It is to be distinctly understood that the permission given by NSE should not in any way be deemed or construed that the Offer Document has been cleared or approved by NSE nor does it certify the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of the Offer Document. The investors are advised to refer to page 378 of the RHP for the full text of the disclaimer clause of NSE.

Disclaimer Clause of BSE (Designated Stock Exchange): It is to be distinctly understood that the permission given by BSE should not in any way be deemed or construed that the RHP has been cleared or approved by BSE nor does it certify the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of the RHP. The investors are advised to refer to page 378 of the RHP for the full text of the disclaimer clause of BSE.

General Risk: Investments in equity and equity-related securities involve a degree of risk and investors should not invest any funds in the Offer unless they can afford to take the risk of losing their entire investment. Investors are advised to read the risk factors carefully before taking an investment decision in the Offer. For taking an investment decision, investors must rely on their own examination of our Bank and the Offer, including the risks involved. The Equity Shares in the Offer have not been recommended or approved by the SEBI, nor does SEBI guarantee the accuracy or adequacy of the contents of the Red Herring Prospectus. Specific attention of the investors is invited to "Risk Factors" on page 27 of the RHP.

*Pursuant to order passed by Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Mumbai Bench dated April 27, 2023, the merchant banking business of Edelweiss Financial Services Limited has demerged and now transferred to Nuvama Wealth Management Limited and therefore the said merchant banking business is part of Nuvama Wealth Management Limited.

AVAILABILITY OF THE RHP: Investors are advised to refer to the RHP and the section titled "Risk Factors" on page 27 of the RHP, before applying in the Offer. A copy of the RHP shall be available on website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com, respectively, and on the website of the Bank at www.capitalbank.co.in and on the websites of the BRLMs i.e. Nuvama Wealth Management Limited (Formerly known as Edelweiss Securities Limited), DAM Capital Advisors Limited and Equirus Capital Private Limited at www.nuvama.com, www.damcapital.in and www.equiris.com, respectively.

Availability of the Abridged Prospectus: A copy of the abridged prospectus shall be available on the website of the Bank, the BRLMs and the Registrar to the Offer at www.capitalbank.co.in, www.nuvama.com, www.damcapital.in, www.equiris.com and www.linkintime.co.in, respectively.

AVAILABILITY OF BID CUM APPLICATION FORMS: Bid cum Application Forms can be obtained from the Registered Office of the Company CAPITAL SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED, Tel: +91 181 5051111/2222; The BRLMs : **Nuvama Wealth Management Limited (Formerly known as Edelweiss Securities Limited)**, Tel: +91 22 4009 4400; **DAM Capital Advisors Limited**, Tel: +91 22 4202 2500 and **Equirus Capital Private Limited**, Tel: +91 22 4332 0734; **Syndicate Members:** Sharekhan Limited, Tel: +91 22 6750 2000; **Nuvama Wealth Management Limited (Formerly known as Edelweiss Securities Limited)**, Tel: +91 22 4009 4400 and **Equiris Securities Private Limited**, Tel: +91 22 4332 0600 and at the selected locations of the Sub-syndicate Members (as given below); SCBSs, Registered Brokers, RTAs and CDPs participating in the Offer. ASBA Forms will also be available on the websites of BSE and NSE and the Designated Branches of SCBSs, the list of which is available at websites of the Stock Exchanges and SEBI.

Sub-Syndicate Members: Alankit assignments limited, Almond Global Securities Limited, Anand Rathri Share & Stock Brokers Limited, ANS Pvt Limited, Asit C Mehta, Axis Capital Limited, Centrum Broking Limited, Finwizard Technology Pvt. Ltd., HDFC Securities Limited, ICICI Securities Limited, IDBI Capital Markets & Securities Ltd, IIFL Securities Ltd, JM Financial Services Limited, Keynote Capitals Limited, KJCM Capital Market Services Limited, Kotak Securities Limited, LKP Securities Limited, Motilal Oswal Financial Services Limited, Nirmal Bang Securities Pvt Limited, Prabhu Lal Liladhar Pvt Limited, Pravin Ratilal Share & Stock Brokers Limited, Religare Broking Limited, RR Equity Brokers Pvt Limited, SBICAP Securities Limited, SMC Global Securities Limited, Systematic Shares and Stocks India Ltd and Yes Securities (India) Limited

Escrow Collection Bank and Refund Bank : Axis Bank Limited

Public Offer Account Bank : HDFC Bank Limited ***Sponsor Banks:** Axis Bank Limited and HDFC Bank Limited

UPI: UPI Bidders can also bid through UPI Mechanism.

All capitalized terms used herein and not specifically defined shall have the same meaning as ascribed to them in the RHP.

Place: Jalandhar
Date: February 1, 2024

CAPITAL SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED is proposing, subject to applicable statutory and regulatory requirements, receipt of requisite approvals, market conditions and other considerations, to undertake an initial public offering of its Equity Shares and has filed the RHP with RoC on February 1, 2024. The RHP shall be available on the website of SEBI at www.sebi.gov.in, on the websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE and NSE at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com, respectively, on the website of the Bank at www.capitalbank.co.in and on the websites of the BRLMs i.e. Nuvama Wealth Management Limited (Formerly known as Edelweiss Securities Limited), DAM Capital Advisors Limited and Equius Capital Private Limited at www.nuvama.com, www.damcapital.in and www.equiris.com, respectively. Any potential investors should note that investment in equity shares involves a high degree of risk and for details relating to such risk, please see the section titled "Risk Factors" on page 27 of the RHP. Potential Bidders should not rely on the DRHP dated September 28, 2023 filed with SEBI for making any investment decision.

This announcement does not constitute an offer of Equity Shares for sale in any jurisdiction, including the United States, and the Equity Shares may not be offered or sold in the United States absent registration under the US Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or an exemption from registration. Any public offering of the Equity Shares to be made in the United States will be made by means of a prospectus that may be obtained from the Bank and that will contain detailed information about the Bank and management, as well as financial statements. However, there will be no offering of the Equity Shares in the United States.

BOOK RUNNING LEAD MANAGERS	REGISTRAR TO THE OFFER	Company Secretary and Compliance Officer		
nuvama Nuvama Wealth Management Limited <i>(Formerly known as Edelweiss Securities Limited)*</i> 801 - 804, Wing A, Building No 3, Inspire BKC, G Block Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra East, Mumbai - 400 051 Maharashtra, India Tel: +91 22 4009 4400 E-mail: capitalfs.ip@nuvama.com Investor grievance email: customerservice.mb@nuvama.com Contact Person: Manish Tejwani Website: www.nuvama.com SEBI registration no.: INNN000013004	DAM CAPITAL DAM Capital Advisors Limited One BKC, Tower C, 15 th Floor, Unit No. 1511 Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai - 400 051 Maharashtra, India Tel: +91 22 4202 2500 E-mail: capitalfs.ip@damcapital.in Website: www.damcapital.in Investor Grievance ID: complaint@damcapital.in Contact Person: Chandresh Sharma/Akhay Bhandari SEBI Registration Number: MB/NM00011336	equirus Equirus Capital Private Limited 1201, C Wing, Marathon Futurex, N.M. Joshi Marg, Lower Parel Mumbai - 400 013, Maharashtra, India Tel: +91 22 4332 0734 E-mail: capitalfs.ip@equirus.com Website: www.equirus.com Investor Grievance ID: investorsgrievance@equirus.com Contact Person: Munral Jadhav SEBI Registration Number: INR00004058	LINK Intime Link Intime India Private Limited C-101, 1 st Floor, 24 Park, Lal Bahadur Shastri Marg Vikhroli (West), Mumbai - 400 083, Maharashtra, India Tel: +91 810 811 4949 E-mail: capitalfs.ip@linkintime.co.in Website: www.linkintime.co.in Investor Grievance ID: capitalfs.ip@linkintime.co.in Contact Person: Shanti Gopal Krishnan SEBI Registration Number: INR00004058	Amit Sharma MIDAS Corporate Park, 3 rd Floor, 37, G.T. Road, Jalandhar 144 001, Punjab, India. E-mail: cs@capitabank.co.in; Tel: +91 181 5051111/2222

Investors may contact the Company Secretary and Compliance Officer or the Registrar to the Offer in case of any pre-offer or postOffer related grievances including non-receipt of letters of Allotment, non-right of Allotted Equity Shares in the respective beneficiary account, non-receipt of refund orders or non-receipt of funds by electronic mode, etc. For all offer related queries and for redressal of complaints, Investors may also write to the BRLMs.

ਬਚੇਨ ਡੈਂਡ ਮਾਮਲੇ 'ਚ ਅੰਗ ਦਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤਮੰਦ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰੋ ਨਵਾਂ ਜੀਵਨ : ਸੰਜੀਵ ਅਰੋੜਾ



ਹੋਰ ਵਿਧਾਇਆ ਹੈ ਅਤੇ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦੇ ਪਿਛਾ ਦੇ ਅੰਗਾਂ ਨਾਲ ਦੇ ਪਾਰਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਾਡੀਆਂ ਦੇ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਕੇ ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤਮੰਦ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰੋ ਜਾਂ ਆਖਾਰ ਬਣਾਵੋ ਆਖਾਰਾ ਦੇ ਮੁੱਲ ਪਟਿਆਲਾ ਹੈ। ਇਹ ਅੰਗਾਂ ਦੀਆਂ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਦੇ ਸਾਰੇ ਸੰਗ੍ਰਹਿ ਅਤੇ ਸੰਸਥਾਵਾਂ ਦੇ ਅੰਗਾਂ ਦੀਆਂ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਦੇ ਸਾਡੀਆਂ ਦੇ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਅਤੇ ਕਿ ਬਚੇਨ ਮਾਮਲੇ 'ਚ ਅੰਗ ਦਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤਮੰਦ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਦੇ ਸਾਡੀਆਂ ਦੇ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਿਯੋਗ ਕਰੋ।

ਬਾਰਤੀ ਸੈਨਾ 'ਚ ਭਰਤੀ ਹੋਣ ਦੇ ਚਾਹੀਵਾਨ ਉਮੀਦਵਾਰ 16 ਤੋਂ ਲੈ ਕੇ 15 ਮਾਰਚ ਤੱਕ ਆਨ-ਲਾਈਨ ਮਾਧਿਅਮ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਅਪਲਾਈ ਕਰਨ

ਸਾਹਿਬਜ਼ਾਦਾ ਅਸਾਡ ਸੰਝੀਵ ਨਾਲ ਮਹਾਰਾਜਾਂ, ਕਿਰਪਾਨਾਂ ਅਤੇ ਹੋਰ ਭਰਤੀ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਿਯੋਗ ਕਰੋ। ਇਹ ਅੰਗਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਅੰਗਰੇਜ਼ੀ ਦੇ ਸੁਖਦੇ ਹਨ, ਅੰਗਰੇਜ਼ ਵਿੱਚ ਆਖਾਰ ਬਣਾਵੋ ਅਤੇ ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤਮੰਦ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਿਯੋਗ ਕਰੋ।

ਹੋਰੇਗੇ! ਇਹ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਦੀ ਮਹੱਤਤਾ ਸੰਖੇਪ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤਮੰਦ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਿਯੋਗ ਕਰੋ। ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤਮੰਦ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਿਯੋਗ ਕਰੋ। ਇਹ ਅੰਗਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਆਖਾਰ ਬਣਾਵੋ ਅਤੇ ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤਮੰਦ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਿਯੋਗ ਕਰੋ। ਇਹ ਅੰਗਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਆਖਾਰ ਬਣਾਵੋ ਅਤੇ ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤਮੰਦ ਮਰਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਿਯੋਗ ਕਰੋ।

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Capital Small Finance Bank

CAPITAL SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED



(Please scan this QR code to view the Red Herring Prospectus and the abridged Prospectus)

Our Bank was incorporated as 'Capital Local Area Bank Limited' on May 31, 1999 at Phagwara district Kapurthala, Punjab, as a public limited company under the Companies Act, 1956, and was granted a certificate of incorporation by the Registrar of Companies, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh and Chandigarh. The name of our Bank was subsequently changed to 'Capital Small Finance Bank Limited' pursuant to a shareholders' resolution dated April 2, 2016, to reflect the change in status of our Bank from a local area bank to a small finance bank pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India approval dated March 4, 2016, and a fresh certificate of incorporation was granted by the Registrar of Companies, Punjab and Chandigarh at Chandigarh ("RoC") on April 15, 2016. Our Bank commenced its business pursuant to a certificate of commencement of business issued by the Registrar of Companies, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh and Chandigarh dated August 12, 1999. For further details, see "History and Certain Corporate Matters" on page 243 of the red herring prospectus dated February 1, 2024 ("RHP" or "Red Herring Prospectus") filed with the RoC.

Registered and Corporate Office: MIDAS Corporate Park, 3rd Floor, 37, G.T. Road, Jalandhar 144 001, Punjab, India; Tel: +91 181 5051111/2222; Website: www.capitalbank.co.in; Contact Person: Amit Sharma, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer; E-mail: cs@capitalbank.co.in; Corporate Identity Number: U65110PB1999PLC022634

OUR PROMOTERS: SARVJIT SINGH SAMRA, AMARJIT SINGH SAMRA, NAVNEET KAUR SAMRA, SURINDER KAUR SAMRA AND DINESH GUPTA

INITIAL PUBLIC OFFER OF UP TO [●] EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹ 10 EACH ("EQUITY SHARES") OF CAPITAL SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED ("BANK") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹ [●] PER EQUITY SHARE (INCLUDING A SHARE PREMIUM OF ₹ [●] PER EQUITY SHARE) ("OFFER PRICE"), AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION (THE "OFFER"), COMPRISING A FRESH ISSUE OF UP TO [●] EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ 4,500.00 MILLION (THE "FRESH ISSUE") AND AN OFFER FOR SALE OF UP TO 1,561,329 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION (THE "OFFER FOR SALE"), COMPRISING UP TO 836,728 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION BY OMAN INDIA JOINT INVESTMENT FUND II ("OIJF II"), UP TO 151,153 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION BY AMICUS CAPITAL PRIVATE EQUITY I LLP ("ACPE"), UP TO 17,544 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION BY AMICUS CAPITAL PARTNERS INDIA FUND I ("ACPIF", TOGETHER WITH ACPE, "AMICUS", AND TOGETHER WITH ACPE, AND OIJF II, THE "INVESTOR SELLING SHAREHOLDERS"), AND UP TO 555,904 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ [●] MILLION BY CERTAIN PERSONS LISTED IN THE RED HERRING PROSPECTUS (THE "OTHER SELLING SHAREHOLDERS", AS DEFINED BELOW) (THE INVESTOR SELLING SHAREHOLDERS AND THE OTHER SELLING SHAREHOLDERS, COLLECTIVELY, THE "SELLING SHAREHOLDERS", AND SUCH EQUITY SHARES OFFERED BY THE SELLING SHAREHOLDERS, THE "OFFERED SHARES").

DETAILS OF THE SELLING SHAREHOLDERS, OFFER FOR SALE AND THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE COST OF ACQUISITION

Name of Selling Shareholder	Type	NUMBER OF SHARES OFFERED	WEIGHTED AVERAGE COST OF ACQUISITION PER EQUITY SHARE ON A FULLY DILUTED BASIS (IN ₹)
Oman India Joint Investment Fund II	Investor Selling Shareholder	Up to 836,728 Equity Shares of ₹ 10 each aggregating up to ₹ [●] million	252.00*
Amicus Capital Private Equity I LLP	Investor Selling Shareholder	Up to 151,153 Equity Shares of ₹ 10 each aggregating up to ₹ [●] million	252.00*
Amicus Capital Partners India Fund I	Investor Selling Shareholder	Up to 17,544 Equity Shares of ₹ 10 each aggregating up to ₹ [●] million	252.00*
Certain Other Persons Listed in the Red Herring Prospectus	Other Selling Shareholders	Up to 555,904 Equity Shares of ₹ 10 each aggregating up to ₹ [●] million	20.00

*As certified by M/s VP Bhalla & Associates, by way of certificate dated February 1, 2024.

We are a small finance bank, offering a range of banking products, with our asset products primarily including agriculture loans, MSME & trading loans and mortgages.

The Offer is being made through the Book Building Process in accordance with Regulation 6(1) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations

QIB Portion: Not more than 50% of the Offer | Non-Institutional Portion: Not less than 15% of the Offer | Retail Portion: Not less than 35% of the Offer

PRICE BAND: ₹ 445 TO ₹ 468 PER EQUITY SHARE OF FACE VALUE OF ₹10 EACH.

THE FLOOR PRICE IS 44.50 TIMES THE FACE VALUE AND THE CAP PRICE IS 46.80 TIMES THE FACE VALUE.

PRICE TO EARNINGS RATIO BASED ON DILUTED EPS FOR FINANCIAL YEAR 2023 AT THE CAP PRICE IS 17.20 TIMES AND AT THE FLOOR PRICE IS 16.32 TIMES. BIDS CAN BE MADE FOR A MINIMUM OF 32 EQUITY SHARES AND IN MULTIPLES OF 32 EQUITY SHARES THEREAFTER.

In accordance with the recommendation of Independent Directors of our Bank, pursuant to their resolution dated February 1, 2024, the above provided price band is justified based on quantitative factors/ KPIs disclosed in the 'Basis for Offer Price'" section of the RHP vis-a-vis the weighted average cost of acquisition ("WACA") of primary and secondary transaction(s), as applicable, disclosed in 'Basis for Offer Price'" beginning on page 149 of the RHP.

In making an investment decision, potential investors must rely on their own examination of the Bank and the information included in the RHP and the terms of the Offer, including the merits and risks involved and not rely on any other external sources of information about the Offer available in any manner.

RISKS TO INVESTORS

- 1. Our business is concentrated in North India, with approximately 86.13% of our total branches i.e., 149 branches out of a total of 173 branches, as of September 30, 2023 are located in the state of Punjab.
 - 2. Our business is currently significantly dependent on banking operations in rural and semi-urban areas and contribute 76.80% of our total number of Depositors for the six months period ended September 30, 2023.
 - 3. Our sector wise outstanding gross advances and the proportion of these advances to our outstanding advances as on September 30, 2023 is set out below:
- | Particulars | Contribution to Total Gross Advances |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Agriculture and Allied Activities | 38.65% |
| Advances to MSME and trading sector | 19.66% |
| Mortgage Loans | 26.06% |
| Others | 15.63% |

Any deterioration in the performance of any of these sectors in which we have significant exposure may adversely affect our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

- 4. As at six months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and Fiscals ended March 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021, our gross NPAs as a percentage of gross advances were 2.73%, 2.60%, 2.77%, 2.50% and 2.08% and our provision coverage ratio was 50.96%, 48.62%, 51.48%, 46.02% and 46.14%, respectively while for the peers it ranges from 50.50% to 96.00%.
- 5. As of December 31, 2023, we had total indebtedness of ₹ 5,295.10 million, which comprised of secured borrowings of ₹ 2,657.80 million and unsecured borrowings ₹ 2,637.30 million.
- 6. The changes in market interest rates may affect the interest rates we charge on our interest-earning assets differently from the interest rates we pay on our interest-bearing liabilities. Our Net Interest Income is significantly dependent on our average performing advances for a particular period and our Net Interest Margin which is the difference of interest earned and interest expended divided by the Average Total Assets. Our Net Interest Income as percentage of net total income is 85.40%, 87.27%, 86.68%, 82.49% and 81.25% for the period ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and for the year ended March 31, 2023, March 31, 2022 and March 31, 2021.

- 7. We have experienced negative cash flows in prior years. Our cash flows for the six months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and the Fiscals ended 2023, 2022 and 2021 are set forth in the table below:

Particulars	Six months ended September 30, 2023	Six months ended September 30, 2022	Fiscal 2023	Fiscal 2022	Fiscal 2021
Net cash flow from/ (used in) operating activities	1884.72	(1603.61)	(1,074.44)	(2,107.41)	1,743.18
Net cash flows from/ (used in) investing activities	(67.43)	(109.33)	(196.63)	(131.54)	(124.21)
Net cash flow from/ (used in) financing activities	(1,030.81)	2,834.31	2,215.15	(1,197.03)	1,968.14

- 8. We are involved in certain legal proceedings initiated by our Bank involving an aggregate amount of ₹ 633.89 million and a proceeding against our Bank involving an amount of ₹ 12.21 million. Any adverse developments related to these proceedings could adversely affect our reputation, business and cash flows.
- 9. Our Cost to Income Ratio was 62.35%, 61.23%, 59.97%, 63.42% and 70.76% for the six months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and the Fiscals ended March 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021 respectively. An increase in the Cost to Income Ratio due to inefficient business management or otherwise will adversely affect our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.
- 10. Our Bank has settled a matter with SEBI in the past in connection with allotment of Equity Shares during the Financial Year 2004-2005 to more than 49 investors which were considered not in compliance with the then applicable laws relating to issuance and allotment of securities. The matter was subsequently settled and compounded by

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our Bank by way of a settlement order dated June 10, 2022 passed by SEBI and the compounding order dated November 26, 2021 issued by the National Company Law Tribunal, Chandigarh bench.

11. We have experienced negative cash flows in prior years. Our cash flow for six months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2022 and the Fiscals ended 2023, 2022 and 2021 were negative.
12. RBI, vide email dated September 13, 2023, has found our current Statutory Auditors, M/s T R Chadha & Co., LLP, Chartered Accountants, ineligible for reappointment for Financial Year 2024, and has directed our Bank to recommend the name of another firm meeting the eligibility criteria prescribed under the 'Guidelines for Appointment of Statutory Central Auditors (SCAs)/Statutory Auditors (SAs) of Commercial Banks (excluding RRBs), UCBs and NBFCs (including HFCs)' dated April 27, 2021.
13. The Offer Price of our Equity Shares, our market capitalization to Total Income and our Price to Earnings ratio at Offer Price may not be indicative of the market price of the Equity Shares after the Offer.

Particulars	Ratio vis-à-vis Floor Price (₹ 445)	Ratio vis-à-vis Cap Price (₹ 468)
Market capitalization to total income	2.33	2.45
Price to Earnings (Diluted)	16.35	17.20
Price to Book Value	2.21	2.33

14. The Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition of all Equity Shares transacted in last three years, 18 months and one year preceding the date of the RHP:

Period	Weighted Average Cost of Acquisition (WACA) (in ₹) ⁽¹⁾	Upper end of the Price Band is 'X' times the WACA	Lower end of the Price Band is 'X' times the WACA	Range of acquisition price: Lowest Price – Highest Price (in ₹) ⁽¹⁾
Last three years	135.86	3.44	3.28	132.00-150.00
Last 18 months	NIL	NA	NA	NA
Last one year	NIL	NA	NA	NA

⁽¹⁾ As certified by M/s VP Bhalla & Associates, by way of certificate dated February 1, 2024.

15. Since there were no primary issuances or secondary transactions during the 18 months preceding the date of filing of the RHP, the information has been disclosed for price per share of our Company based on the last five primary issuances or secondary transactions where our Promoters, our Promoter Group, Selling Shareholders or Shareholder(s) having the right to nominate director(s), are a party to the transaction, not older than three years prior to the date of filing of the RHP irrespective of the size of the transaction.

Type of Transaction	WACA	Floor Price (i.e., ₹ 445)	Cap Price (i.e., ₹ 468)
Based on primary issuances	468.00	0.95	1.00
Based on Secondary transactions	135.32*	3.29	3.46

*excluding transmission

16. The three BRLMs associated with the Offer have handled 58 public issues in the past three Financial Years and until the date of this advertisement, out of which 15 issues closed below the Offer price on the listing date.

Name of the BRLM	Total Public Issues	Public Issues closed below price on listing date
Nuvama Wealth Management Limited (Formerly known as Edelweiss Securities Limited)**	21	5
DAM Capital Advisors Limited	17	6
Equirus Capital Private Limited	14	2
Common issue handled by the above BRLMs. *	6	2
Total	58	15

* Issues handled where there were common BRLMs.

** Pursuant to order passed by Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Mumbai Bench dated April 27, 2023, the merchant banking business of Edelweiss Financial Services Limited has demerged and now transferred to Nuvama Wealth Management Limited and therefore the said merchant banking business is part of Nuvama Wealth Management Limited.

BID/OFFER PERIOD

ANCHOR INVESTOR BIDDING DATE : TUESDAY, 6 FEBRUARY, 2024⁽¹⁾

BID/OFFER OPENS ON : WEDNESDAY, 7 FEBRUARY, 2024⁽¹⁾

BID/OFFER CLOSES ON : FRIDAY, 9 FEBRUARY, 2024⁽²⁾⁽³⁾

1. Our Bank may, in consultation with the BRLMs, consider participation by Anchor Investors in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations. The Anchor Investor Bid shall be one Working Day prior to the Bid/ Offer Opening Date.

2. Our Bank may, in consultation with the BRLMs, consider closing the Bid/ Offer Period for QIBs one Working Day prior to the Bid/ Offer Closing Date in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations.

3. The UPI mandate end time shall be at 5:00 p.m. on Bid/Offer Closing Date.

BASIS FOR OFFER PRICE

The Offer Price will be determined by our Bank, in consultation with the BRLMs, on the basis of assessment of market demand for the Equity Shares offered through the Book Building Process and on the basis of quantitative and qualitative factors as described below. The face value of the Equity Shares is ₹ 10 each and the Offer Price is [●] times the face value, 44.50 times the Floor Price and 46.80 times the Cap Price of the Price Band. The financial information included herein is derived from our Restated Financial Information. Investors should also see "Our Business", "Risk Factors", "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations", "Selected Statistical Information" and "Financial Statements" on pages 203, 217, 337, 243 and 260, of the RHP, respectively, to have an informed view before making an investment decision.

Qualitative Factors : We believe the following business strengths allow us to successfully compete in the industry:- Retail Focused Liability Franchise with High Share of CASA;

• Secured and diversified advances portfolio • Streamlined credit assessment processes and risk management practices; • Customer centric approach and understanding of target customers; • Consistent track record of growth with constantly improving operational and profitability metrics; • Professional and experienced leadership team; and • From Fiscal 2021 to 2023, our operating profit and profit after tax grew at a CAGR of 44.23% and 51.49%, respectively.

For details, see "Our Business – Our Strengths" on page 206 of the RHP.

Quantitative Factors : Some of the information presented below relating to our Bank is derived from the Restated Financial Information. For details, see "Financial Statements" on page 260 of the RHP.

Some of the quantitative factors which may form the basis for computing the Offer Price are as follows:

A. Basic and Diluted Earnings Per Share ("EPS"):

Particulars	Basic EPS (in ₹)	Diluted EPS (in ₹)	Weight
Financial Year 2021	12.04	11.98	1
Financial Year 2022	18.41	18.22	2
Financial Year 2023	27.35	27.21	3
Weighted Average	21.82	21.68	
Six months ended September 30, 2022 (not annualised)	12.02	11.97	
Six months ended September 30, 2023 (not annualised)	15.59	15.49	

i. The face value of each Equity Share is ₹ 10.

ii. Basic Earnings per share stands for Net profit after tax (loss after tax) as restated/Weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the period/year.

iii. Diluted Earnings per share stands for Net profit after tax (loss after tax) as restated/Weighted average number of potential equity shares outstanding during the period/year.

iv. Earnings per share calculations are done in accordance with Accounting Standard 20 "Earnings Per Share" ("AS 20") as notified under section 133 of the Companies Act 2013, read together with paragraph 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules 2014.

v. The Weighted Average basic EPS and diluted EPS is a product of basic EPS and diluted EPS and respective assigned weight, dividing the resultant by total aggregate weight.

B. Price/Earning ("P/E") ratio in relation to the Price Band of ₹ 445 to ₹ 468 per Equity Share:

Particulars	P/E at the Floor Price (no. of times)	P/E at the Cap Price (no. of times)
Based on basic EPS for Financial Year 2023	16.27	17.11
Based on diluted EPS for Financial Year 2023	16.35	17.20

C. Industry Peer Group P/E ratio

Particulars	Industry P/E
Highest	29.12
Lowest	9.51
Average	19.32

Notes:

i. The industry high and low has been considered from the industry peer set provided later in this section.

ii. For industry P/E, P/E figures for the peers are computed based on closing market price as on January 31, 2024 at NSE, divided by Basic EPS (on consolidated basis unless otherwise available only on standalone basis) based on financial results of the respective company for the year ended March 31, 2023 submitted to stock exchanges.

D. Industry peer group price/book ratio

Particulars	Industry Peer P/B
Highest	3.88
Lowest	1.12
Average	2.50

Notes: The industry high and low have been considered from the industry peer set provided later in this section.

For Industry P/B, P/B figures for the peers are computed based on closing market price as on January 31, 2024 at NSE, divided by book value per share based on financial results of the respective company for the year ended March 31, 2023 submitted to stock exchanges.

E. Return on Net Worth ("RoNW")

Particulars	RoNW (%)	Weight
Financial Year 2021	9.05%	1
Financial Year 2022	12.13%	2
Financial Year 2023	15.33%	3

Weighted Average **13.22%** | |

Six months ended September 30, 2023 (not annualised)
 7.64% | |

Six months ended September 30, 2022 (not annualised)
 7.38% | |

Notes:
i. Return on Net Worth (%) stands for ratio of profit after tax to net worth. Net profit after tax, as restated/Net worth as restated, as at period/year end.
ii. Net worth means the aggregate value of paid-up share capital and all reserves created out of the profits and securities premium account and debit or credit balance of profit and loss account, after deducting the aggregate value of the accumulated losses, deferred expenditure and miscellaneous expenditure not written off, as per the audited

balance sheet, but does not include reserves created out of revaluation of assets, write-back of depreciation and amalgamation.

iii. The Weighted Average return on net worth is a product of return on net worth and respective assigned weights dividing the resultant by total aggregate weight.

F. Net Asset Value ("NAV") per Equity Share

Fiscal year ended		NAV per Equity Share (₹)
As on March 31, 2023		178.27
As on September 30, 2023		201.34

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BASIS FOR OFFER PRICE

(₹ in million, unless otherwise specified)

Particulars	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2023	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2023	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2021
Gross loan portfolio - Product Mix					
Agriculture	22,669.26	19,916.76	21,374.52	17,807.45	14,232.11
MSME & Trading	11,533.61	11,295.51	11,204.61	10,926.22	9,730.45
Mortgage	15,288.06	13,166.55	14,344.80	11,284.49	8,096.45
Others	9,168.44	7,546.46	8,148.74	6,868.87	5,570.86
Gross loan portfolio - Product Mix (%)					
Agriculture	38.65%	38.36%	38.81%	37.98%	37.82%
MSME & Trading	19.66%	21.75%	20.35%	23.30%	25.86%
Mortgage	26.06%	25.36%	26.05%	24.07%	21.52%
Others	15.63%	14.53%	14.80%	14.65%	14.80%
Secured Advances as % of Total Advances	99.85%	99.76%	99.82%	99.70%	99.39%
Direct MFI Exposure as a % of Total Advances	-	-	-	-	-
Total Borrowings	5,727.60	7,832.98	7,213.83	4,984.30	6,167.20
Ratio of Deposits to Borrowings	92.8	89.11	90.10	92.8	89.11
Average Credit/Deposit Ratio	79.61%	77.55%	77.96%	70.63%	67.51%
CASA Ratio (%)	37.78%	41.56%	41.88%	42.16%	40.08%
Retail Deposit % in Total Deposits	93.59%	97.92%	97.90%	97.37%	97.60%
Liquidity Coverage Ratio	246.13%	186.70%	214.98%	229.19%	441.49%
Total Employees	1838	1721	1808	1644	1614
Gross Loan Portfolio/Employee	32.18	30.86	31.91	28.78	23.09
Business/Employee	70.58	67.62	69.92	65.90	55.12
Capital					
Net Worth ¹	7,117.58	5,565.12	6,106.10	5,157.81	4,507.90
Total Capital Ratio (CRAR) (%)	20.72%	18.61%	18.87%	18.63%	19.80%
Tier 1 Capital Ratio	15.26%	13.00%	13.69%	13.21%	14.27%
RWD - Risk Weighted Density ²	53.01%	53.14%	52.69%	50.94%	46.72%
Asset Quality					
Gross NPA (%) - Outstanding	2.73%	2.60%	2.77%	2.50%	2.08%
Gross NPA (%) - 3 Years Average	2.55%	2.22%	2.49%	2.16%	1.76%
Net NPA (%)	1.36%	1.35%	1.36%	1.36%	1.13%
Write Offs %	-	-	-	-	-
SMA 2 %	2.29%	1.85%	1.50%	1.37%	2.92%
Provision Coverage Ratio	50.96%	48.62%	51.48%	46.02%	46.14%
Standard Restructured Advances (%)	1.46%	2.24%	1.75%	2.71%	2.23%
Profitability					
Net Profit (₹ in million)	543.91	410.92	935.96	625.69	407.84
PPOP	753.84	672.49	1487.04	1132.14	714.86
Yield on Advances (%) ³	5.55%	5.29%	10.76%	10.89%	11.26%
Cost of Deposits (%) ⁴	2.72%	2.43%	4.90%	5.02%	5.68%
Cost of Funds (%) ⁵	2.84%	2.52%	5.11%	5.20%	5.83%
Net Interest Margin (%) ⁶	2.02%	2.03%	4.19%	3.74%	3.36%
Interest Spread (%) ⁷	2.83%	2.86%	5.66%	5.87%	5.58%
Credit Cost Ratio (%) ⁸	0.04%	0.17%	0.32%	0.42%	0.30%
Operating Expenses to Total Average Assets (%) ⁹	1.47%	1.43%	2.90%	2.87%	2.93%
Cost to Income Ratio (%) ¹⁰	62.35%	61.23%	59.97%	63.42%	70.76%
Return on Total Average Assets (%) ¹¹	0.64%	0.55%	1.22%	0.92%	0.69%
Return on Average Advances(%) ¹²	0.99%	0.86%	1.89%	1.56%	1.23%
Return on Average Equity (%) ¹³	8.23%	7.66%	16.62%	12.95%	9.51%

Notes:

¹Net worth is sum of outstanding balances of capital and reserves & surplus.²Risk Weighted Density represents percentage of risk weighted assets to total exposure.³Yield on Advances is ratio of interest earned on advances to average advances.⁴Cost of deposits is ratio of interest expended on deposits to average deposits.⁵Cost of funds is interest expended on average interest-bearing liabilities.⁶Net interest margin is the difference of interest earned and interest expended divided by the average total assets.⁷Interest spread is the difference of yield on advances and cost of deposits.⁸It is ratio of total provisions created for advances to average total assets. Provision includes provision created during the period for NPAs and standard advances.⁹It represents ratios of total operating expense other than interest expended to average total assets.¹⁰Cost to income ratio is calculated as a ratio of operating expenses divided by total operating income (total of net interest income and non-interest income).¹¹ROA represents ratios of profit after tax to average total assets.¹²Return on average advances is ratio of Profit after tax to average advances.¹³ROE is ratio of profit after tax to average net worth. Average net worth is average of opening and closing balances of capital plus reserves and surplus.

For details of our other operating metrics disclosed elsewhere in the Red Herring Prospectus, see "Our Business" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" on pages 203 and 337 of the RHP, respectively. We have described and defined the KPIs, as applicable, in the section "Definitions and Abbreviations" on page 1 of the RHP.

I. Description on the historic use of the KPIs by our Bank to analyze, track or monitor the operational and/or financial performance of our Bank

In evaluating our business, we consider and use certain KPIs as presented above, as a supplemental measure to review and assess our financial and operating performance. The presentation of these KPIs are not intended to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the Restated Financial Information. We use these KPIs to evaluate our financial and operating performance. Some of these KPIs are not defined under Ind AS and are not presented in accordance with Ind AS. These KPIs have limitations as analytical tools. Further, these KPIs may differ from the similar information used by other companies and hence their comparability may be limited. Therefore, these metrics should not be considered in isolation or construed as an alternative to Ind AS measures of performance or as an indicator of our operating performance, liquidity, profitability or results of operation. Although these KPIs are not a measure of performance calculated in accordance with applicable accounting standards, our Bank's management believes that it provides an additional tool for investors to use in evaluating our ongoing operating results and trends and in comparing our financial results with other companies and banks in our industry because it provides consistency and comparability with past financial performance, when taken collectively with financial measures prepared in accordance with Ind AS.

Explanation for the KPIs is set forth below:

Key Performance Indicators	Explanation
Operations	
Banking outlets	Number of branches operated by our Bank.
No. of States(including UTs)	Number of States where branches are physically operated.
Total Business (Sum of Deposits and Advances)	Total business comprises the aggregate of advances and deposits.
Business Per branch	The calculation for business per branch involves dividing the total business by the average number of branches.
Total Deposits (₹ in million)	Total deposits of the bank includes current, saving and term deposit of the Bank.
Total Deposits Growth (%) (3 Year CAGR)	The growth in deposits for the relevant period is determined by comparing the deposits of the current period to those of the corresponding previous period.
Deposits Per Branch	The calculation for deposit per branch involves dividing the total deposit by the average number of branches.
Gross loan portfolio	Gross Loan portfolio includes on-book and off-book advances.
Gross Loan Portfolio Growth (3 Year CAGR)	The growth in Gross Loan Portfolio for the relevant period is determined by comparing the gross loan of the current period to those of the corresponding previous period.
Total Disbursements	Total disbursement comprises of amount of loans/limits disbursed by the Bank during the relevant period.
Gross Loan Portfolio/Branch	The calculation for gross loan portfolio per branch involves dividing the gross loan portfolio by the average number of branches.
Gross Loan portfolio product mix	Composition of different loan products includes Agri, MSME and Trading, Mortgage and others and the percentage thereof.
Secured Advances (percentage)	Percentage of Secured Advances to Gross advances that are backed or secured by collateral or assets in any form.
Direct MFI exposure	Direct MFI exposure as a percentage of total advances.
Total Borrowings	Total borrowings is sum of various loans and advances extended to the Bank including debentures, refinance facility and money market borrowing.
Ratio of Deposits to Borrowings	Total deposits of the bank to total borrowings expressed for the period as percentage.
Average Credit to Deposit ratio	Total Average Credit of the Bank to total average deposits of the bank expressed for the relevant period as percentage.
CASA Ratio (%)	Current and saving account deposit to total deposits for the period expressed as percentage.
Retail Deposits (%)	Current account deposit, saving account deposit and retail deposit to total deposits expressed for the period as percentage.
Liquidity Coverage ratio	LCR is the ratio of high quality liquid assets by total net cash outflow over next 30 days.
Total Employees	Total employees is the number of employees at the end of relevant period.
Gross Loan Portfolio Per employee	The calculation for gross loan portfolio per branch involves dividing the gross loan portfolio by the average number of employees.
Business Per Employee	The calculation for business per branch involves dividing the total business by the average number of employees.
Capital	
Net Worth	Sum of outstanding balances of capital and reserves & surplus.
Total Capital Ratio (CRAR) (%)	Total Capital Ratio (CRAR) is the total of Capital to Risk Weighted Asset Ratio (CRAR) (as a percentage of Credit Risk Weighted Assets).
Tier 1 Capital Ratio (%)	Tier 1 Capital Ratio consists mainly of share capital and disclosed reserves, and it is a bank's highest quality capital because it is fully available to cover losses.
Risk Weighted Density (RWD)	Ratio of risk weighted assets to total loan exposure for the relevant period.
Asset Quality	
Gross NPA as a percentage of gross loan advances (%)	Gross NPA to the Gross Loan Advances as of the last day of the relevant period.
Gross NPA (%) average	Gross NPA average expresses as a percentage of advances for the three periods.
Net NPA as a percentage of net advances (%)	Net NPA (%) is net Non-Performing Assets as at the period end / Net Advances.
Write-offs (%)	It represents the ratio of loans write-offs (technical and otherwise) to gross loan portfolio for the relevant period.
SMA 2 (%)	SMA 2 (%) - Special Mention Account 2, refers to those standard advances that shows overdue between 61 to 90 days as a percentage to gross loan portfolio.
Provision Coverage Ratio (%)	Provision Coverage Ratio represents the ratio of NPA provision to gross NPA as at end of relevant period.
Standard restricted Advances %	Standard restricted book to gross advances for the period expressed as percentage
Profitability	
Net Profit	Net Profit is net profit after tax available for equity shareholders.
Pre-Provision Operating Profit (PPOP)	Pre-Provision Operating Profit represents difference of total income and expenses excluding provisions and contingencies
Yield on Advances (%)	Ratio of interest income on loan assets for a period to the average advances for the period expressed as a percentage
Cost of Deposits (%)	Interest expense on deposits to average total deposits for the period expressed as percentage
Cost of Funds (%)	Interest expense to the average of sum of deposits and borrowings for the period expressed as percentage
Net interest Margin (%)	Net interest income on the loans for a period to the average total assets for the period, represented as a percentage
Interest Spread (%)	Interest spread is difference of Yield on advances and cost of deposits
Credit Cost Ratio (%)	Credit Cost Ratio is calculated as the ratio of total provisions created for advances to the bank's average assets for the relevant period expressed as a percentage.
Operating Expenses to Total Average Assets (%)	Operating expenses for a period to the Average Total Assets for the period
Cost to Income Ratio (%)	Ratio of Operating expenses for a period to the sum of net interest income and non-interest income for the period
Return on Average Advances (%)	Profit After Tax for the relevant period as a percentage of Average Advances in such period
Return on Average Total Assets (%)	Profit after Tax for the relevant period as a percentage of Average Total Assets in such period
Return on Average Equity (%)	Profit After Tax for the relevant period as a percentage of Average Net Worth/Equity in such period

J. Comparison of KPIs with Listed Peers

Particulars	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2023	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2023	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2021
Operations					

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<i>Notes:</i>
'Banking outlet Number of banking outlets represents aggregate number of banking outlets (including Business Correspondent run outlets) as of the last day of the relevant year.
*Net worth is sum of outstanding balances of capital and reserves & surplus.
*Risk Weighted Density represents percentage of risk weighted assets to total exposure
*Gross NPA (%) - 3 year average represents average of Gross NPAs ratios as at end of relevant periods.
*Yield on advances is ratio of interest earned on advances to average advances.
*Cost of deposits is ratio of interest expended on deposits to average deposits.
*Cost of funds is interest expended on average interest-bearing liabilities.
*Net interest margin is the difference of interest earned and interest expended divided by the average total assets.
*Interest spread is the difference of yield on advances and cost of deposits.
*It is ratio of total provisions created for advances to average total assets. Provision includes provision created during the period for NPAs and standard advances.
*It represents ratios of total operating expense other than interest expended to average total assets.
*Cost to income ratio is calculated as a ratio of operating expenses divided by total operating income (total of net interest income and non-interest income).
*ROA represents ratios of profit after tax to average total assets.
*Return on average advances is ratio of Profit after tax to average advances.
*ROE is ratio of profit after tax to average net worth. Average net worth is average of opening and closing balances of capital plus reserves and surplus
All Averages in the above table are calculated basis average of opening and closing balances as at the end of relevant periods except where the ratios are readily available in public sources.

3. IDFC First Bank

Particulars	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2023	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2023	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2021
Operations					
Banking outlets	862	670	809	641	596
No. of States(including UTs)	NA	NA	28	29	23
Total Business (Sum of Deposits and Advances)	3,544,719.10	2,688,043.80	29,74,110.00	22,64,845.97	20,56,632.44
Business Per Branch	4,204.89	4,100.75	4,102.22	3,661.84	3,880.44
Total Deposits (₹ in million)	1,712,359.10	1,234,423.80	14,44,695.04	10,55,396.27	8,85,362.44
Total Deposits Growth (%) (3 Year CAGR)	31.21%	21.21%	30.45%	14.41%	8.15%
Deposits Per Branch	2,031.27	1,868.92	1,992.68	1,706.38	1,670.50
Gross loan portfolio	1,832,360.00	1,453,620.00	15,48,297.10	12,09,949.70	11,71,270.00
Gross Loan Portfolio Growth (3 Year CAGR)	19.70%	10.53%	13.11%	3.09%	17.04%
Total Disbursements	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Gross Loan Portfolio/Branch	2,193.13	2,217.57	2,135.58	1,955.46	2,209.94
Gross loan portfolio - Product Mix					
Home Loan	219,883	174,434	195,520	3,02,362	1,06,130
LAP	219,883	188,971	2,01,990	-	1,53,200
Wheels	183,236	130,826	1,48,230	96,756	1,07,630
Consumer Loans	238,207	188,971	198,860	1,57,228	1,39,490
Education Loans	18,324	-	9,330	-	-
Commercial Loans	146,589	130,826	-	1,08,850	-
Credit Card	36,647	29,072	35,100	24,189	4,280
Gold Loans	5,680	-	2,560	72,567	-
Others	214,203	116,290	1,18,670	-	1,36,630
Rural Finance	201,560	145,362	1,91,810	1,20,945	76,580
SME & Corporate Finance	311,501	290,724	4,57,280	2,66,079	3,39,240
Infrastructure	36,647	58,145	46,640	60,472	1,08,080
Gross loan portfolio - Product Mix (%)					
Home Loan	12.00%	12.00%	12.17%	25.00%	9.06%
LAP	12.00%	13.00%	12.58%	0.00%	13.08%
Wheels	10.00%	9.00%	9.23%	8.00%	9.19%
Consumer Loans	13.00%	13.00%	12.38%	13.00%	11.91%
Education Loans	1.00%	0.00%	0.58%	0.00%	0.00%
Commercial Loans	8.00%	9.00%	0.00%	9.00%	0.00%
Credit Card	2.00%	2.00%	2.19%	2.00%	0.37%
Gold Loans	0.31%	0.00%	0.16%	6.00%	0.00%
Others	11.69%	8.00%	7.39%	0.00%	11.67%
Rural Finance	11.00%	10.00%	11.94%	10.00%	6.54%
SME & Corporate Finance	17.00%	20.00%	28.47%	22.00%	28.96%
Infrastructure	2.00%	4.00%	2.90%	5.00%	9.23%
Secured Advances as % of Total Advances	NA	NA	52.93%	NA	NA
Direct MFI Exposure as a % of Total Advances	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Borrowings	531,655.20	566,430.10	5,72,120.92	5,29,625.99	4,57,860.85
Ratio of Deposits to Borrowings	76.31%	68.55%	71.63%	66.59%	65.91%
Average Credit/Deposit Ratio	110.98%	125.06%	110.31%	122.67%	145.90%
CASA Ratio (%)	46.40%	51.28%	49.77%	48.44%	51.75%
Retail Deposit % in Total Deposits	77.00%	68.74%	76.00%	64.46%	72.17%
Liquidity Coverage Ratio	122.00%	131.00%	120.11%	135.78%	153.34%
Total Employees	NA	NA	35,352	27,804	24,169
Gross Loan Portfolio/Employee	NA	NA	49.03	46.54	52.77
Business/Employee	NA	NA	94.18	87.15	92.66
Capital					
Net Worth ¹	276,754.00	220,518.80	2,58,104.36	2,09,873.61	1,78,077.96
Total Capital Ratio (CRAR) (%)	16.54%	15.35%	16.82%	16.74%	13.77%
Tier 1 Capital Ratio	13.49%	13.67%	14.20%	14.88%	13.27%
RWD - Risk Weighted Density ²	66.97%	NA	64.99%	62.81%	67.95%
Asset Quality					
Gross NPA (%) - Outstanding	2.11%	3.18%	2.51%	3.70%	4.15%
Gross NPA (%) - 3 Years Average ³	3.19%	3.02%	3.45%	3.48%	3.06%
Net NPA (%)	0.68%	1.09%	0.86%	1.53%	1.86%
Write Offs %	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
SMA 2 %	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Provision Coverage Ratio	84.09%	76.49%	80.29%	70.29%	63.57%
Standard Restructured Advances (%)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Profitability					
Net Profit (₹ in million)	15,160	10,300	24,371.35	1,454.90	4,522.80
PPPOP	30,110	21,130	493,193.53	32,837.5	24,983.08
Yield on Advances (%) ⁴	7.08%	6.39%	13.89%	11.91%	13.57%
Cost of Deposits (%) ⁵	NA	NA	4.98%	4.42%	6.16%
Cost of Funds (%) ⁶	NA	NA	3.49%	5.10%	6.68%
Net Interest Margin (%) ⁷	6.32%	5.98%	5.88%	5.49%	4.73%
Interest Spread (%) ⁸	NA	NA	8.91%	7.49%	7.42%
Credit Cost Ratio (%) ⁹	NA	NA	0.79%	1.81%	NA
Operating Expenses to Total Average Assets (%) ¹⁰	2.98%	2.76%	5.63%	5.43%	4.52%
Cost to Income Ratio (%) ¹¹	72.66%	73.34%	70.79%	74.51%	73.51%
Return on Total Average Assets (%) ¹²	0.60%	0.54%	1.13%	0.08%	0.28%
Return on Average Advances (%) ¹³	0.44%	0.38%	1.77%	0.12%	0.40%
Return on Average Equity (%) ¹⁴	5.68%	5.07%	10.42%	0.75%	2.73%
<i>Notes:</i>					
'Banking outlet Number of banking outlets represents aggregate number of banking outlets (including Business Correspondent run outlets) as of the last day of the relevant year.					
*Net worth is sum of outstanding balances of capital and reserves & surplus.					
*Risk Weighted Density represents percentage of risk weighted assets to total exposure					
*Gross NPA(%) - 3 year average represents average of Gross NPAs ratios as at end of relevant periods.					
*Yield on advances is ratio of interest earned on advances to average advances.					
*Cost of deposits is ratio of interest expended on deposits to average deposits.					
*Cost of funds is interest expended on average interest-bearing liabilities.					
*Net interest margin is the difference of interest earned and interest expended divided by the average total assets.					
*Interest spread is the difference of yield on advances and cost of deposits.					
*It is ratio of total provision created for advances to average total assets. Provision includes provision created during the period for NPAs and standard advances.					
*It represents ratios of total operating expense other than interest expended to average total assets.					
*Cost to income ratio is calculated as a ratio of operating expenses divided by total operating income (total of net interest income and non-interest income).					
*ROA represents ratios of profit after tax to average total assets.					
*Return on average advances is ratio of Profit after tax to average advances.					
*ROE is ratio of profit after tax to average net worth. Average net worth is average of opening and closing balances of capital plus reserves and surplus					
All Averages in the above table are calculated basis average of opening and closing balances as at the end of relevant periods except where the ratios are readily available in public sources.					

4. ESAF Small Finance Bank

Particulars	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2023	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2023	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2021
Operations					
Banking outlets	700	NA	700	575	550
No. of States(including UTs)	23	23	23	23	23
Total Business (Sum of Deposits and Advances)	3,49,062.90	2,74,296.20	3,09,968.90	2,51,557.63	1,74,144.26
Business Per Branch	498.66	NA	486.23	447.21	346.90
Total Deposits (₹ in million)	1,74,162.90	1,46,656.20	1,46,656.25	1,	

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Particulars	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2023	As at and for the six months ended September 30, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2023	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2022	As at and for the financial year ended March 31, 2021
Gross loan portfolio - Product Mix (₹ in million)					
Micro Banking - Rural Banking	1,91,332.80	NA	1,74,077.62	1,23,440.00	1,08,680.00
Financial Institutions Group	13,287.00	NA	11,275.26	8,550.00	6,480.00
Housing Finance	39,861.00	NA	34,010.62	27,340.00	20,500.00
MSME	13,287.00	NA	15,933.58	17,100.00	12,860.00
Personal & Staff Loans	2,657.40	NA	2,421.05	1,816.00	1,380.00
Vehicle Finance	1,328.70	NA	1,403.28	1,620.00	730.00
Loan/DD against Deposit/Gold Loan	1,328.70	NA	1,728.72	1,754.00	769.60
Gross loan portfolio - Product Mix (%)					
Micro Banking - Rural Banking	72.00%	NA	72.28%	67.97%	71.78%
Financial Institutions Group	5.00%	NA	4.68%	4.71%	4.28%
Housing Finance	15.00%	NA	14.12%	15.05%	13.54%
MSME	5.00%	NA	6.62%	9.42%	8.49%
Personal & Staff Loans	1.00%	NA	1.01%	1.00%	0.91%
Vehicle Finance	0.50%	NA	0.58%	0.89%	0.48%
Loan/DD against Deposit/Gold Loan	0.50%	NA	0.72%	0.97%	0.51%
Secured Advances as % of Total Advances	NA	NA	NA	26.20%	NA
Direct MFI Exposure as a % of Total Advances	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Borrowings	37,328.00	17,332.90	26,414.60	17,635.62	NA
Ratio of Deposits to Borrowings	88.64%	92.17%	90.63%	91.21%	100.00%
Average Credit/Deposit Ratio	92.65%	101.06%	96.39%	105.96%	122.48%
CASA Ratio (%)	24.06%	26.95%	26.41%	27.30%	20.55%
Retail Deposit % in Total Deposits (CASA+retail)	64.58%	63.96%	66.03%	54.24%	47.52%
Liquidity Coverage Ratio	158.00%	NA	180.43%	126.41%	116.13%
Total Employees	21,040	16,620	17,870	16,895	16,571
Gross Loan Portfolio/Employee	13.66	12.49	13.86	10.85	8.80
Business/Employee	28.64	24.67	28.55	21.79	16.43
Capital:					
Net Worth ¹	47,710.00	37,690.00	42,091.07	28,026.34	32,187.52
Total Capital Ratio (CRAR) (%)	25.19%	26.69%	25.81%	18.99%	26.44%
Tier 1 Capital Ratio	22.50%	23.37%	22.69%	17.70%	25.06%
RWD - Risk Weighted Density ²	48.76%	51.09%	48.99%	55.03%	56.64%
Asset Quality:					
Gross NPA (%) - Outstanding	2.20%	4.40%	2.88%	7.34%	7.07%
Gross NPA (%) - 3 Years Average	NA	NA	5.76%	5.13%	2.99%
Net NPA (%)	0.09%	0.04%	0.04%	0.61%	2.93%
Write Offs %	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
SMA 2 %	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Provision Coverage Ratio	96.00%	99.00%	98.41%	92.20%	60.34%
Standard Restructured Advances (%)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Profitability:					
Net Profit (₹ in million)	6,518.10	4,972.30	10,999.20	-4,145.90	82.97
PPOP	9,412.50	6,855.50	14,850.33	6,370.98	8,007.84
Yield on Advances (%) ³ (* quarter)	9.60%	9.10%	18.40%	16.60%	18.50%
Cost of Deposits (%) ⁴ (* quarter)	3.70%	3.10%	6.41%	6.16%	7.10%
Cost of Funds (%) ⁵ (* quarter)	3.70%	3.10%	6.50%	6.30%	7.20%
Net Interest Margin (%) ⁶	4.50%	4.85%	9.48%	8.79%	9.50%
Interest Spread (%) ⁷	5.90%	6.00%	11.99%	10.44%	11.40%
Credit Cost Ratio (%) ⁸	NA	NA	0.06%	5.29%	NA
Operating Expenses to Total Average Assets (%) ⁹	2.90%	3.35%	6.33%	6.80%	6.34%
Cost to Income Ratio (%) ¹⁰	53.00%	55.00%	54.82%	70.00%	60.34%
Return on Total Average Assets (%) ¹¹	1.80%	1.95%	3.90%	-1.90%	0.04%
Return on Average Advances (%) ¹²	2.57%	2.54%	5.21%	-2.49%	0.06%
Return on Average Equity (%) ¹³	14.50%	15.10%	31.40%	-13.80%	0.26%

Notes:

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Past Transactions

Date of Acquisition of Equity Shares	Name of Acquirer/Shareholder	Number of Equity Shares acquired	Acquisition price per Equity Share (in ₹)*
June 17, 2023	Max Life Insurance Co Ltd	1,057,700	468
March 29, 2022	Shahbaz Singh Samra*	475,513*	NA
August 20, 2021	Raman Kumar Gupta	1,000	150
June 14, 2021	Darshna Devi	6,667	150
May 28, 2021	Mirni Gupta	4,000	132
	Deepali Gupta	5,390	132
	Dinesh Gupta	24,450	132

*Transmitted by the Depository Participant in the name of the second and third holder, i.e., Shahbaz Singh Samra and Sangram Singh Samra pursuant to the death of Swaran Singh, in accordance with the applicable law.

³As certified by M/s VP Bhalla & Associates, by way of certificate dated February 1, 2024.

M. The Floor Price is 445 times and the Cap Price is 468 times the weighted average cost of acquisition (based on transaction(s) as disclosed in point L above) at which the Equity Shares were issued by our Bank or acquired or sold by our Promoters, the Promoter Group or other shareholders with rights to nominate directors in the last 18 months preceding the date of the Red Herring Prospectus are disclosed below:

Past Transactions	Weighted average cost of acquisition (in ₹)	Floor Price (in ₹)*	Cap Price (in ₹)*
WACA of Equity Shares that were issued by our Bank	468.00	0.95 times	1.00 times
WACA of Equity Shares that were acquired or sold by way of Secondary Transactions	135.32*	3.29 times	3.46 times

excluding transmission

N. Justification for Basis of Offer Price

The following provides an explanation to the Cap Price being 1.00 times of weighted average cost of acquisition of primary issuances price and secondary transactions price of equity shares (as disclosed above) along with our Bank's KPIs and financial ratios for the Financial Years ended March 31, 2023, March 31, 2022 and March 31, 2021 and in view of external factors, if any

We have an experience of over two decades in the banking industry, having been incorporated in 1999. We are among the leading SFBs in India in terms of cost of funds, retail deposits and CASA deposit for the first half of fiscal 2024;

We focus primarily on the middle-income customer segments i.e., customers with an average annual income of ₹ 0.4 million to ₹ 5 million in semi-urban and rural areas with 41.62% of our branches in rural areas, 34.68% branches in semi-urban areas and 23.70% of our branches in urban areas as on September 30, 2023.

As of September 30, 2023, we were present in five States and one Union Territory with 173 branches and 175 ATMs with 76.30% of our branches located in rural and semi-urban areas covering 24 districts and 75.75% of our total customers (both credit and deposit). We plan to continue to expand our business.

We have diversified portfolio with sizeable book in multiple asset classes with proportion of secured lending of 99.85% as on September 30, 2023.

We have average gross NPA ratio of 2.52% and average net NPA ratios of 1.30% with negligible write offs as a percentage of loan book for previous three Fiscals and first half of current fiscal year from Fiscal 2021 to six months period ended September 30, 2023.

We also had consistent asset quality in the range of 2-3% from Fiscal 2021 to six months period ended September 30, 2023.

Our retail deposits (as a % of total deposits), and C ASA deposits stood at 97.90%, and 41.88%, as on March 31, 2023 and 93.59%, and 37.76%, as on September 30, 2023, respectively. We have the highest CASA ratio of 37.76% as of H1 fiscal 2024 as compared with other SFBs and is comparable with leading private sector banks;

As on September 30, 2023 and March 31, 2023 respectively, 99.85% and 99.82% of our loan book was secured with 84.26% and 85.16% of the loans secured by immovable properties.

We have the highest branch concentration towards rural and semi-urban areas amongst compared SFBs as of H1 fiscal 2024 with 40.68% branches in rural areas, 33.90% in semi-urban and 19.21% in urban areas;

O. The Offer price is [•] times of the face value of the Equity Shares

The Offer Price of ₹ [•] has been determined by our Bank in consultation with the BRLMs, on the basis of market demand from investors for Equity Shares through the Book Building Process and is justified in view of the above qualitative and quantitative parameters.

Investors should read the abovementioned information along with "Risk Factors", "Our Business", "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and "Financial Statements" on pages 27, 203, 337 and 260 of the RHP, respectively, to have a more informed view. The trading price of Equity Shares could decline due to factors mentioned in "Risk Factors" beginning on page 27 of the RHP and you may lose all or part of your investments.

FOR FURTHER DETAILS, SEE "BASIS OF OFFER PRICE" ON PAGE 149 OF THE RHP.

THE EQUITY SHARES OF OUR COMPANY WILL GET LISTED ON MAIN BOARD PLATFORM OF BSE AND NSE

In case of any revision in the Price Band, the Bid/ Offer Period will be extended by at least three additional Working Days after such revision in the Price Band, subject to the Bid/ Offer Period not exceeding 10 Working Days. In cases of force majeure, banking strike or similar circumstances, our Bank may, in consultation with the BRLMs, for reasons to be recorded in writing, extend the Bid/ Offer Period for a minimum of three Working Days, subject to the Bid/ Offer Period not exceeding 10 Working Days. Any revision in the Price Band and the revised Bid/ Offer Period, if applicable, shall be widely disseminated by notification to the Stock Exchanges, by issuing a public notice, and also by indicating the change on the respective websites of the BRLMs and at the terminals of the Syndicate Members and by intimation to Designated Intermediaries and the Sponsor Bank, as applicable.

The Offer is being made through the Book Building Process, in terms of Rule 19(2)(b) of the Securities Contracts (Regulation) Rules, 1957, as amended ("SCRR") read with Regulation 31 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and in compliance with Regulation 6(1) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, wherein not more than 50% of the Offer shall be available for allocation on a proportionate basis to Qualified Institutional Buyers ("QIBs") ("QIB Portion"), provided that our Bank may, in consultation with the BRLMs, allocate up to 60% of the QIB Portion to Anchor Investors on a discretionary basis in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations ("Anchor Investor Portion"), of which one-third shall be reserved for Designated Institutional Bidders and two-thirds shall be reserved for Non-Institutional Bidders of which (a) one-third shall be reserved for applicants with application size of more than ₹ 200,000 and up to ₹ 1,00,000; and (b) two-third shall be reserved for applicants with application size of more than ₹ 1,00,000, provided that the unsubscribed portion in either of such sub-categories may be allocated to applicants

