

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 30 June 2024

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# Statement of comprehensive income

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	NOTE	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>CAPITAL MARKETS OPERATIONS</b>			
<b>Net gain on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss</b>			
Gain on financial assets	3	4 967 619	2 382 028
Loss on financial liabilities	3	(4 797 306)	(2 226 944)
		<b>170 313</b>	155 084
<b>Other income</b>			
Fee income		<b>102 724</b>	100 738
		<b>102 724</b>	100 738
<b>Expenses</b>			
Administration expenses	4	(81 720)	(80 111)
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	13	(1 934)	(1 935)
		<b>(83 654)</b>	(82 046)
<b>Profit from Capital Markets Operations before income tax</b>			
		<b>189 383</b>	173 776
Income tax expense	5	(22 572)	(17 372)
<b>Profit from Capital Markets Operations after income tax</b>			
		<b>166 811</b>	156 404
<b>STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS</b>			
<b>Net return from investments</b>			
Net change in fair value of unit trusts	15	7 155 611	2 965 642
Net change in fair value of fixed rate notes	15	(4 047 859)	19 279
Interest on fixed rate notes	15	(2 839 209)	(2 738 745)
Management fees	15	(268 543)	(246 176)
<b>Profit from State Investment Operations</b>			
		-	-
<b>Total net profit for the year after tax</b>			
		<b>166 811</b>	156 404
<b>Total comprehensive profit attributable to the owner</b>			
		<b>166 811</b>	156 404
<b>Total comprehensive income derived from:</b>			
Capital Markets Operations		<b>166 811</b>	156 404
State Investment Operations		-	-
<b>Total comprehensive income</b>			
		<b>166 811</b>	156 404

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

Throughout these financial statements the Capital Markets Operations and the State Investment Operations have been disclosed separately to distinguish between QTC's main central financing authority role and its additional responsibilities following the transfer of portfolios of assets to QTC to support the State's superannuation obligations and other long-term Government initiatives (refer note 1).

# Balance sheet

As at 30 June 2024

	NOTE	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>ASSETS – CAPITAL MARKETS OPERATIONS</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	6	7 632 966	7 354 347
Receivables		19 375	11 189
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	7	33 183 554	30 896 629
Derivative financial assets	8	169 892	116 079
Onlendings	9	98 262 325	91 406 615
Property, plant and equipment		1 063	1 712
Right-of-use assets	13	3 157	5 091
Intangible assets		735	-
Deferred tax asset		3 176	3 498
		<b>139 276 243</b>	129 795 160
<b>ASSETS – STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS</b>			
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	15	46 548 219	43 474 801
		<b>46 548 219</b>	43 474 801
<b>Total Assets</b>		<b>185 824 462</b>	173 269 961
<b>LIABILITIES – CAPITAL MARKETS OPERATIONS</b>			
Payables		34 977	26 421
Derivative financial liabilities	8	273 407	239 145
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss			
- Interest-bearing liabilities	10(a)	128 044 277	118 533 840
- Deposits	10(b)	10 072 212	10 307 948
Lease liabilities	13	5 941	9 362
Other liabilities		6 810	6 636
		<b>138 437 624</b>	129 123 352
<b>LIABILITIES – STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS</b>			
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	15	46,548,219	43 474 801
		<b>46,548,219</b>	43 474 801
<b>Total Liabilities</b>		<b>184 985 843</b>	172 598 153
<b>Net Assets</b>		<b>838 619</b>	671 808
<b>EQUITY – CAPITAL MARKETS OPERATIONS</b>			
Retained surplus		838 619	671 808
		<b>838 619</b>	671 808
<b>EQUITY – STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS</b>			
Retained surplus		-	-
<b>Total Equity</b>		<b>838 619</b>	671 808

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# Statement of changes in equity

For the year ended 30 June 2024

	NOTE	CAPITAL MARKETS OPERATIONS  RETAINED SURPLUS \$000	STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS  RETAINED SURPLUS \$000	TOTAL EQUITY \$000
Balance at 1 July 2022		555 404	-	555 404
Profit for the year		156 404	-	156 404
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:				
- Dividend paid	23	(40 000)	-	(40 000)
<b>Balance at 30 June 2023</b>		<b>671 808</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>671 808</b>
Balance at 1 July 2023		671 808	-	671 808
Profit for the year		166 811	-	166 811
<b>Balance at 30 June 2024</b>		<b>838 619</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>838 619</b>

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# Statement of cash flows

For the year ended 30 June 2024

	NOTE	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Interest received from onlendings		3 439 985	3 005 187
Interest received from investments and other sources		1 733 738	971 866
Fees received		102 724	98 441
Net Goods and Services Tax (GST)		(13)	(3)
Interest paid on interest-bearing liabilities		(6 222 479)	(5 287 697)
Administration expenses paid		(89 130)	(88 169)
Interest paid on deposits		(558 671)	(244 556)
Income tax paid		(16 923)	(10 302)
<b>Net cash used in operating activities</b>	14(a)	<b>(1 610 769)</b>	(1 555 233)
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Proceeds from sale of investments		50 297 448	48 372 490
Payments for investments		(52 696 953)	(50 492 487)
Net client onlendings		(7 003 047)	1 515 514
Payments for intangibles		(735)	-
Payments for property, plant and equipment		(133)	(193)
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>		<b>(9 403 420)</b>	(604 676)
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>			
Proceeds from interest-bearing liabilities		34 992 948	29 660 715
Repayment of interest-bearing liabilities		(23 459 774)	(27 184 998)
Net client deposits		(240 366)	1 831 261
Dividends paid		-	(40 000)
<b>Net cash provided by financing activities</b>	14(b)	<b>11 292 808</b>	4 266 978
<b>Net increase in cash and cash equivalents held</b>		<b>278 619</b>	2 107 069
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 July		7 354 347	5 247 278
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at 30 June</b>	6	<b>7 632 966</b>	7 354 347

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# Notes to the Financial Statements

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## 1 General information

Queensland Treasury Corporation (QTC) is the Queensland Government's central financing authority. It also provides a range of financial services to State public sector entities, local governments and universities. QTC is constituted under the *Queensland Treasury Corporation Act 1988 (the Act)*, with the Under Treasurer designated as the Corporation Sole under section 5(2) of *the Act*. QTC is domiciled in Queensland, Australia, with its principal place of business being 111 Eagle Street, Brisbane, Queensland. QTC's ultimate parent is the State of Queensland (the State).

QTC's business operations are made up of two segments, namely Capital Markets Operations and State Investment Operations (SIO).

### Capital Markets Operations

The remit of Capital Markets Operations includes debt funding, cash management, financial risk management advisory and specialist public finance education. The Capital Markets Operations are overseen by the Capital Markets Board (CMB).

Debt funding is provided to clients at an interest rate based on QTC's cost of funds plus a loan administration fee. The loan administration fee funds the operational expenses associated with the capital markets business. QTC passes on the returns of asset management to its clients and retains the unrealised gains/losses associated with credit spread movements on its balance sheet until the sale of the asset or its maturity.

Capital Markets Operations also generates a net return from financial markets instruments held for capital and liquidity purposes.

In undertaking its capital markets activities, QTC maintains adequate capital to manage its risks having regard to its Capital Policy.

Operating surpluses are periodically paid to the State Consolidated Fund as dividends.

### State Investment Operations

SIO consists of portfolios of assets that were transferred to QTC by the State.

The assets of this segment are held in unit trusts managed by QIC Limited (QIC) and overseen by the State Investment Advisory Board (SIAB). These assets are invested in two portfolios, the Long Term Assets (LTA) portfolio and the Queensland Future Fund (QFF) portfolio. Each portfolio has its own investment management agreement. In the case of the Long Term Assets portfolio, a number of sub-portfolios exist.

The assets of the State Investment Operations segment have no impact on QTC's Capital Market Operations and there is no cash flow effect for QTC.

### Long Term Assets Portfolio

The LTA portfolio consists of assets that were transferred to QTC by the State and invested in several sub-portfolios:

#### a. Endowment Portfolio

The assets in this portfolio are held to fund the State's superannuation and other long-term obligations.

#### b. State Initiatives Portfolio

This portfolio was established to support state initiatives.

#### c. Government Holdings Portfolio

Held securities of investments which are strategically important to the State. This portfolio was closed with the portfolio holdings transferred to the State in May 2024.

Other than the transfer of the entire Government Holdings Portfolio, there were no additional non-cash assets transferred to, or from these portfolios during the 2023-24 financial year.

### Queensland Future Fund

The QFF and its sub portfolio, the Debt Retirement Fund (DRF) were established as funds under the *Queensland Future Fund Act 2020*. The DRF was set up to support both the State's credit rating and generate returns to reduce the State's debt burden.

Withdrawals from the DRF are limited to amounts to reduce the State's debt, and fees or expenses associated with administering the fund by the *Queensland Future Fund Act 2020*.

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## Fixed Rate Notes

A Fixed Rate Note (FRN) has been issued by QTC for each of the SIO portfolios in return for the transfer of assets from the State. Both FRNs have an interest rate of 6.5% per annum (2023: 6.5%) which accrues on the book value of the FRN.

- The FRN issued to match the LTA portfolio is for the benefit of the State's Consolidated Fund.
- The FRN issued to match the QFF portfolio is for the benefit of Queensland Treasury.

Recognising the direct relationship between the FRNs and the assets of SIO, any difference between the return paid by QTC on the FRNs and the return received by QTC on the invested assets is recognised in the financial statements annually as a market value adjustment to the value of the FRNs. Any market value adjustment does not impact QTC's Capital Markets Operations or its ability to meet its obligations.

SIAB members include representatives from Queensland Treasury and external members with experience in investment management and governance. SIAB has been delegated all responsibility for overseeing SIO within a framework provided by the State. This includes determining an appropriate investment strategy, monitoring investment performance and the performance of the investment manager (QIC), and monitoring compliance with relevant internal controls, standards and legislation. The formulation of strategic asset allocation, performance and monitoring of SIO's assets is therefore distinct from QTC's CMB and day-to-day Capital Markets Operations. Specifically, it is the responsibility of SIAB and its appointed investment manager (QIC).

Each year, QTC's CMB receives relevant information about the assets of SIO in order to prepare financial statements in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and other prescribed requirements. QIC is responsible for assisting SIAB to provide this relevant information to the QTC CMB.

## 2 Material accounting policies and other explanatory information

The material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial report are set out below and in the relevant notes to the financial statements.

### (a) Basis of preparation

These general purpose financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2024 have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted by the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB), the *Financial Accountability Act 2009*, the *Financial and Performance Management Standard 2019*, and the Financial Reporting Requirements for Queensland Government Agencies (as applicable to statutory bodies) for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2023.

### Compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards

QTC is a not-for-profit entity, however in preparing these financial statements QTC has elected to comply with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) as if it is a for-profit entity.

### Changes in accounting policy, disclosures, standards and interpretations

#### **New accounting standards and interpretations**

No new accounting standards became effective for the year ended 30 June 2024. Amendments to current accounting standards and interpretations which are effective for the first time for the year ended 30 June 2024 have had no material impact on the financial statements.

#### **Standards and interpretations not yet adopted**

Certain new accounting standards and interpretations have been issued that are not mandatory for the current reporting period. The future adoption of Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have been issued but not yet effective are not expected to have a material impact on QTC's financial statements. However they may result in minor changes to how information is currently disclosed.

### Basis of measurement

These financial statements are prepared on the basis of fair value measurement of assets and liabilities except where otherwise stated. Fair value is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged, or liability settled between knowledgeable, willing parties in an arm's length transaction.

### Functional and presentation currency

These financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is QTC's functional currency.

## Classification of assets and liabilities

The balance sheet is presented on a liquidity basis. Assets and liabilities are presented in decreasing order of liquidity and are not distinguished between current and non-current.

### (b) Foreign currency

Foreign currency transactions are initially translated into Australian dollars at the rate of exchange applying at the date of the transaction. At balance date, amounts payable to and by QTC in foreign currencies have been valued using current exchange rates after considering interest rates and accrued interest. Exchange gains/losses are brought to account in the statement of comprehensive income.

### (c) Collateral

QTC enters into a range of transactions with counterparties, which require the lodgement of collateral subject to agreed market thresholds. Where these thresholds are exceeded, QTC may be required to either pledge assets to, or be entitled to receive pledged assets from the counterparty to secure these transactions. The assets pledged or received are primarily in the form of cash.

### (d) Financial assets and liabilities

Financial assets on initial recognition are classified at fair value through profit or loss and include:

- cash and cash equivalents
- financial assets at fair value through profit or loss
- derivative financial instruments, and
- onlendings.

Financial liabilities are measured at fair value through profit or loss and include:

- derivative financial instruments
- interest-bearing liabilities
- deposits, and
- fixed rate notes.

Financial assets and liabilities are recognised on the balance sheet when QTC becomes party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument, which is the settlement date of the transaction. A financial asset is derecognised when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial assets expire or are transferred and no longer controlled by QTC. A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expires.

Financial assets and liabilities are measured at fair value through profit or loss by reference to quoted market exit prices where available. If quoted market prices are not available, then fair values are estimated on the basis of pricing models or other recognised valuation techniques.

QTC uses mid-market rates as the basis for establishing fair values of quoted financial instruments with offsetting risk positions. In general, the risk characteristics of funds borrowed, together with the financial derivatives used to manage interest rate and foreign currency risks, closely match those of funds on-lent. In all other cases, the bid-offer spread is applied where material.

Gains and losses on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recorded in the statement of comprehensive income.

### (e) Offsetting financial instruments

QTC offsets financial assets and liabilities where there is a legally enforceable right to set-off, and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously (refer note 11(c)(iv)).

### (f) Repurchase agreements

Securities sold under agreements to repurchase at an agreed price are retained within the financial assets at fair value through profit or loss category while the obligation to repurchase is disclosed as a financial liability at fair value through profit or loss.

### (g) Fee income

Fee income includes:

- management fee income, which represents income earned from the management of QTC's onlendings and deposits, and is recognised over time when the service has been provided in accordance with client mandates
- other fees, which are recognised in the period the services are provided to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to QTC and can be measured reliably, and
- revenue on financial guarantees, which is recognised on an ongoing basis over the contract term. The probability of default on a financial guarantee is extremely low due to counter indemnities and therefore, revenue receivable is reflective of fair value.

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## 2 Material accounting policies and other explanatory information continued

### (h) Profits/losses

Unless otherwise determined by the Governor in Council, the *Act 1988* requires that all profits shall accrue to the benefit of the State Consolidated Fund and all losses shall be the responsibility of the State Consolidated Fund. Return of profits to the State Consolidated Fund is made by way of dividends, which are provided for following approval by the Board after considering QTC's capital requirements.

### (i) Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost, which approximates their fair value at reporting date. Trade debtors are recognised at the amounts due at the time of sale or service delivery i.e. the agreed purchase/contract price. Other debtors generally arise from transactions outside the usual operating activities of QTC and are recognised at their assessed values with terms and conditions similar to trade debtors.

### (j) Impairment

Where an impairment is recognised the following methodology is applied:

#### **Receivables:**

The loss allowance for trade and other debtors reflects lifetime expected credit losses and incorporates reasonable and supportable forward-looking information. Economic changes impacting QTC's debtors and relevant industry data form part of QTC's impairment assessment.

Where there is no reasonable expectation of recovering an amount owed by a debtor, the debt is written off by directly reducing the receivable against the loss allowance. If the amount of debt written off exceeds the loss allowance, the excess is recognised as an impairment loss.

#### **Non-financial assets:**

The carrying value of non-financial assets is reviewed at each reporting date for where there is an indication of impairment. If an indication of impairment exists, the asset's recoverable amount is determined. Any amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount is recorded as an impairment loss. The asset's recoverable amount is determined as the higher of the asset's fair value less cost of disposal or value in use.

### (k) Employee benefits

A liability is recognised for employee benefits including salaries, superannuation, annual leave, long service leave and short-term incentives where there is a present or constructive obligation as a result of past service. The liability is based on the amount expected to be paid provided that the obligation can be measured reliably. These are measured on an undiscounted basis where the amounts are expected to be paid within the next 12 months. For amounts where the payment date is expected to exceed 12 months, such as long service leave, future pay increases are projected and then discounted using the Australian Government Bond Generic Yield Rates. As sick leave is non-vesting, this is recognised as and when this leave is taken.

### (l) Rounding

Amounts have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars except as otherwise stated.

### (m) Comparative figures

No material adjustments have been made to prior year comparatives.

### (n) Judgements and assumptions

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements. Management evaluates its judgements, estimates and underlying assumptions on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and in any future period affected. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions or estimates may be significant to the financial statements are shown below:

#### **Fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities**

Financial assets and financial liabilities (including derivatives) are measured at fair value by reference to quoted market prices where available. The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined by reference to market quotes for similar instruments or by use of valuation techniques. Valuation techniques may include applying trading margins to the swap curve or counterparty credit spreads for similar instruments, adjusted for changes in the credit worthiness of the counterparty. A margin may be applied based on the original purchase margin where an instrument is not actively traded.

Judgement may be applied in selecting valuation methods or assumptions where an active market quote is not available (refer notes 12 and 17).

#### **Investments in Queensland Treasury Holdings Pty Ltd (QTH)**

Queensland Treasury holds a 60% beneficial interest in QTH and 76% of the voting rights. The remaining 40% beneficial interest and 24% voting rights is held by QTC. QTC does not apply the equity method to its investment in QTH as it does not have control or significant influence over the entity, exposure or rights to variable returns or the power to affect those returns. Queensland Treasury controls the significant transactions and bears all the risks and benefits of QTH and accordingly, QTH is consolidated into the financial statements of Queensland Treasury.

#### **Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) related impacts**

The majority of QTC's assets (onlendings and cash and cash equivalents) are valued daily at fair value and therefore no further adjustment is required as a result of climate change, changes to laws and regulations or other policies adopted by governments or regulatory authorities. Counterparty credit risk and credit risk associated with QTC's clients is separately monitored by QTC (refer note 11(c)). ESG and other sustainability risks are key considerations in determining credit ratings. The majority of QTC's onlendings are guaranteed by the State, including lending to carbon intensive businesses.



# Notes to the Financial Statements

## Capital Markets Operations

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### 3 Net gain/(loss) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss

#### Summary of material accounting policy

Gain/(loss) on financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss includes:

- net interest income and expense recognised under the accrual basis
- net realised gain/(loss) resulting from market rate movements recognised on settlement date from the sale of investments and the pre-redemption of borrowings, and
- net unrealised gain/(loss) resulting from market rate movements from investments, certain onlendings and borrowings.

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>Net gain on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	125 315	97 751
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	1 327 801	864 294
Derivatives	221 854	74 916
Onlendings	3 292 649	1 345 067
	<b>4 967 619</b>	<b>2 382 028</b>
<b>Net (loss) on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss</b>		
Derivatives	(242 755)	(44 365)
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss		
- Short-term	(257 823)	(196 796)
- Long-term	(3 717 447)	(1 685 427)
Deposits	(563 302)	(290 023)
Other	(15 979)	(10 333)
	<b>(4 797 306)</b>	<b>(2 226 944)</b>

### 4 Administration expenses

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
Salaries and related costs	43 997	41 842
Superannuation contributions	3 814	3 400
Special payments	-	651
Contractors	4 541	3 394
Consultants' fees	3 934	2 386
Information and registry services	4 237	3 910
Depreciation on property, plant and equipment	781	758
Amortisation and impairment on intangible assets	-	2 838
Office occupancy	1 167	1 262
Information and communication technology	14 660	14 009
Other administration expenses	4 589	5 661
	<b>81 720</b>	<b>80 111</b>

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## Capital Markets Operations

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### 5 Income tax expense

#### Summary of material accounting policy

QTC is exempt from the payment of income tax under section 50-25 of the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997* (as amended). QTC makes a payment in lieu of income tax to the State Consolidated Fund. The calculation of the income tax liability is based on the income of certain activities controlled by QTC's Capital Markets Operations. No income tax is payable on the SIO segment or a large part of the net gain/(loss) on financial instruments.

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
Current tax	22 278	16 922
Deferred tax expense	294	450
<b>Total income tax expense recognised in the year</b>	<b>22 572</b>	<b>17 372</b>

#### Numerical reconciliation between income tax expense and pre-tax accounting profit

Profit for the year before tax	189 383	173 744
Less profit from non-taxable portfolios: - Capital Markets Operations	114 143	115 838
<b>Operating profit from taxable portfolios</b>	<b>75 240</b>	<b>57 906</b>
<b>Tax at the Australian tax rate of 30% on taxable portfolios</b>	<b>22 572</b>	<b>17 372</b>

### 6 Cash and cash equivalents

#### Summary of material accounting policy

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and on demand deposits which are highly liquid investments and readily convertible to cash.

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
Cash at bank	7 632 966	7 354 347
	<b>7 632 966</b>	<b>7 354 347</b>

# Notes to the Financial Statements

## Capital Markets Operations

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### 7 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

#### Summary of material accounting policy

Financial assets are recognised on the balance sheet when QTC becomes party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument with gains and losses recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

All financial assets are measured at fair value by reference to quoted market exit prices where available. If quoted market prices are not available, then fair values are estimated on the basis of pricing models or other recognised valuation techniques.

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
Discount securities	12 343 465	8 078 139
Commonwealth and state securities <sup>(1)</sup>	1 769 917	1 438 988
Floating rate notes	11 319 941	10 227 181
Term deposits	6 482 546	9 767 739
Other investments	1 267 685	1 384 582
	33 183 554	30 896 629

(1) QTC maintains holdings of its own securities. These holdings are netted off and therefore excluded from financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss.

As at 30 June 2024, \$8.7 billion (2023: \$8.7 billion) of financial assets will mature after 12 months.

### 8 Derivative financial assets and derivative financial liabilities

#### Summary of material accounting policy

All derivatives are measured at fair value through profit or loss with gains and losses recognised in the statement of comprehensive income. Derivatives are carried on the balance sheet as assets when the fair value is positive and as liabilities when the fair value is negative.

QTC uses derivative financial instruments to hedge its exposure to interest rate, foreign currency and credit risks as part of its asset and liability management activities. In addition, derivatives may be used to deliver long term floating rate or long-term fixed rate exposure.

QTC may also enter into derivative transactions from time to time where instructed by its clients. When entering a derivative transaction with a client, QTC will concurrently execute a back-to-back principal transaction with a market counterparty resulting in QTC's payment and delivery obligations under the market transaction and the client transaction being on the same economic terms.

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>Derivative financial assets</b>		
Interest rate swaps	84 752	52 080
Cross currency swaps	75 162	59 984
Foreign exchange contracts	7 081	2 323
Futures contracts	2 897	1 692
	169 892	116 079
<b>Derivative financial liabilities</b>		
Interest rate swaps	(160 315)	(205 842)
Cross currency swaps	(66 065)	(26 643)
Foreign exchange contracts	(11 612)	-
Futures contracts	(35 415)	(6 660)
	(273 407)	(239 145)
Net derivatives	(103 515)	(123 066)

As at 30 June 2024, derivatives with a net liability position of \$102.4 million have maturity dates exceeding 12 months (2023: net liability position of \$90.8 million).

# Notes to the Financial Statements

## Capital Markets Operations

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### 9 Onlendings

#### Summary of material accounting policy

QTC borrows from financial markets and lends to its clients at an interest rate based on QTC's cost of funds plus an administration fee to cover the cost of QTC's operations. Onlendings are initially recognised at the amount drawn-down. Following initial recognition, onlendings are included in the balance sheet at fair value by reference to either the underlying debt portfolio, or in the case of fixed rate loans, on a discounted cash flow basis.

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
Government departments and agencies	44 844 760	40 103 888
Government owned corporations	28 969 503	27 943 926
Statutory bodies	17 835 369	17 198 764
Local governments	6 301 907	5 869 692
QTC related entities <sup>(1)</sup>	97 997	99 705
Other bodies	212 789	190 640
	<b>98 262 325</b>	<b>91 406 615</b>

(1) QTC related entities includes DBCT Holdings Pty Ltd.

At 30 June 2024, client deposits of \$3.49 billion were placed in redraw facilities and offset the value of onlendings in the balance sheet (2023: \$5.2 billion). The gross value of onlendings at 30 June 2024 was \$101.8 billion (2023: \$96.6 billion).

As at 30 June 2024, \$104.9 billion of principal repayments of a total book value of \$106.6 billion is expected to be received after 12 months (2023: \$98.1 billion of a total book value of \$99.5 billion).

### 10 Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

#### (a) Interest-bearing liabilities

Interest-bearing liabilities mainly consist of short-term treasury notes, Australian bonds and floating rate notes. Australian bonds include QTC's domestic, capital indexed and public bonds.

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>Interest-bearing liabilities</b>		
<b>Short-term</b>		
Treasury notes	4 450 110	4 846 903
Commercial paper	780 319	208 586
	<b>5 230 429</b>	<b>5 055 489</b>
<b>Long-term</b>		
AUD Bonds	108 096 683	100 251 180
Floating rate notes	13 465 403	11 867 168
Medium-term notes	863 685	939 427
Other	388 077	420 576
	<b>122 813 848</b>	<b>113 478 351</b>
<b>Total interest-bearing liabilities</b>	<b>128 044 277</b>	<b>118 533 840</b>

70.1% (2023: 69.5%) of QTC borrowings are guaranteed by the State under the Act. As at 30 June 2024, \$113.8 billion (2023: \$105.0 billion) of debt securities are expected to be settled after more than 12 months.

Instruments denominated in foreign currency are fully hedged resulting in no net exposure to any foreign currency movements. Details of QTC's exposure to foreign currencies and the derivatives used to hedge this exposure are disclosed in note 11(a)(i).

As at 30 June 2024, QTC has issued Green Bonds with a market value of \$11.45 billion (2023: \$9.46 billion). QTC's Green Bond program supports the State's pathway to a low carbon, climate resilient and environmentally sustainable economy.

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### 10 Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss continued

#### (a) Interest-bearing liabilities continued

The difference between the carrying amount of financial liabilities and the amount contractually required to be paid at maturity to the holder of the obligation is set out in the following table:

AS AT 30 JUNE 2024	FAIR VALUE \$000	REPAYMENT AT MATURITY \$000	DIFFERENCE \$000
<b>Interest-bearing liabilities</b>			
<b>Short-term</b>			
Treasury notes	4 450 110	4 500 000	(49 890)
Commercial paper	780 319	791 817	(11 498)
	5 230 429	5 291 817	(61 388)
<b>Long-term</b>			
AUD Bonds	108 096 683	118 414 919	(10 318 236)
Floating rate notes	13 465 403	13 404 000	61 403
Medium-term notes	863 685	1 060 755	(197 070)
Other	388 077	399 645	(11 568)
	122 813 848	133 279 319	(10 465 471)
<b>Total interest-bearing liabilities</b>	<b>128 044 277</b>	<b>138 571 136</b>	<b>(10 526 859)</b>

AS AT 30 JUNE 2023	FAIR VALUE \$000	REPAYMENT AT MATURITY \$000	DIFFERENCE \$000
<b>Interest-bearing liabilities</b>			
<b>Short-term</b>			
Treasury notes	4 846 903	4 900 000	(53 097)
Commercial paper	208 586	211 259	(2 673)
	5 055 489	5 111 259	(55 770)
<b>Long-term</b>			
AUD Bonds	100 251 180	108 615 493	(8 364 313)
Floating rate notes	11 867 168	11 800 000	67 168
Medium-term notes	939 427	1 088 362	(148 935)
Other	420 576	444 424	(23 848)
	113 478 351	121 948 279	(8 469 928)
<b>Total interest-bearing liabilities</b>	<b>118 533 840</b>	<b>127 059 538</b>	<b>(8 525 698)</b>

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### 10 Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss continued

#### (b) Deposits

Client deposits are accepted to either the QTC Cash Fund or Working Capital Facility. Income derived from the investment of these deposits accrues to depositors daily. The amount shown in the balance sheet represents the market value of deposits held at balance date.

Collateral held is disclosed as deposits.

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>Client deposits</b>		
Local governments	3 374 968	3 598 797
Statutory bodies	3 850 108	2 778 562
Government departments and agencies	2 103 624	3 372 958
Government owned corporations	219 350	162 770
QTC related entities <sup>(1)</sup>	92 645	110 818
Other depositors	321 623	247 562
	9 962 318	10 271 467
Collateral held	109 894	36 481
<b>Total deposits</b>	<b>10 072 212</b>	<b>10 307 948</b>

(1) QTC related entities include Queensland Treasury Holdings Pty Ltd and its subsidiaries Brisbane Port Holdings Pty Ltd, DBCT Holdings Pty Ltd and Queensland Lottery Corporation Pty Ltd.

As at 30 June 2024, \$10.0 billion (2023: \$10.2 billion) of the deposits will mature within 12 months.

### 11 Financial risk management

QTC's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks including market (such as foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, and other price risk), funding, liquidity and credit risk. QTC's financial risk management focuses on minimising financial risk exposures and managing volatility and seeks to mitigate potential adverse effects of financial risks on the financial performance of QTC and its clients. To assist in managing financial risk, QTC uses derivative financial instruments such as foreign exchange contracts, interest rate swaps and futures contracts.

Robust systems are in place for managing financial risk and compliance. Adherence to financial risk policies is monitored daily. To ensure independence, measurement and monitoring of financial risks is performed by teams separate to those transacting.

All financial risk management activities are conducted within CMB-approved policies, as set out in the Financial Markets Risk Policy with new financial instruments approved by the QTC Executive Leadership Team under delegated authority from the CMB. Any breaches of the Financial Markets Risk Policy are escalated to management, the Chief Executive and the Funding and Markets Committee and presented at the next Board meeting as appropriate.

QTC endeavours to maintain adequate capital to support its business activities, risk profile and risk appetite in accordance with a Board approved Capital Policy. The Capital position is reported to the Board on a monthly basis. The Capital Policy is reviewed and approved by the Board on an annual basis.

The QTC Dividend Policy outlines principles to be adopted in making regular dividend payments. In accordance with the Dividend Policy, capital in excess of business requirements is periodically paid to QTC's shareholder.

#### (a) Market risk

Market risk is the risk of incurring losses in positions arising from adverse movements in financial market prices. QTC is exposed to market risk arising from the impact of movements in foreign exchange rates and interest rates. QTC's exposure to market risk is through its borrowing and investment activities. This includes borrowing in advance of requirements to ensure Queensland public sector entities have ready access to funding when required and to reduce the risk associated with refinancing maturing loans.

As a consequence of market price movements, there are residual risk positions that may result in realised and unrealised accounting gains or losses being recorded during the year. Depending on whether these transactions are held to maturity, the unrealised gains or losses may be reversed in subsequent accounting periods.

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### 11 Financial risk management continued

#### (a) Market risk continued

##### (i) Foreign exchange risk

QTC has funding facilities that allow for borrowing in foreign currencies. At times, QTC's Cash Fund invests in foreign currency assets. QTC enters into both forward exchange contracts and cross currency swaps to hedge the exposure of foreign currency borrowings and offshore investments from fluctuations in exchange rates. The following table summarises the hedging effect, in Australian dollars, that cross currency swaps and forward exchange contracts have had on the face value of offshore borrowings and investments.

	BORROWINGS		DERIVATIVE CONTRACTS		NET EXPOSURE	
	2024 \$000	2023 \$000	2024 \$000	2023 \$000	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>USD</b>	<b>(791 818)</b>	(211 259)	<b>791 818</b>	211 259	-	-
<b>CHF</b>	<b>(184 485)</b>	(184 554)	<b>184 485</b>	184 554	-	-
<b>JPY</b>	<b>(140 565)</b>	(156 501)	<b>140 565</b>	156 501	-	-
<b>EUR</b>	<b>(735 706)</b>	(747 307)	<b>735 706</b>	747 307	-	-

##### (ii) Interest rate risk

QTC lends to clients based on a duration profile specified in the client mandates. QTC then manages any mismatch between the duration profile of client loans and QTC's funding within an Asset and Liability Mismatch Portfolio. Duration is a direct measure of the interest rate sensitivity of a financial instrument or a portfolio of financial instruments and quantifies the change in value of a financial instrument or portfolio due to interest rate movements. All costs or benefits of managing any mismatch between client loans and QTC's funding are passed on to the State, ensuring that QTC is effectively immunised from interest rate risk with respect to these portfolios.

QTC's interest rate risk, which results from borrowing in advance and investing surplus funds in high credit quality, highly liquid assets, is managed with consideration given to duration risk, yield curve risk, basis risk and Value-at-Risk (VaR).

QTC uses a CMB-approved VaR framework to manage QTC's exposure to market risk complemented by other measures such as defined stress tests. The VaR measure estimates the potential mark-to-market loss over a given holding period at a 99% confidence level. QTC uses the historical simulation approach to calculate VaR with a holding period of ten business days.

To manage the risk of non-parallel yield curve movements, QTC manages portfolio cash flows in a series of time periods so that the net interest rate risk in each time period can be measured. QTC enters into interest rate swaps and futures contracts to assist in the management of interest rate risk.

In QTC's Funding and Liquidity portfolios, interest rate swaps may be utilised to change the interest rate exposure of medium to long-term fixed rate borrowings into that of a floating rate borrowing. At times, floating to fixed swaps may be undertaken to generate a fixed rate term funding profile and vice versa. QTC is exposed to basis risk when interest rate swaps are used in the Funding and Liquidity portfolios. Basis risk represents a mark-to-market exposure due to movements between the swap curve, as well as cash, bank bill and bond futures contracts and QTC's yield curve.

Client deposits in the QTC Cash Fund are invested on behalf of clients and returns received from these investments are passed onto QTC's clients except for mark-to-market gains or losses from credit spread movements. QTC generally holds these investments to maturity and therefore any mark-to-market impacts from credit spread changes are typically reversed over the life of the assets.

##### (iii) Other price risk

During the year the Capital Markets Operations segment was not directly exposed to equity or commodity price changes.

#### (b) Funding and liquidity risks

QTC has a robust internal framework whereby extensive liquidity scenario analysis and forecasting is undertaken to understand assumption sensitivities to ensure there is appropriate forward looking visibility of the State's liquidity position.

QTC debt is a Level 1 (prudentially required) asset for Australian banks under Basel III reforms with a zero per cent capital risk weighting. Even in difficult market circumstances, this generally ensures QTC debt is in high demand. Demand is further supported by the fact that QTC borrowings are guaranteed by the State (QTC has been rated AA+/Aa1/AA+ by ratings agencies Standard & Poors, Moody's and Fitch respectively) and that QTC benchmark bonds are Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA) repurchase agreement eligible (repo eligible). The ability to readily issue debt is considered a potential source of liquidity.

QTC maintains appropriate liquidity to meet minimum requirements as defined by the Board. Limits are set by the Board and reviewed annually for the following liquidity metrics:

- QTC Liquidity Coverage Ratio – QTC must maintain a minimum liquidity balance sufficient to cover a stressed liquidity requirement over a set horizon.
- Standard & Poor's Liquidity Ratio – QTC must maintain a minimum ratio of liquid assets to debt servicing requirements at all times over a rolling 12 month horizon.
- Cash Flow Waterfall – QTC must maintain positive cash equivalents net of all inflows and outflows over a set horizon.

In addition to adhering to Board-approved liquidity metrics, QTC holds contingent liquid assets in the form of public sector entity deposits and investments owned through the SIO segment of QTC.

QTC maintains its AUD benchmark bond facility as its core medium to long-term funding facility and its domestic treasury note facility as its core short-term funding facility. In addition, QTC has in place a Green Bond program, Euro and US medium-term note facilities and Euro and US commercial paper facilities to take advantage of alternative funding opportunities in global markets. These facilities ensure that QTC is readily able to access both the domestic and international financial markets.

Deposits on account of the Cash Fund and Working Capital Facility are repayable at call while deposits held as security for stock lending and repurchase agreements are repayable when the security is lodged with QTC.

Except for deposits and payables, the maturity analysis for liabilities has been calculated based on the contractual cash flows relating to the repayment of the principal (face value) and interest amounts over the contractual terms.

Except for cash and receivables, the maturity analysis for assets has been calculated based on the contractual cash flows relating to repayment of the principal (face value) and interest amounts over the contractual terms.

In relation to client onlendings, certain loans are interest only with no fixed repayment date for the principal component (i.e. loans are made based on the quality of the client's business and its financial strength). For the purposes of completing the maturity analysis, the principal component of these loans has been included in the greater than five-year time band with no interest payment assumed in this time band.

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### 11 Financial risk management continued

#### (b) Funding and liquidity risks continued

The following table sets out the contractual cash flows relating to financial assets and financial liabilities held by QTC at balance date.

CONTRACTUAL MATURITIES AS AT 30 JUNE 2024							
	3 MONTHS OR LESS \$000	3 - 6 MONTHS \$000	6 - 12 MONTHS \$000	1 - 5 YEARS \$000	MORE THAN 5 YEARS \$000	TOTAL \$000	FAIR VALUE \$000
<b>Financial assets</b>							
Cash and cash equivalents	7 632 966	-	-	-	-	7 632 966	7 632 966
Receivables	19 375	-	-	-	-	19 375	19 375
Onlendings <sup>(1)</sup>	1 956 015	1 605 294	1 605 783	18 756 631	102 435 875	126 359 598	98 262 325
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	10 754 417	13 032 337	1 323 908	8 290 205	1 392 416	34 793 283	33 183 554
<b>Total financial assets</b>	<b>20 362 773</b>	<b>14 637 631</b>	<b>2 929 691</b>	<b>27 046 836</b>	<b>103 828 291</b>	<b>168 805 222</b>	<b>139 098 220</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>							
Payables	(34 977)	-	-	-	-	(34 977)	(34 977)
Deposits	(7 941 096)	(2 030 853)	(929)	(10 400)	(85 792)	(10 069 070)	(10 072 212)
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss							
- Short-term	(1 736 727)	(3 555 090)	-	-	-	(5 291 817)	(5 230 429)
- Long-term	(8 576 829)	(2 396 333)	(2 087 825)	(58 121 622)	(88 817 503)	(160 000 112)	(122 813 848)
<b>Total financial liabilities</b>	<b>(18 289 629)</b>	<b>(7 982 276)</b>	<b>(2 088 754)</b>	<b>(58 132 022)</b>	<b>(88 903 295)</b>	<b>(175 395 976)</b>	<b>(138 151 466)</b>
<b>Derivatives</b>							
Interest rate swaps	(21 544)	12 674	(14 236)	(41 765)	(17 721)	(82 592)	(75 563)
Cross currency swaps	(749)	(6 532)	(20 362)	(110 633)	(351 732)	(490 008)	9 097
Foreign exchange contracts	(88)	(2 554)	-	-	-	(2 642)	(4 531)
Futures contracts	(3 750 000)	(31 000 000)	7 206 000	1 872 300	1 941 500	(23 730 200)	(32 518)
<b>Net derivatives</b>	<b>(3 772 381)</b>	<b>(30 996 412)</b>	<b>7 171 402</b>	<b>1 719 902</b>	<b>1 572 047</b>	<b>(24 305 442)</b>	<b>(103 515)</b>
<b>Net (liabilities)/assets</b>	<b>(1 699 237)</b>	<b>(24 341 057)</b>	<b>8 012 339</b>	<b>(29 365 284)</b>	<b>16 497 043</b>	<b>(30 896 196)</b>	<b>843 239</b>
<b>Cumulative</b>	<b>(1 699 237)</b>	<b>(26 040 294)</b>	<b>(18 027 955)</b>	<b>(47 393 239)</b>	<b>(30 896 196)</b>		

(1) A large proportion of QTC's onlendings are based on the quality of the business and financial strength of the client. Funds are on-lent on the basis of these businesses being going concerns and continuing to meet key credit metric criteria such as debt to capital and interest coverage ratios. Accordingly, a significant portion of the onlendings portfolio has a loan maturity profile that is greater than five years with the interest rate risk of these loans being managed based on the client's business risk such that the funding is structured on the underlying business profile. QTC's liability maturity profile can be shorter or longer than the asset maturity profile depending on investor demand for QTC bonds and client borrowing demand. While interest rate risk mismatches are hedged with swap and futures contracts, this approach requires QTC to undertake periodic refinancing of its liabilities.



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### 11 Financial risk management continued

#### (b) Funding and liquidity risks continued

CONTRACTUAL MATURITIES AS AT 30 JUNE 2023							
	3 MONTHS OR LESS \$000	3 - 6 MONTHS \$000	6 - 12 MONTHS \$000	1 - 5 YEARS \$000	MORE THAN 5 YEARS \$000	TOTAL \$000	FAIR VALUE \$000
<b>Financial assets</b>							
Cash and cash equivalents	7 354 347	-	-	-	-	7 354 347	7 354 347
Receivables	11 189	-	-	-	-	11 189	11 189
Onlendings <sup>(1)</sup>	2 032 656	1 623 832	1 624 296	17 119 448	93 925 329	116 325 561	91 406 615
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	13 891 235	6 433 036	2 102 056	7 992 362	3 014 277	33 432 966	30 896 629
<b>Total financial assets</b>	<b>23 289 427</b>	<b>8 056 868</b>	<b>3 726 352</b>	<b>25 111 810</b>	<b>96 939 606</b>	<b>157 124 063</b>	<b>129 668 780</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>							
Payables	(26 421)	-	-	-	-	(26 421)	(26 421)
Deposits	(7 304 954)	(66 156)	(46 246)	(3 066 815)	(88 075)	(10 572 246)	(10 307 948)
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss							
- Short-term	(1 995 450)	(3 115 809)	-	-	-	(5 111 259)	(5 055 489)
- Long-term	(9 436 858)	(216 554)	(2 625 181)	(56 442 437)	(75 596 940)	(144 317 970)	(113 478 351)
<b>Total financial liabilities</b>	<b>(18 763 683)</b>	<b>(3 398 519)</b>	<b>(2 671 427)</b>	<b>(59 509 252)</b>	<b>(75 685 015)</b>	<b>(160 027 896)</b>	<b>(128 868 209)</b>
<b>Derivatives</b>							
Interest rate swaps	(6 079)	(25 390)	(31 697)	(72 623)	(36 886)	(172 675)	(153 762)
Cross currency swaps	(748)	(6 154)	(20 201)	(108 232)	(343 720)	(479 055)	33 341
Foreign exchange contracts	2 876	-	-	-	-	2 876	2 323
Futures contracts	-	(3 450 000)	750 000	1 007 300	(68 100)	(1 760 800)	(4 968)
<b>Net derivatives</b>	<b>(3 951)</b>	<b>(3 481 544)</b>	<b>698 102</b>	<b>826 445</b>	<b>(448 706)</b>	<b>(2 409 654)</b>	<b>(123 066)</b>
<b>Net (liabilities)/assets</b>	<b>4 521 793</b>	<b>1 176 805</b>	<b>1 753 027</b>	<b>(33 570 997)</b>	<b>20 805 885</b>	<b>(5 313 487)</b>	<b>677 505</b>
<b>Cumulative</b>	<b>4 521 793</b>	<b>5 698 598</b>	<b>7 451 625</b>	<b>(26 119 372)</b>	<b>(5 313 487)</b>		

(1) A large proportion of QTC's onlendings are based on the quality of the business and financial strength of the client. Funds are on-lent on the basis of these businesses being going concerns and continuing to meet key credit metric criteria such as debt to capital and interest coverage ratios. Accordingly, a significant portion of the onlendings portfolio has a loan maturity profile that is greater than five years with the interest rate risk of these loans being managed based on the client's business risk such that the funding is structured on the underlying business profile. QTC's liability maturity profile can be shorter or longer than the asset maturity profile depending on investor demand for QTC bonds and client borrowing demand. While interest rate risk mismatches are hedged with swap and futures contracts, this approach requires QTC to undertake periodic refinancing of its liabilities.

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### 11 Financial risk management continued

#### (c) Credit risk

##### (i) Financial markets counterparties

Financial markets credit exposure is estimated as the potential loss at balance date associated with QTC's investments in the Cash Fund and other direct investments in financial instruments. In addition, QTC has credit exposure in the form of derivative contracts. Credit risk is the risk that these counterparties are not able to meet the payment obligations associated with QTC's investments.

The credit exposure for non-derivative investments is calculated daily based on the higher of the market value or face value of the instrument. In contrast, exposure to derivative contracts is based only on a notional 'add-on' factor applied to the value of the instrument. The 'add-on' factor varies depending on the type of derivative. Derivatives are marked-to-market daily with zero thresholds under all QTC's credit support annexes. QTC uses collateral arrangements to limit its exposure to counterparties with which it trades derivatives (refer note 11(c)(iv) master netting arrangements).

The following tables represent QTC's exposure to credit risk at 30 June:

BY CREDIT RATING <sup>(1)</sup> 30 JUNE 2024	AAA \$000	AA+ \$000	AA \$000	AA- \$000	A+ \$000	A \$000	OTHER <sup>(2)</sup> \$000	TOTAL \$000
Cash & cash equivalents	-	-	-	7 632 966	-	-	-	7 632 966
Financial assets <sup>(3)</sup>	860 854	938 000	612 937	24 845 278	3 073 631	1 824 150	226 399	32 381 249
Derivatives	-	-	-	58 053	8 176	-	7 292	73 521
	860 854	938 000	612 937	32 536 297	3 081 807	1 824 150	233 691	40 087 736
	2%	2%	1%	81%	8%	5%	1%	100%

BY CREDIT RATING <sup>(1)</sup> 30 JUNE 2023	AAA \$000	AA+ \$000	AA \$000	AA- \$000	A+ \$000	A \$000	OTHER <sup>(2)</sup> \$000	TOTAL \$000
Cash & cash equivalents	-	-	-	7 354 347	-	-	-	7 354 347
Financial assets <sup>(3)</sup>	2 079 083	609 490	364 300	22 523 794	3 312 250	919 183	522 423	30 330 523
Derivatives	-	-	-	38 968	16 183	-	-	55 151
	2 079 083	609 490	364 300	29 917 109	3 328 433	919 183	522 423	37 740 021
	6%	2%	1%	79%	9%	2%	1%	100%

(1) Credit rating as per Standard & Poor's or equivalent agency

(2) Includes long-term ratings of A- and BBB+, or a short term rating of A-1+ & A-2

(3) Financial assets are based on unsettled face value and consist mainly of discount securities, Commonwealth and State securities, floating rate notes and term deposits

QTC has a significant concentration of credit risk to the banking sector and in particular, the domestic banking sector. At 30 June 2024, QTC's exposure to systemically important domestic banks (which are rated AA-) was approximately 74% (2023: 73%). QTC's concentrated investment exposure to domestic banks reflects the structure of the Australian credit markets whereby these markets are dominated by issuance from Australian banks rather than corporations and other entities. Due to this structure, QTC executes a range of risk management processes to deliver a heightened and continuous monitoring of the domestic and global banking sectors and the credit markets they operate within. These measures consist of credit reviews of QTC's counterparties, monitoring of ratings agency assessments, daily quantitative analysis of market price and credit spread movements, weekly counterparty exposure reporting, and continuous thematic reporting on macro and event-driven developments. This credit risk management framework is used to inform decisions on credit limits within Board appetite and to assist decision making in managing these exposures (such as altering investments or duration).

QTC adopts a cautious approach to the management of credit risk with a strong bias to high credit quality counterparties. QTC has a requirement to invest with counterparties rated BBB+ or higher, that have their head offices in politically stable countries with strong legal and regulatory frameworks associated with financial institutions and financial markets.

QTC's Board establishes maximum counterparty dollar value and term limits related to issuer credit ratings. Actual limits for individual counterparties will be within these Board limits and depend on a range of factors including an assessment against key credit risk metrics and characteristics of their Australian dollar funding program.

Ratings agencies are used as the prime source of credit ratings information by QTC's credit team. This information is supported by the credit team's own credit analysis methodology and practice for exposure monitoring and reporting.

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### 11 Financial risk management continued

#### (c) Credit risk continued

##### (ii) Onlending counterparties

QTC is also exposed to the credit risk associated with onlendings to clients. Except for some small exposures to private companies, QTC onlends funds to Queensland Government sector entities (including Queensland Treasury, statutory bodies and Government owned corporations) and non-State Government entities (including local governments, universities and grammar schools).

70.1% of QTC's onlendings (2023: 69.5%) are explicitly guaranteed by the State, including all debt held by clients operating in key Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) impacted areas such as coal-based power generation. QTC is directly exposed to credit default risk to the extent of its non-guaranteed lending of approximately \$28.7 billion at 30 June 2024 (2023: \$27.2 billion).

QTC's outstanding client onlending exposures are actively monitored in accordance with approved Client Credit Procedures. These procedures include regular Credit Reviews and covenant monitoring to ensure all counterparties maintain adequate debt serviceability and long-term financial stability.

QTC has a robust credit assessment and ratings methodology in place that informs its onlending recommendations to the State. This methodology includes analysis of quantitative and qualitative factors (industry, regional, demographic and economic characteristics) across a number of years. An assessment of a client's performance against key credit metrics is made and borrowing recommendations are appraised by an independent Credit Committee prior to being communicated to the State.

QTC adopts a cautious risk appetite to ensure onlendings are provided to clients with satisfactory credit profiles, or where directed by the State. The majority of QTC's onlending clients maintain an adequate financial buffer to manage short term financial shocks, though longer term financial impacts may adversely affect their performance. Of the non-guaranteed onlending, over 99 per cent has been provided to clients that have been assigned a credit rating of Moderate or above by QTC. QTC's Moderate credit rating approximates to an Investment Grade rating used by the major rating agencies.

##### (iii) Fair value attributable to credit risk of QTC's liabilities

The majority of QTC's borrowings are guaranteed by the State. As a result, credit risk is not a significant factor in the determination of fair value. Changes in fair value are mainly attributable to the market fluctuations.

##### (iv) Master netting arrangements

QTC enters into all derivative transactions under International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) Master Agreements. QTC does not currently have any master netting arrangements where a default event has occurred, and therefore presents all derivative financial instruments on a gross basis in the statement of comprehensive income. QTC also has Credit Support Annexes (CSAs) in place with each ISDA, under which collateral is transferred every business day. This further reduces QTC's credit exposure.

The following table presents the financial instruments that are offset, or subject to enforceable master netting arrangements and other similar agreements but not offset. The column 'net amount' shows the impact on QTC's balance sheet if all set-off rights were exercised.

	RELATED TO AMOUNTS NOT SET OFF IN THE BALANCE SHEET		
	GROSS AND NET AMOUNTS ON THE BALANCE SHEET \$000	CASH COLLATERAL RECEIVED OR GIVEN \$000	NET AMOUNT \$000
<b>2024</b>			
Derivative assets:			
- subject to master netting arrangements	169 892	(158 049)	11 843
Derivative liabilities:			
- subject to master netting arrangements	(273 407)	360 032	86 625
<b>Net exposure</b>	<b>(103 515)</b>	<b>201 983</b>	<b>98 468</b>
<b>2023</b>			
Derivative assets:			
- subject to master netting arrangements	116 079	(101 434)	14 645
Derivative liabilities:			
- subject to master netting arrangements	(239 145)	218 492	(20 653)
<b>Net exposure</b>	<b>(123 066)</b>	<b>117 058</b>	<b>(6 008)</b>

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### 12 Fair value hierarchy

Financial instruments measured at fair value have been classified in accordance with the hierarchy described in AASB 13 *Fair Value Measurement*. The fair value hierarchy is categorised into three levels based on the observability of the inputs used.

- Level 1 – quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets that QTC can access at measurement date for identical assets and liabilities.
- Level 2 – inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 – inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

All QTC's financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss are valued with reference to either quoted market prices or observable inputs, with no significant adjustments applied to instruments held. QTC holds no Level 3 financial instruments.

Financial assets classified as Level 1 consist primarily of short-term and tradeable bank deposits, Commonwealth and semi-government bonds and futures contracts where an active market has been established.

Financial assets classified as Level 2 include non-actively traded corporate and semi-government bonds, certain money market securities, floating rate notes, term deposits, QTC onlendings and over-the-counter derivatives. The principal inputs in determining fair value include benchmark interest rates such as interbank rates, quoted interest rates in the swap, bond and futures markets, trading margins to the swap curve and counterparty credit spreads for similar instruments adjusted for changes in the credit worthiness of the counterparty. A margin may be applied based on the original purchase margin where the instrument is not actively traded. QTC onlendings are priced based on the underlying liability portfolio.

Financial liabilities classified as Level 1 consist of QTC benchmark bonds.

Financial liabilities classified as Level 2 include commercial paper, treasury notes, medium-term notes, floating rate notes, and client deposits. The principal inputs in determining fair value include benchmark interest rates such as interbank rates and quoted interest rates in the swap and bond markets. Valuations may include a fixed margin to LIBOR or swap curve. Client deposits are principally held in the QTC Cash Fund, which is capital guaranteed.

Over-the-counter derivatives are typically valued as Level 2 and include FX forwards, FX swaps, interest rate and cross currency swaps. The principal inputs in determining fair value include quoted interest rates in the swap market, spot FX rates and basis curves.

QTC applies mid-market pricing as a practical and consistent method for fair value measurements within the bid-ask spread.

Classification of instruments into fair value hierarchy levels is reviewed annually and where there has been a significant change to the valuation inputs and a transfer is deemed to occur, this is effected at the end of the relevant reporting period.

AS AT 30 JUNE 2024	QUOTED PRICES LEVEL 1 \$000	OBSERVABLE INPUTS LEVEL 2 \$000	TOTAL \$000
<b>Financial assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	7 632 966	-	7 632 966
Financial assets through profit or loss	22 199 430	10 984 124	33 183 554
Derivative financial assets	2 897	166 995	169 892
Onlendings	-	98 262 325	98 262 325
<b>Total financial assets</b>	<b>29 835 293</b>	<b>109 413 444</b>	<b>139 248 737</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>			
Derivative financial liabilities	35 415	237 992	273 407
Financial liabilities through profit or loss			
- Short-term	-	5 230 429	5 230 429
- Long-term	92 699 172	30 114 676	122 813 848
Deposits	-	10 072 212	10 072 212
<b>Total financial liabilities</b>	<b>92 734 587</b>	<b>45 655 309</b>	<b>138 389 896</b>

There were no transfers between levels during the year ended 30 June 2024

AS AT 30 JUNE 2023	QUOTED PRICES LEVEL 1 \$000	OBSERVABLE INPUTS LEVEL 2 \$000	TOTAL \$000
<b>Financial assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	7 354 347	-	7 354 347
Financial assets through profit or loss	15 727 554	15 169 075	30 896 629
Derivative financial assets	1 692	114 387	116 079
Onlendings	-	91 406 615	91 406 615
<b>Total financial assets</b>	<b>23 083 593</b>	<b>106 690 077</b>	<b>129 773 670</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>			
Derivative financial liabilities	6 660	232 485	239 145
Financial liabilities through profit or loss			
- Short-term	-	5 055 489	5 055 489
- Long-term	86 766 105	26 712 246	113 478 351
Deposits	-	10 307 948	10 307 948
<b>Total financial liabilities</b>	<b>86 772 765</b>	<b>42 308 168</b>	<b>129 080 933</b>

QTC holds no Level 3 financial instruments. There were no transfers between levels during the year ended 30 June 2023

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### 13 Right-of-use assets and lease liabilities

#### Summary of material accounting policy

All leases, other than short-term leases and leases of low value assets, are recognised on balance sheet as lease liabilities and right-of-use assets.

On initial recognition the carrying amount of the lease liability is measured at the present value of the current leasing commitments. Lease payments are discounted at the rate implicit in the lease or at QTC's incremental borrowing rate if the implicit interest rate cannot be readily determined.

Right-of-use assets are initially measured at cost comprising:

- the amount of the initial measurement of the lease liability
- lease payments made at or before the commencement date and any lease incentives received
- initial direct costs incurred, and
- the initial estimate of restoration costs.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the assets. Depreciation rates are as follows:

Asset class	Depreciation rate
Lease property	14 – 33%

Carrying amounts of right-of-use assets and the movements during the year are set out below:

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
Cost at balance date	12 368	12 368
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(9 211)	(7 277)
<b>Net carrying amount at the end of the year</b>	<b>3 157</b>	5 091

#### Movement

Net carrying amount at the beginning of the year	5 091	7 026
Depreciation expense	(1 934)	(1 935)
<b>Net carrying amount at the end of the year</b>	<b>3 157</b>	5 091

Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities and the movements during the year:

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
Net carrying amount at the beginning of the year	9 362	12 823
Interest	129	183
Lease repayments	(3 550)	(3 644)
<b>Net carrying amount at the end of the year</b>	<b>5 941</b>	9 362

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### 14 Notes to the statement of cash flows

#### (a) Reconciliation of profit after tax to net cash provided by operating activities

	2024 \$000	2023 \$000
<b>Profit for the year</b>	<b>166 811</b>	156 404
<b>Non-cash flows in operating surplus</b>		
Loss/(gain) on interest-bearing liabilities	246 531	(1 199 288)
Loss on deposits held	38	193
Loss on onlendings	174 509	1 679 557
Gain on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(139 557)	(90 167)
Depreciation and amortisation	2 715	5 531
<b>Changes in assets and liabilities</b>		
Decrease in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	198 326	25 073
Decrease in deferred tax asset	322	446
Increase in onlendings	(27 173)	(19 437)
Increase in receivables	(8 186)	(4 735)
Decrease in interest-bearing liabilities	(2 235 006)	(2 151 488)
Increase in deposits	4 592	45 275
Increase/(decrease) in payables and other liabilities	5 309	(2 597)
<b>Net cash used in operating activities</b>	<b>(1 610 769)</b>	(1 555 233)

#### (b) Reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities

AS AT 30 JUNE 2024	OPENING BALANCE \$000	CASH FLOWS \$000	FAIR VALUE MOVEMENT \$000	FOREIGN EXCHANGE MOVEMENT \$000	OTHER NON-CASH MOVEMENTS \$000	CLOSING BALANCE \$000
Interest-bearing liabilities <sup>(1)</sup>	118 772 985	11 533 174	256 378	(9 847)	(2 235 006)	128 317 684
Deposits	10 307 948	(240 366)	38	-	4 592	10 072 212
Dividend paid	-	-	-	-	-	-
	129 080 933	11 292 808	256 416	(9 847)	(2 230 414)	138 389 896

AS AT 30 JUNE 2023	OPENING BALANCE \$000	CASH FLOWS \$000	FAIR VALUE MOVEMENT \$000	FOREIGN EXCHANGE MOVEMENT \$000	OTHER NON-CASH MOVEMENTS \$000	CLOSING BALANCE \$000
Interest-bearing liabilities <sup>(1)</sup>	119 648 044	2 475 717	(1 294 795)	95 507	(2 151 488)	118 772 985
Deposits	8 431 220	1 831 261	192	-	45 275	10 307 948
Dividend paid	-	(40 000)	-	-	40 000	-
	128 079 264	4 266 978	(1 294 603)	95 507	(2 066 213)	129 080 933

(1) Includes derivatives

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### 15 Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss

#### Summary of material accounting policy – classification and measurement

Financial instruments on initial recognition are classified into the following categories:

- financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, and
- financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss.

#### Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include investments held in unit trusts managed by QIC. These investments include cash, international equities and other diversified products, which are measured at market value based on a hard close unit price quoted by QIC (adjusted for fees outstanding on the account and net of any GST recoverable) for the end of the financial year.

#### Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss consist of FRNs issued to the State in exchange for portfolios of assets. The FRNs were initially recognised at a value that equated to the fair value of the financial assets contributed by the State. The FRNs will terminate upon the greater of 50 years from the initial transaction date or the date that the FRNs are repaid in full. The market value of the FRNs is payable by QTC to the State. Interest on the FRNs is capitalised monthly. The FRN interest rate may be varied by the State under the terms of their corresponding agreements.

Recognising the direct relationship between the FRNs and the assets of SIO, financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are determined by reflecting the changes (including market value movements) in the value of the invested assets of the portfolio, as equivalent market value movements in the FRNs. That is, any difference between the return paid by QTC on the FRNs and the return received by QTC on the invested assets is recognised as a market value adjustment to the value of the FRNs, eliminating any accounting mismatch between the financial assets and liabilities in this segment.

FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	2024		TOTAL STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS \$000
	LTA <sup>(1)</sup> \$000	QFF <sup>(2)</sup> \$000	

#### Investments in unit trusts and other holdings – QIC:

##### Movement during the year:

Opening balance	35 138 700	8 336 101	43 474 801
Deposits <sup>(3)</sup>	630 832	-	630 832
Withdrawals <sup>(3)</sup>	(4 444 482)	-	(4 444 482)
Fees paid	(214 417)	(54 126)	(268 543)
Net change in fair value of unit trusts	5 664 756	1 490 855	7 155 611
Closing balance	36 775 389	9 772 830	46 548 219

FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	2023		TOTAL STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS \$000
	LTA <sup>(1)</sup> \$000	QFF <sup>(2)</sup> \$000	

#### Investments in unit trusts and other holdings – QIC:

##### Movement during the year:

Opening balance	32 654 392	7 718 020	40 372 412
Deposits <sup>(3)</sup>	2 497 799	-	2 497 799
Withdrawals <sup>(3)</sup>	(2 114 876)	-	(2 114 876)
Fees paid	(197 434)	(48 742)	(246 176)
Net change in fair value of unit trusts	2 298 819	666 823	2 965 642
Closing balance	35 138 700	8 336 101	43 474 801

(1) The LTA are assets held to fund the defined benefit superannuation and other long-term obligations of the State as well as assets to support other State initiatives.

(2) At 30 June 2024 and 30 June 2023, the only sub fund of the QFF is the DRF. The DRF was established to support both the State's credit rating and generate returns to reduce the State's debt burden.

(3) For every investment deposited or withdrawal from the LTA or QFF, there is an equivalent increase or decrease to the corresponding FRN.

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### 15 Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss continued

FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	2024		TOTAL STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS \$000
	LTA <sup>(1)</sup> \$000	QFF <sup>(2)</sup> \$000	
<b>Comprised of the following asset classes:</b>			
<b>Defensive assets</b>			
Cash	3 750 678	1 272 797	5 023 475
Fixed interest	1 778 373	443 846	2 222 219
<b>Growth assets</b>			
Equities	9 123 743	3 605 133	12 728 876
Diversified alternatives	6 903 237	1 196 452	8 099 689
<b>Unlisted assets</b>			
Infrastructure	4 994 259	896 991	5 891 250
Private equity	3 575 774	381 447	3 957 221
Real estate	6 649 325	1 976 164	8 625 489
	36 775 389	9 772 830	46 548 219

FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	2023		TOTAL STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS \$000
	LTA <sup>(1)</sup> \$000	QFF <sup>(2)</sup> \$000	
<b>Comprised of the following asset classes:</b>			
<b>Defensive assets</b>			
Cash	3 925 783	1 450 236	5 376 019
Fixed interest	1 812 152	234 785	2 046 937
<b>Growth assets</b>			
Equities	9 432 169	3 128 188	12 560 357
Diversified alternatives	6 197 578	692 495	6 890 073
<b>Unlisted assets</b>			
Infrastructure	4 458 302	746 948	5 205 250
Private equity	3 605 102	382 843	3 987 945
Real estate	5 707 614	1 700 606	7 408 220
	35 138 700	8 336 101	43 474 801

(1) The LTA are assets held to fund the defined benefit superannuation and other long-term obligations of the State as well as assets to support other State initiatives.

(2) The only sub fund of the QFF is the DRF. The DRF was established to support both the State's credit rating and generate returns to reduce the State's debt burden.



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### 15 Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss continued

FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	2024		TOTAL STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS \$000
	LTA <sup>(1)</sup> \$000	QFF <sup>(2)</sup> \$000	
<b>Fixed rate notes</b>			
<b>Movement during the year:</b>			
Opening balance	35 138 700	8 336 101	43 474 801
Increases <sup>(3)</sup>	630 832	-	630 832
Interest	2 268 304	570 905	2 839 209
Decreases <sup>(3)</sup>	(4 444 482)	-	(4 444 482)
Net change in fair value of the fixed rate note <sup>(4)</sup>	3 182 035	865 824	4 047 859
Closing balance	36 775 389	9 772 830	46 548 219

FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	2023		TOTAL STATE INVESTMENT OPERATIONS \$000
	LTA <sup>(1)</sup> \$000	QFF <sup>(2)</sup> \$000	
<b>Fixed rate notes</b>			
<b>Movement during the year:</b>			
Opening balance	32 654 392	7 718 020	40 372 412
Increases <sup>(3)</sup>	2 497 799	-	2 497 799
Interest	2 204 192	534 553	2 738 745
Decreases <sup>(3)</sup>	(2 114 876)	-	(2 114 876)
Net change in fair value of the fixed rate note	(102 807)	83 528	(19 279)
Closing balance	35 138 700	8 336 101	43 474 801

(1) The LTA are assets held to fund the defined benefit superannuation and other long term obligations of the State as well as assets to support other State initiatives.

(2) The only sub fund of the QFF is the DRF. The DRF was established to support both the State's credit rating and generate returns to reduce the State's debt burden.

(3) For every investment deposited or withdrawal from the LTA or QFF, there is an equivalent increase or decrease to the corresponding FRN.

(4) The positive net change in the fair value of the fixed rate notes for 2024, reflects the higher returns achieved on the invested assets when compared to the interest paid by QTC on the FRN of 6.5%.

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### 16 Financial risk management

QTC also holds a portfolio of assets that was transferred to QTC by the State but is managed by QIC on behalf of SIAB. SIAB members include representatives from Queensland Treasury and four external members with experience in investment management and governance.

The assets of SIO are invested in unlisted unit trusts held with QIC. The trusts hold investments in a variety of financial instruments including derivatives, which expose these assets to market risk, liquidity risk and credit risk. Market risk arises due to changes in interest rates, foreign exchange rates, property prices and equity prices. However, as these investments are long-term in nature, market fluctuations are expected to even out over the term of the investment.

SIAB determines the investment objectives, risk profiles and strategy for the invested assets of the SIO segment within the framework provided by the State. It is responsible for formulating a strategic asset allocation to achieve the objectives of the investments in line with the required risk profile. The invested assets of the SIO segment are therefore distinct from QTC's CMB and day-to-day Capital Markets Operations and are the responsibility of SIAB and its appointed investment manager (QIC).

QIC provides assistance to SIAB in discharging its responsibilities. As the State's investment manager, QIC is responsible for implementing the investment strategy of each portfolio of invested assets of the SIO segment. QIC's role includes recommending investment product objectives, risk profiles and strategic asset allocations to achieve objectives within the targets and risk controls set. SIAB oversees QIC's implementation and monitors adherence to the targets, risk controls and limits under which QIC is approved to manage the invested assets of the SIO segment.

QIC has established risk management policies to identify and analyse risk, and to set risk limits and controls that comply with SIAB's instructions. QIC's risk control framework is confirmed in a GS007 report signed by the Auditor-General of Queensland.

The interest rate applicable on the FRN liabilities of QTC for both the LTA and the QFF portfolios is set at 6.5% per annum on the book value of the notes.

#### (a) Market risk

The assets of SIO expose QTC to market risk, including interest rate risk, foreign currency risk, property price risk and equity price risk, resulting from its investments in unit trusts and the underlying movement in the net asset values through these trusts. While the portfolios do not have direct exposure to interest rate, foreign currency and credit risk, the unit price of the fund in which the assets are invested will change in response to the market's perception of changes in these underlying risks.

Market risk is mitigated through diversified portfolios of investments in unit trusts held with QIC in accordance with the investment strategies approved by SIAB. The investment strategy targets a diversified portfolio across a broad range of asset classes.

QIC adheres to prudential controls contained in the Investment Management Agreement for each portfolio of assets. Under these agreements, derivative products are not permitted to be used for speculative purposes but are used as hedging instruments against existing positions or for efficient trading and asset allocation purposes to assist in achieving the overall investment returns and volatility objectives of the portfolio.

A sensitivity analysis for the key types of market risk that apply to the investments of the funds has been undertaken by QIC. QIC has provided a range of reasonably possible changes in key risk variables including the ASX 200 Index, the MSCI World ex Australia Equities Index, the Reserve Bank of Australia official cash rate, the US Federal Reserve official cash rate and real estate capitalisation rates.

QTC's foreign currency exposure is managed at a whole of portfolio level rather than at an individual asset class level. For this reason, sensitivity to foreign exchange rate movements has been shown as a currency overlay on the whole portfolios.

Based on changes to key risk variables and applying a range of valuation methodologies, a reasonably possible change in value of applicable investments held at 30 June is as follows:

	2024 CHANGE		2024 PROFIT/EQUITY		2023 CHANGE		2023 PROFIT/EQUITY	
	Low %	High %	Decrease \$000	Increase \$000	Low %	High %	Decrease \$000	Increase \$000
Cash and fixed interest <sup>(1)</sup>	-10%	10%	(722 386)	722 386	-0.4%	0.4%	(29 273)	29 273
Equities	-10%	10%	(1 304 710)	1 304 710	-10%	10%	(1 256 036)	1 256 036
Diversified alternatives <sup>(2)</sup>	-10%	10%	(830 218)	830 218	-10%	10%	(688 439)	688 439
Infrastructure	-10%	10%	(603 853)	603 853	-10%	10%	(520 276)	520 276
Private equities	-10%	10%	(405 615)	405 615	-10%	10%	(398 603)	398 603
Real estate	-10%	10%	(884 113)	884 113	-11%	12%	(793 447)	864 855
Currency overlay			(20 298)	20 298	-10%	10%	(961 891)	961 891
			(4 771 193)	4 771 193			(4 647 965)	4 719 373

<sup>(1)</sup> Cash and fixed interest include exposure to interest rate and inflation overlays on hedging instruments.

<sup>(2)</sup> Diversified alternatives include exposure to both price and interest rate risk.

#### (b) Liquidity risk

No external cash flows are generated by QTC from SIO. Deposits and withdrawals from SIO result in a corresponding change to the value of the FRNs. Interest owing to Treasury on the FRNs is capitalised, as are returns and fees to the SIO. As such, daily movements in these cash flows do not expose QTC to liquidity risk.

#### (c) Credit risk

QIC is responsible for implementing the investment strategy for SIO. The investment strategy targets a widely diversified portfolio of assets across a broad range of asset classes, helping to minimise credit risk.

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### 17 Fair value hierarchy

Financial instruments have been classified in accordance with the hierarchy described in AASB 13 *Fair Value Measurement*, as per note 12.

AS AT 30 JUNE 2024	OBSERVABLE INPUTS LEVEL 2 \$000	UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS LEVEL 3 \$000	TOTAL \$000
<b>Financial assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	5 023 475	-	5 023 475
Fixed interest	2 222 219	-	2 222 219
Equities	12 728 876	-	12 728 876
Diversified alternatives	-	8 099 689	8 099 689
Infrastructure	-	5 891 250	5 891 250
Private equities	-	3 957 221	3 957 221
Real estate	552 471	8 073 018	8 625 489
<b>Total financial assets</b>	<b>20 527 041</b>	<b>26 021 178</b>	<b>46 548 219</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>			
Fixed rate note - LTA	-	36 775 389	36 775 389
Fixed rate note - QFF	-	9 772 830	9 772 830
<b>Total financial liabilities</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>46 548 219</b>	<b>46 548 219</b>

Assets classified as diversified alternative assets were transferred from level 2 to level 3 during the year ended 30 June 2024.

AS AT 30 JUNE 2023	OBSERVABLE INPUTS LEVEL 2 \$000	UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS LEVEL 3 \$000	TOTAL \$000
<b>Financial assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	5 376 019	-	5 376 019
Fixed interest	2 046 937	-	2 046 937
Equities	12 560 357	-	12 560 357
Diversified alternatives	2 568 721	4 321 352	6 890 073
Infrastructure	-	5 205 250	5 205 250
Private equities	-	3 987 945	3 987 945
Real estate	583 669	6 824 551	7 408 220
<b>Total financial assets</b>	<b>23 135 703</b>	<b>20 339 098</b>	<b>43 474 801</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>			
Fixed rate note - LTA	-	35 138 700	35 138 700
Fixed rate note - QFF	-	8 336 101	8 336 101
<b>Total financial liabilities</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>43 474 801</b>	<b>43 474 801</b>

There were no transfers between level during the year ended 30 June 2023.

Investments in unit trusts are valued by QIC using fair value methodologies adjusted for fees outstanding. QIC reports the net asset value based on the unit price at measurement date.

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### 17 Fair value hierarchy continued

#### (a) Level 3 financial assets and liabilities – valuation techniques utilising significant unobservable inputs

Valuations of investments in unit trusts that are Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy are based on the prices of the assets underlying these unit trusts. Investments in unlisted externally managed investment schemes are valued by QIC based on the latest available net asset value advised by the fund manager. Where the fund invests in illiquid assets, the investments are priced by independent valuers as there is no readily observable market price.

In some instances, the prices advised by QIC are based on unaudited valuation statements provided by the external managers of underlying investments that relate to a date prior to 30 June 2024. QIC continues to monitor and provide updated advice to QTC on the potential impact on the value of these investments arising from the subsequent receipt of updated valuations from external managers and audited financial statements.

While QTC utilises the unit price of investments provided by QIC at the relevant reporting date to report the fair value of the investments, the table below shows the valuation techniques used to calculate the unit price for the Level 3 fair values and the significant unobservable inputs used.

CLASS	VALUATION TECHNIQUE	UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS
<b>Diversified alternatives</b>	Based on valuations provided by an independent external valuer or external manager in accordance with relevant industry standards	The valuation model considers the future net cash flows expected to be generated from the asset and are discounted using a risk adjusted discount rate
<b>Infrastructure</b>	Based on valuations provided by an independent external valuer or external manager in accordance with relevant industry standards	The valuation model considers the future net cash flows expected to be generated from the asset and are discounted using a risk adjusted discount rate
<b>Private equities</b>	Based on valuations provided by an independent external valuer or external manager in accordance with International Private Equity and Venture Capital Valuation Guidelines	The valuation model considers the future net cash flows expected to be generated from the asset and are discounted using a risk adjusted discount rate
<b>Real estate</b>	Based on valuations provided by an independent external valuer or external manager in accordance with Australian Property Institute's valuation and Property Standards	The valuation model considers the future net cash flows expected to be generated from the asset and are discounted using a risk adjusted discount rate
<b>Fixed Rate Notes</b>	Based on the value of the corresponding portfolio of assets in the SIO segment	The valuation is based on the fair values of the related assets which are derived using Level 3 inputs

#### (b) Reconciliation of Level 3 fair value movements

The table below shows the breakdown of gains and losses in respect of Level 3 fair values.

30 JUNE 2024	OPENING BALANCE	DISTRIBUTIONS <sup>(1)</sup>	UNREALISED MARKET MOVEMENTS <sup>(1)</sup>	SETTLEMENTS <sup>(1)</sup>	TRANSFERS	CLOSING BALANCE
ASSET CLASS	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Diversified alternatives	4 321 352	(7 222)	551 233	(411 108)	3 645 434 <sup>(2)</sup>	8 099 689
Infrastructure	5 205 250	(36 412)	702 160	20 252	-	5 891 250
Private equities	3 987 945	(15 976)	18 977	(33 725)	-	3 957 221
Real estate	6 824 551	(23 790)	1 267 596	4 661	-	8 073 018

  

30 JUNE 2023	OPENING BALANCE	DISTRIBUTIONS <sup>(1)</sup>	UNREALISED MARKET MOVEMENTS <sup>(1)</sup>	SETTLEMENTS <sup>(1)</sup>	TRANSFERS	CLOSING BALANCE
ASSET CLASS	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Diversified alternatives	4 065 983	(639 271)	132 508	762 132	-	4 321 352
Infrastructure	9 555 545	(534 489)	291 086	(4 106 892) <sup>(3)</sup>	-	5 205 250
Private equities	4 153 698	(187 792)	(59 973)	82 012	-	3 987 945
Real estate	2 754 235	(182 476)	487 894	3 764 898 <sup>(3)</sup>	-	6 824 551

(1) Data in the above table is based on movements in the unit trusts that hold the assets.

(2) Diversified alternative assets were transferred from level 2 to level 3 during the year ended 30 June 2024.

(3) The movements to the infrastructure and real estate asset classes were as a result of the reclassification of an underlying asset, not a change in underlying asset exposure.

FRN movements are disclosed in note 15.

#### (c) Level 3 – Sensitivity Analysis

Note 16 provides the impact to a change in market prices in respect of all asset classes including those categorised as Level 3.

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### 18 Contingent liabilities

The following contingent liabilities existed at balance date:

- QTC has provided guarantees to the value of \$2.5 billion (2023: \$3.3 billion) to support the commercial activities of various Queensland public sector entities. In each case, a counter indemnity has been obtained by QTC from the appropriate public sector entity.

### 19 Related party transactions

QTC's related parties are those entities that it controls, is controlled by, under common control or can exert significant influence over. This includes controlled entities of the State, being Queensland Treasury, government departments, statutory bodies (excluding universities) and Government owned corporations, and also includes QTC's key management personnel and their related parties. Along with universities, local governments are not considered as related parties of QTC.

#### (a) Ultimate controlling entity

The immediate controlling entity is the Under Treasurer of Queensland as the Corporation Sole of QTC and the ultimate controlling entity is the State. No remuneration is payable by QTC to the Under Treasurer in relation to this role.

#### (b) Key management personnel

Disclosures relating to key management personnel are set out in note 20.

#### (c) Investments in companies

Details of investments in associates and other companies are set out in note 22.

#### (d) Transactions with related parties

Transactions undertaken with related parties during the year include:

- loan balances with a book value of \$95.6 billion (2023: \$89.4 billion) and interest received \$3.1 billion (2023: \$2.7 billion)
- investment of cash surpluses \$4.9 billion (2023: \$5.2 billion) and interest paid \$311.3 million (2023: \$103.8 million)
- fees received \$84.2 million (2023: \$80.2 million)
- no dividends were paid to Queensland Treasury this year (2023: \$40 million)
- the SIO segment transferred \$411 million of securities from the LTA portfolio to the State (2023: Nil).

QTC may from time to time indirectly hold a small amount of investments in QTC Bonds via its investments in unit trusts managed by QIC. QTC does not have direct legal ownership of these assets and therefore, no adjustment has been made in the financial statements. QTC through SIO has paid \$274.2 million in management fees to QIC (2023: \$225.7 million) and \$0.5 million (2023: \$0.5 million) to Queensland Treasury for board secretariat services to SIAB.

The nature and amount of any individually significant transactions with principal related parties are disclosed below.

- QTC sometimes acts as an agent to government entities in the procurement of advice from consultants. In these situations, QTC does not bear any significant risks or benefits associated with the advice and is generally reimbursed for the costs of the consultant by the government entity. Any funds received as reimbursement offset consultant costs in the financial statements. The amount of costs reimbursed to QTC during the financial year totalled \$2.4 million (2023: \$1.0 million).
- QTC may enter into derivative transactions from time to time with its clients. These arrangements have back-to-back contracts between QTC and the client and QTC and the market. In this way the risk QTC is exposed to is significantly reduced. The value of these derivative arrangements at year end was \$32.8 million (2023: \$35.6 million).
- QTC has a shareholding in QTH and its associated entities (QTH group). The QTH group hold deposits of \$92.6 million (2023: \$110.8 million) and loans of \$98.0 million (2023: \$99.7 million) with QTC that are provided on an arm's length basis and are subject to QTC's normal terms and conditions. QTC also provides company secretariat services to the QTH group on a cost recovery basis and received fees of \$0.4 million (2023: \$0.4 million) for the provision of these services.

#### (e) Agency arrangements

QTC undertakes the following agency arrangements on behalf of its clients.

- QTC provides services on behalf of Queensland Treasury under a GOC Cash Management Facility. QTC is not exposed to the risks and benefits of this facility and therefore does not recognise these deposits on its balance sheet. QTC charges a fee for this service. The balance of deposits under this facility at year end was \$2.9 billion (2023: \$1.7 billion).
- From time to time QTC holds foreign exchange balances in segregated accounts on behalf of its clients to facilitate foreign exchange transactions. QTC is not exposed to the risks and benefits of these balances as it does not own or control these accounts. The balances of the foreign exchange in these segregated accounts at year end was \$67.8 million (2023: \$21.1 million).

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### 20 Key management personnel

Key management personnel are defined as those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of QTC, being members of the Board and the Executive Leadership Team.

#### (a) QTC's Boards

QTC has delegated its powers to its two boards, the CMB and SIAB. Both boards are appointed by the Governor in Council, pursuant to section 10(2) of the Act. The CMB has been delegated the governance role over QTC by the Under Treasurer.

#### (b) Remuneration principles

##### Capital Markets Board - Directors

Any changes to Board remuneration require consideration by Queensland Treasury and the Department of the Premier and Cabinet to ensure remuneration is commensurate with government policy. Cabinet endorsement of any changes is required prior to approval by the Governor in Council. Remuneration was last increased effective 21 September 2023.

##### State Investment Advisory Board - Directors

When the Long Term Asset Advisory Board was renamed and reconstituted as SIAB on 4 July 2019, external Board members were appointed who were entitled to remuneration. Remuneration for the external Board members was set by Queensland Treasury in consultation with the Department of the Premier and Cabinet prior to approval by the Governor in Council.

##### Executives and employees

QTC employees (including the Executive Leadership Team) are employed on individual contracts and are appointed pursuant to the Act. As the majority of QTC's employees are sourced from the financial markets in which it operates, QTC's employment practices are competitive with these markets. The remuneration framework comprises both fixed and variable remuneration (in the form of an annual short-term incentive (STI) opportunity), which are approved by the QTC Board annually. The fixed remuneration component is market-competitive and the variable remuneration component is linked to individual and corporate performance.

##### Remuneration governance

The Human Resources Committee of the Board is responsible for governance of remuneration practices and arrangements, with the Board maintaining ultimate responsibility and decision making for remuneration matters. QTC receives annual industry benchmarking data from the Financial Institutions Remuneration Group (FIRG) and Aon Hewitt, where applicable, which captures remuneration data from organisations within the financial services industry. Analysis and advice are obtained from external consultants to ensure that QTC continues to align roles to the market.

##### Total compensation

The total compensation fixed remuneration for QTC employees is reviewed each year and is benchmarked against the FIRG remuneration data and Aon Hewitt, where applicable. Total compensation levels were set around the FIRG market median position of a relevant sub-set of the FIRG database. Role scope and complexity, knowledge experience, skills and performance were considered when determining the remuneration level of each employee.

##### Variable remuneration – short-term incentives for employees

QTC's variable remuneration framework provides an annual Short-Term Incentive (STI) opportunity for eligible employees, aligned to financial year individual and corporate performance. This opportunity is designed to differentiate and reward performance. It also aims to ensure market competitiveness, with 'target' STI outcomes aligned to the relevant market position of the FIRG database (i.e. the median incentive potential for FIRG members within QTC's peer group) and approved at Board level each year. For the year ended 30 June 2024, STI payments will be made to eligible staff in September 2024.

Subject to meeting certain criteria, the STI of eligible employees may be deferred.

##### Variable remuneration – short term incentives for the Executive Leadership Team

Members of the Executive Leadership Team (ELT), excluding members on secondment to QTC, are eligible for an STI if their performance meets or exceeds corporate and individual key performance indicators. STIs are at risk with no payment made for underperformance and additional premiums of up to 30% of the target paid for above expected performance.

STI payments are based on a percentage of individual total fixed remuneration with the STI 'target' range for permanent ELT members of between 40% and 50%. The total STI entitlement for the ELT includes the STI deferral between 25% and 40%, which is to be paid over 24 months comprising two deferral periods:

- 50% of the deferred amount paid out at the conclusion of 12 months after the original STI was determined, and
- 50% of the deferred amount paid out at the conclusion of 24 months after the original STI was determined.

Payment of the deferred STI will be subject to satisfying the criteria outlined in the Risk Gateway, which is defined in the QTC Remuneration Framework. At the end of each deferral period, a report prepared on the criteria in the Risk Gateway will be assessed by the Board to determine whether the deferred STI will vest.

QTC's overall performance for 2023-24, documented in the annual performance assessment reviewed and approved by QTC's Board, was assessed as exceeding the benchmark. This reflects the performance achieved across QTC's whole-of-State, client, funding, and operational activities. This performance assessment led to individual STIs for the Executive Leadership Team of between 40% and 60% of fixed remuneration.

The STI deferral has been fully expensed in 2023-24 and recognised as a long-term employee benefit.

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### 20 Key management personnel continued

#### (c) Remuneration by category

	2024 \$	2023 \$
<b>Capital Markets Operations</b>		
<b>Directors</b>		
Short-term employment benefits <sup>(1)</sup>	449 624	317 131
Post-employment benefits <sup>(4)</sup>	47 973	31 765
<b>Total</b>	<b>497 597</b>	<b>348 896</b>
<b>Executive management</b>		
Short-term employment benefits <sup>(2)</sup>	3 320 459	2 912 362
Long-term employment benefits <sup>(3)</sup>	388 049	120 460
Post-employment benefits <sup>(4)</sup>	123 295	166 769
Ex-gratia payments	-	650 570
Termination benefits	-	1 103 888
<b>Total</b>	<b>3 831 803</b>	<b>4 954 049</b>

#### State Investment Operations

##### Directors

Short-term employment benefits <sup>(1)</sup>	200 590	99 054
Post-employment benefits <sup>(4)</sup>	22 065	10 401
<b>Total</b>	<b>222 655</b>	<b>109 455</b>

(1) Directors' short-term benefits include Board member and committee fees, professional memberships and in relation to the Chair of the Capital Markets Board, it also includes the provision of a car park.

(2) Executive management short-term benefits include wages, annual leave taken, short-term incentives and non-monetary benefits such as car parks and motor vehicle benefits (where applicable).

(3) Long-term employment benefits relate to long service leave and deferred STI.

(4) Post-employment benefits include superannuation contributions made by QTC.

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### 20 Key management personnel continued

#### (c) Remuneration by category continued

##### Capital Markets Operations

#### (i) Directors

Details of the nature and amount of each major element of the remuneration are as follows:

	SHORT-TERM EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS		POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS		TOTAL	
	2024 \$	2023 \$	2024 \$	2023 \$	2024 \$	2023 \$
Damien Frawley – Chair	<b>139 571</b>	126 728	<b>13 960</b>	11 773	<b>153 531</b>	138 501
Michael Carey <sup>(1)(4)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dennis Molloy <sup>(2)(4)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leon Allen <sup>(3)(4)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
Neville Ide <sup>(5)</sup>	<b>67 052</b>	37 764	<b>7 283</b>	3 965	<b>74 335</b>	41 729
Karen Smith-Pomeroy <sup>(6)</sup>	<b>60 676</b>	37 802	<b>6 674</b>	3 969	<b>67 350</b>	41 771
Rosemary Vilgan <sup>(7)</sup>	<b>67 626</b>	42 786	<b>7 439</b>	4 493	<b>75 065</b>	47 279
John Wilson <sup>(8)</sup>	<b>65 610</b>	19 589	<b>7 217</b>	2 057	<b>72 827</b>	21 646
Dr Natalie Smith <sup>(9)</sup>	<b>49 089</b>	-	<b>5 400</b>	-	<b>54 489</b>	-
Jim Stening <sup>(10)</sup>	-	41 498	-	4 357	-	45 855
Anne Parkin <sup>(11)</sup>	-	10 964	-	1 151	-	12 115
<b>Total</b>	<b>449 624</b>	317 131	<b>47 973</b>	31 765	<b>497 597</b>	348 896

(1) Appointed 21 September 2023

(2) Appointed 25 January 2023, Term ended 21 September 2023

(3) Resigned 8 December 2023

(4) No remuneration is payable to the Queensland Treasury representative

(5) Leave of absence for term as Interim Chief Executive Officer 3 January 2023 to 19 February 2023

(6) Term ended 30 September 2022. Reappointed 15 December 2022

(7) Term ended 30 September 2023. Reappointed 1 October 2023

(8) Appointed 15 December 2022

(9) Appointed 21 September 2023

(10) Term ended 30 June 2023

(11) Term ended 30 September 2022



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### 20 Key management personnel continued

#### (c) Remuneration by category continued

##### Capital Markets Operations continued

#### (ii) Executive Leadership Team

Details of the nature and amount of each major element of the remuneration of the executive management personnel are as follows:

30 JUNE 2024	SHORT-TERM EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS			POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS	LONG-TERM BENEFITS	TOTAL
	BASE \$	SHORT-TERM INCENTIVE \$	NON-MONETARY \$	\$	\$	\$
Chief Executive	770 859	261 927	18 765	27 399	174 618	1 253 568
Managing Director, Funding and Markets <sup>(1)</sup>	413 041	213 794	18 765	22 657	71 265	739 522
Managing Director, Advisory <sup>(2)</sup>	370 602	154 742	15 733	27 399	51 581	620 057
Managing Director, Risk, and Chief Risk Officer <sup>(3)</sup>	405 489	140 086	10 337	24 764	46 695	627 371
Managing Director, Business Services and Chief Operating Officer <sup>(4)</sup>	379 481	131 669	15 169	21 076	43 890	591 285
<b>Total</b>	<b>2 339 472</b>	<b>902 218</b>	<b>78 769</b>	<b>123 295</b>	<b>388 049</b>	<b>3 831 803</b>

(1) Commenced 4 September 2023

(2) Appointed on 7 July 2023, from Acting Managing Director, Advisory

(3) Commenced 7 August 2023

(4) Commenced 26 September 2023

Managing Directors were appointed to role across the first three months of the year. Persons temporarily acting in these positions have not been classified as key management personnel as they were not involved in the planning, directing, and controlling activities of the organisation for a material part of the financial year.

30 JUNE 2023	SHORT-TERM EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS			POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS	LONG-TERM BENEFITS	EX-GRATIA PAYMENTS	TERMINATION BENEFITS	TOTAL
	BASE \$	SHORT-TERM INCENTIVE \$	NON-MONETARY \$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Chief Executive <sup>(1)</sup>	303 192	85 590	6 631	9 977	57 060 <sup>(11)</sup>	-	-	462 450
Interim Chief Executive <sup>(2)</sup>	117 406	-	-	4 834	-	-	-	122 240
Chief Executive <sup>(3)</sup>	391 462	-	8 943	14 635	16 500	240 300	385 476	1 057 316
Acting Managing Director, Funding and Markets <sup>(4)</sup>	165 266	67 775	6 972	16 876	3 873	-	-	260 762
Deputy Chief Executive and Managing Director, Funding and Markets <sup>(5)</sup>	317 084	-	12 968	16 902	-	-	-	346 954
Acting Managing Director, Client <sup>(6)</sup>	93 772	33 830	4 959	7 352	-	-	-	139 913
Managing Director, Client <sup>(7)</sup>	287 236	-	12 142	20 053	11 491	146 385	40 352	517 659
Acting Managing Director, Risk, and Chief Risk Officer <sup>(8)</sup>	85 470	33 140	4 863	7 352	1 301	-	-	132 126
Managing Director, Risk, and Chief Risk Officer <sup>(7)</sup>	271 384	-	11 429	20 053	12 998	143 020	39 346	498 230
Acting Managing Director, Finance, Technology and Data <sup>(9)</sup>	78 480	-	3 810	8 629	1 943	-	-	92 862
Managing Director, Finance, Technology and Data, and Chief Financial Officer <sup>(10)</sup>	253 375	-	11 429	20 053	9 215	64 285	335 697	694 054
Managing Director, Culture and Performance, and Company Secretary <sup>(10)</sup>	230 647	-	13 107	20 053	6 079	56 580	303 017	629 483
<b>Total</b>	<b>2 594 774</b>	<b>220 335</b>	<b>97 253</b>	<b>166 769</b>	<b>120 460</b>	<b>650 570</b>	<b>1 103 888</b>	<b>4 954 049</b>

(1) Commenced 20 February 2023

(2) Appointed for the period 3 January 2023 to 19 February 2023

(3) Ceased 31 December 2022

(4) Commenced 25 January 2023

(5) Ceased 24 January 2023

(6) Commenced 25 March 2023

(7) Ceased 9 March 2023

(8) Commenced 27 March 2023

(9) Commenced 22 March 2023

(10) Commenced 1 July 2022, ceased 15 March 2023

(11) Long-term benefit for the Chief Executive is a deferred STI

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### 20 Key management personnel continued

#### (c) Remuneration by category continued

##### Capital Markets Operations continued

#### (ii) Executive Leadership Team continued

Details regarding the STI paid and deferred of the executive management personnel are as follows:

POSITION	STI CASH AMOUNT 2024	DEFERRED PERFORMANCE AMOUNT RELATING TO 2024	TOTAL PERFORMANCE RELATED INCENTIVES 2024	DEFERRED STI RELATING TO PRIOR YEAR PERFORMANCE VESTING IN 2024
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Chief Executive	261 927	174 618	436 545	28 530
Managing Director, Funding and Markets	213 794	71 265	285 059	-
Managing Director, Advisory	154 742	51 581	206 323	-
Managing Director, Risk, and Chief Risk Officer	140 086	46 695	186 781	-
Managing Director, Business Services and Chief Operating Officer	131 669	43 890	175 559	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>902 218</b>	<b>388 049</b>	<b>1 290 267</b>	<b>28 530</b>

The STI for all managing directors contained a deferred element in 2023-24.

POSITION	STI CASH AMOUNT 2023	DEFERRED PERFORMANCE AMOUNT RELATING TO 2023	TOTAL PERFORMANCE RELATED INCENTIVES 2023	DEFERRED STI RELATING TO PRIOR YEAR PERFORMANCE VESTING IN 2023
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Chief Executive	85 590	57 060	142 650	-

Only the STI of the Chief Executive Officer contained a deferred element in 2022-23.

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#### (iii) Directors

Details of the nature and amount of each major element of the remuneration are as follows:

	SHORT-TERM EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS		POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS		TOTAL	
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Michael Carey - Chair <sup>(1)(3)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maryanne Kelly - Chair <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dennis Molloy - Chair <sup>(3)(4)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
William Ryan <sup>(3)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
Philip Graham <sup>(5)</sup>	52 178	33 018	5 740	3 467	57 918	36 485
Cate Wood <sup>(6)</sup>	52 178	33 018	5 740	3 467	57 918	36 485
Brendan O'Farrell <sup>(7)</sup>	44 722	-	4 919	-	49 641	-
Wendy Tancred <sup>(7)</sup>	44 722	-	4 919	-	49 641	-
Maria Wilton <sup>(8)</sup>	6 790	33 018	747	3 467	7 537	36 485
<b>Total</b>	<b>200 590</b>	<b>99 054</b>	<b>22 065</b>	<b>10 401</b>	<b>222 655</b>	<b>109 455</b>

(1) Appointed for the period 3 October 2023 to 24 April 2024

(2) Resigned 2 October 2023

(3) Queensland Treasury representative. No additional remuneration is paid for this appointment.

(4) Appointed 24 April 2024

(5) Term ended 30 June 2022, reappointed 7 July 2022

(6) Appointed 7 July 2022

(7) Appointed 21 September 2023

(8) Term ended 30 June 2022, reappointed 7 July 2022, resigned 13 September 2023

#### (d) Other transactions

QTC's CMB members' directorships are disclosed in the corporate governance section of the Annual Report. No remuneration is paid or payable by QTC to the Under Treasurer as QTC's Corporation Sole.

There were no transactions between QTC and entities controlled by key management personnel or loans to/from key management personnel during the financial year.

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### 21 Auditor's remuneration

The external auditor (Auditor-General of Queensland) does not provide any consulting services to QTC. Details of amounts paid or payable to the auditor of QTC (GST exclusive) are shown below:

	2024 \$	2023 \$
<b>Audit services</b>		
Audit of QTC financial statements	420 150	397 000

### 22 Investments in companies

Investments in the following companies are held at cost:

NAME	PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES
Queensland Treasury Holdings Pty Ltd (QTH)	Holding company for several subsidiaries and strategic investments held on behalf of the State of Queensland
Queensland Lottery Corporation Pty Ltd	Holds the Golden Casket lottery licence and trademarks
DBCT Holdings Pty Ltd	Holds the bulk coal terminal tenure and facilities at Dalrymple Bay near Mackay, which it has leased under a long-term lease arrangement
Queensland Airport Holdings (Mackay) Pty Ltd	Owns the Mackay airport land and infrastructure, which it has leased under a 99 year lease arrangement
Queensland Airport Holdings (Cairns) Pty Ltd	Owns the Cairns airport land and infrastructure, which it has leased under a 99 year lease arrangement
Brisbane Port Holdings Pty Ltd	Owns the Port of Brisbane tenure and infrastructure, which it has leased under a 99 year lease arrangement

QTH is incorporated and domiciled in Brisbane, Australia. QTH holds a 100% beneficial interest in the companies listed above. QTC does not apply the equity method to its investment in QTH (refer note 2(n) Judgments and assumptions).

### 23 Dividends

Each year the CMB determines the appropriate level of dividends to be paid to the Queensland Government taking into consideration the financial situation of the Corporation. No dividend was declared or paid during the year (2023: \$40 million).

### 24 Events subsequent to balance date

There are no matters or circumstances that have arisen since the end of the financial year that have significantly affected or may significantly affect the Capital Markets Operations segment of QTC, the results of these operations or the state of affairs of QTC's Capital Markets Operations segment in future years.