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**HY 2012 IFRS-Compliant Consolidated Results
Presentation to Investors & Analysts**

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Performance Indicators:

		HY 2011	HY 2012	%Δ YoY	Q1 2012	Q2 2012	% Δ QoQ	Comment
Operating	Return on Equity	7.4%	10.2%	37.8%	13.0%	8.3%	-36.0%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Net interest margins improved QoQ, in spite of a high interest rate environment. However, the YoY drop was as a result of the mix of the earnings assets tilting more towards Govt. Bonds received from AMCON as consideration for the non-earning assets of FinBank. Annualised ROE improved YoY, as a result of better-leveraging of the Balance Sheet. However, it dropped QoQ due to one time surge in expenses, occasioned primarily by the on-going consolidation of FinBank. CAR and liquidity remain strong at 25.1% and 58.7%, respectively.
	Return on Assets	1.8%	1.6%	-14.0%	1.8%	1.6%	-14.0%	
	Loan/Deposit Ratio	85.3%	58.6%	-31.2%	56.0%	58.6%	4.8%	
	Cost/Income Ratio	68.0%	81.6%	20.1%	77.8%	88.3%	13.9%	
	Net Interest Margin	7.1%	6.6%	-6.7%	6.1%	6.6%	7.3%	
	NPL ¹ /Total Loans	5.4%	6.4%	19.6%	5.8%	6.4%	10.7%	
	Coverage Ratio	114%	101%	-11.0%	108%	101%	-6.5%	
NII ² /Operating Income	30.2%	31.7%	4.7%	36.5%	32.7%	-10.4%		
Capital & Liquidity	Capital Adequacy Ratio	31.2%	25.1%	-19.4%	26.4%	25.1%	-5.1%	
	Liquidity Ratio	45.6%	58.7%	28.7%	65.7%	58.7%	-10.6%	
Others	Opex	15.7	26.4	68.7%	12.0	14.4	20.4%	
	Risk Assets	311.9	330.3	5.9%	341.1	330.3	-3.2%	
	Deposit Growth	365.8	615.6	68.3%	639.5	615.6	-3.7%	

1. The combined NPL ratio of 6.42% is expected to decrease when about N9.5bn (insider-related) of N11bn in fully provisioned loans in FinBank are written off.

2. Non-interest income

Income Statement Highlights:

Account	HY 2011	HY 2012	%Δ YoY	Q1 2012	Q2 2012	%Δ QoQ
Gross Earnings	33,549	52,555	57%	25,614	26,941	5%
Net Interest Income	16,090	22,133	38%	11,137	10,996	-1%
Corporate Finance fees	2,215	4,962	124%	1,833	3,130	71%
Commissions	2,292	3,047	33%	1,489	1,558	5%
Trading Income (FX)	2,053	1,732	-16%	1,264	468	-63%
Other Income	409	508	24%	309	199	-36%
Net Revenue	23,059	32,383	40%	16,031	16,351	2%
Operating Expenses	(15,674)	(26,439)	-69%	(11,998)	(14,441)	-20%
Provision For Losses	(1,735)	576	133%	(146)	722	594%
Net gains / (losses) from financial instruments at fair value	998	1,280	28%	508	772	52%
Profit before tax	6,648	7,799	17%	4,394	3,405	-23%
Profit after tax	5,319	6,718	26%	4,092	2,626	-36%

Comments

- The YoY growth across revenue and cost lines was largely driven by FinBank numbers, which were consolidated for the first time in 2012
- Strong growth (40%) in Net Revenue distributed generally across revenue lines YoY but only 2% over 1Q12, due to 63% decline in trading income. This was partially offset by Corporate Finance fees that grew by 71% in 2Q12 over 1Q12.
- Corporate Finance fees grew 124% YoY and also 71% in Q2 over Q1. This was diluted by a depreciated Naira hence, weaker trading (FX) income.
- 69% growth in Operating Expenses, YoY, was due mainly to the consolidation of FinBank numbers for the first time in 2012. 20% growth in 2Q12 over 1Q12 was due to the impact of FinBank's consolidation for the entire period.

Statement of Financial Position (Group):

Account	HY 2011	HY 2012	%Δ YoY	Q1 2012	Q2 2012	%Δ QoQ
Liquid assets	28,272	63,537	125%	72,378	63,537	-12%
Placements with banks	60,495	111,191	84%	84,697	111,191	31%
Loans and advances	311,856	330,315	6%	341,114	330,315	-3%
Investments	151,806	266,753	76%	300,025	266,753	-11%
Assets pledged as collateral	3,343	26,079	680%	3,609	26,079	623%
Intangible assets	6,727	18,875	181%	20,413	18,875	-8%
Deferred tax assets	572	4,102	617%	4,102	4,102	0%
Other assets	6,636	14,578	120%	24,675	14,578	-41%
Fixed assets	18,794	29,069	55%	29,506	29,069	-1%
Total Assets	588,501	864,499	47%	880,518	864,499	-2%
LIABILITIES:						
Customer and other deposits	365,757	615,621	68%	639,487	615,621	-4%
Other liabilities	65,146	86,362	33%	90,566	86,362	-5%
Borrowings	23,204	35,673	54%	26,298	35,673	36%
Shareholders' funds	134,394	126,843	-6%	124,168	126,843	2%
Liabilities and Shareholder Equity	588,501	864,499	47%	880,518	864,499	-2%
Acceptances & Guarantees	120,887	205,886	70%	163,291	205,886	26%

Comments

- Year on year balance sheet growth of 47% partially driven by FinBank acquisition.
- Balance sheet contracted in 2Q12 as a result of the shedding of expensive wholesale deposits.
- 3% contraction of loans in 2Q12 coming from repayments and sell-down of corporate loans.
- N111bn placements with banks, representing a 31% increase QoQ indicates strong liquidity position.

Subsidiaries: Profitability up 164% YoY and 16% QoQ

FCMB

COMPANY	HY 2011	HY 2012	% Δ YoY	Q1 2012	Q2 2012	% Δ QoQ
CDL	1,098	1,719	57%	891	827	-7%
FCMB CM	224	101	-55%	52	49	-5%
City Securities (Registrars)	36	122	236%	47	75	59%
CSL Stockbrokers	16	26	64%	17	10	-43%
FCMB UK	-75	-141	-88%	-63	-78	-23%
FinBank Plc		1,369		545	824	51%
FinBank Homes Ltd		11		-1	13	1057%
Arab-Gambia Islamic Bank		50		6	44	662%
FinBank Insurance Co. Ltd		112		80	32	-60%
FinBank Insurance Brokers Ltd		14		9	5	-41%
FinBank Securities and Asset Management Ltd		39		13	26	102%
FinBank Capital Ltd		10		-6	16	361%
FinBank Registrars Ltd		3		-0.3	3	1119%
Total Subsidiaries	1,299	3,435	164%	1,588	1,846	16%
Group (FCMB & FinBank)	6,648¹	7,799	17%	4,394	3,405	-23%

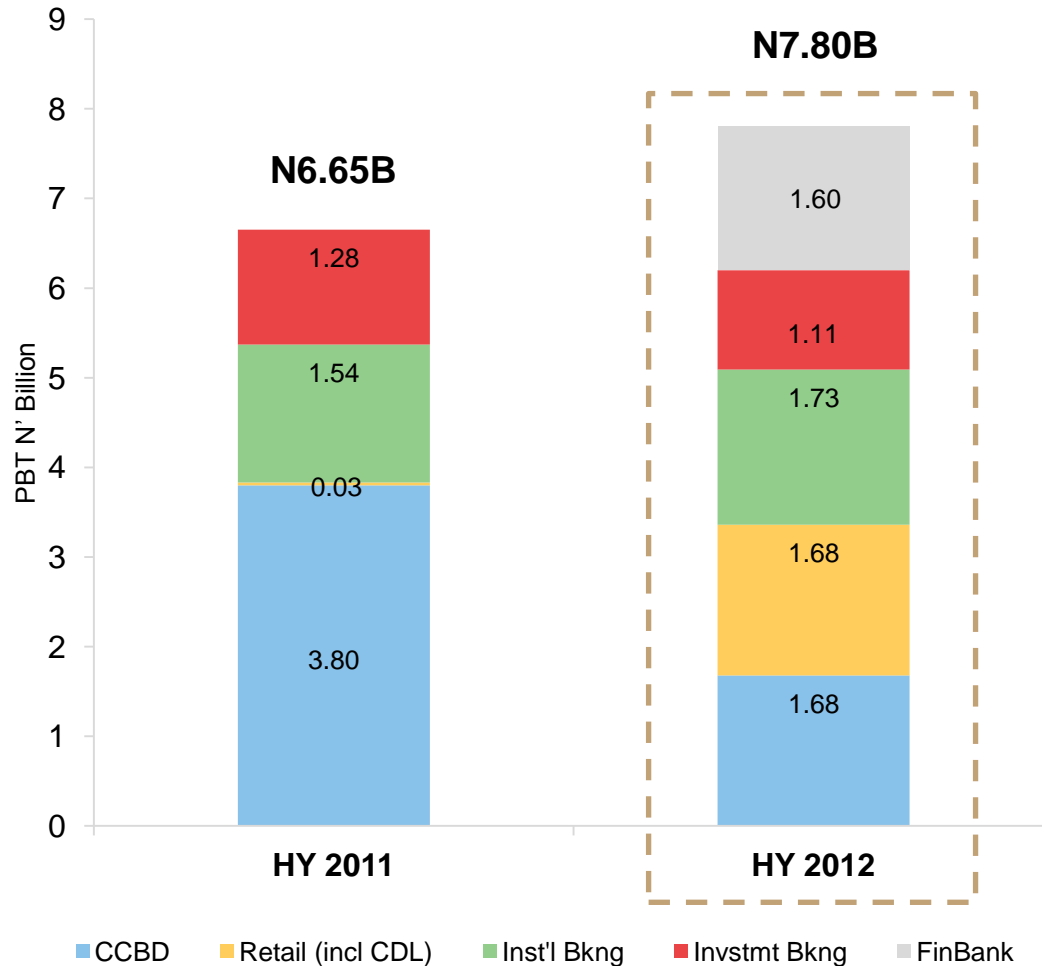
Comments

- CDL recorded first quarterly decline due to increased OPEX from significant expansion.
- CSL Registrars and Stockbrokers grew 236% and 34% respectively YoY with Registrars maintaining growth momentum as seen in 2Q12 over 1Q12.
- FCMB UK declined over the period. Loss grew in 2Q12 over 1Q12 due to FX translation loss.
- Aggregate PBT of FinBank subsidiaries grew from N101m to N139m with Arab-Gambia and FinBank Capital growing N38m and N22m. The performance of the Insurance company fell by N48m in 2Q12.

¹ FCMB alone. This figure does not include FinBank numbers

Profitability by Segment

**PBT by Segment
HY 2011 vs. HY 2012**



Comments

- Retail further improved its profitability over last year by growing both its Non Interest Income and Net Interest Income by 43% YoY, as the Division increased its volume of loans and benefitted from a high interest rate regime and favourable transfer pricing.
- Corporate & Commercial Banking Division's (CCBD's) performance declined as a result of margin pressure and significant reduction in exposure to downstream oil and gas.

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- Full Board and Management control obtained in February 2012
- 44 branches closed
- Cultural integration underway
- Unanticipated delays at the regulatory approval stage
- Awaiting SEC's approval-in-principle
- Legal and operational merger to be concluded end of Q3 2012
- Further synergy benefits will be derived by Q4 2012

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Reasonably diversified credit portfolio

Industry Sector	June 2011		March 2012				June 2012			
	FCMB	% Distribution	FCMB	FINBANK	TOTAL	% Distribution	FCMB	FINBANK	TOTAL	% Distribution
Agriculture	3,311	1%	5,623	82	5,705	2%	7,086	69	7,155	2%
Commerce/ Wholesale Trading	36,125	11%	43,877	2,847	46,724	13%	47,961	3,202	51,163	15%
Construction	4,797	1%	5,948	3,063	9,011	3%	5,914	2,576	8,490	2%
Education	3,290	1%	3,622	0	3,622	1%	3,821	178	3,999	1%
FI	4,486	1%	10,256	5,614	15,870	4%	4,452	5,955	10,407	3%
General – Others	3,837	1%	5,054	0	5,054	1%	4,639	542	5,181	2%
Government	44,471	14%	28,835	7,703	36,538	10%	27,483	6,643	34,126	10%
Individual	25,508	8%	27,139	5,321	32,460	9%	29,664	6,881	36,545	11%
Manufacturing	25,181	8%	25,490	2,530	28,020	8%	26,612	2,307	28,919	8%
Oil & Gas Downstream ¹	81,614	25%	60,652	810	61,462	17%	52,524	267	52,791	15%
Oil & Gas Upstream	14,082	4%	30,059	0	30,059	8%	26,078	0	26,078	8%
Power & Energy	34	0%	5,181	0	5,181	1%	4,957	0	4,957	1%
Professional Services	28	0%	458	0	458	0%	939	63	1,002	0%
Real Estate	32,178	10%	32,677	0	32,677	9%	28,589	41	28,630	8%
Telecomms	36,271	11%	36,522	435	36,957	10%	39,725	58	39,783	12%
Transportation & Logistics	8,419	3%	4,455	56	4,511	1%	2,737	82	2,819	1%
Total	323,631	100%	325,848	28,461	354,310	100%	313,182	28,862	342,043	100%

1. It is Management's intention to bring the Bank's exposure to Oil & Gas Downstream down to 10% by 2013.

Retail contribution is rising

Risk Assets by Segment (June 2011 to June 2012)

Business Segment	June 2011		March 2012				June 2012			
	FCMB	% Contr.	FCMB	FINBANK	TOTAL	% Contr.	FCMB	FINBANK	TOTAL	% Contr.
Retail	57,844	18%	55,976	6,303	62,279	18%	62,794	6,612	69,406	20%
Corporate	216,747	67%	233,291	14,420	247,711	70%	221,120	15,530	236,650	69%
Institutional	49,039	15%	36,582	7,738	44,320	12%	29,268	6,720	35,987	11%
Total	323,631	100%	325,848	28,461	354,310	100%	313,182	28,862	342,043	100%

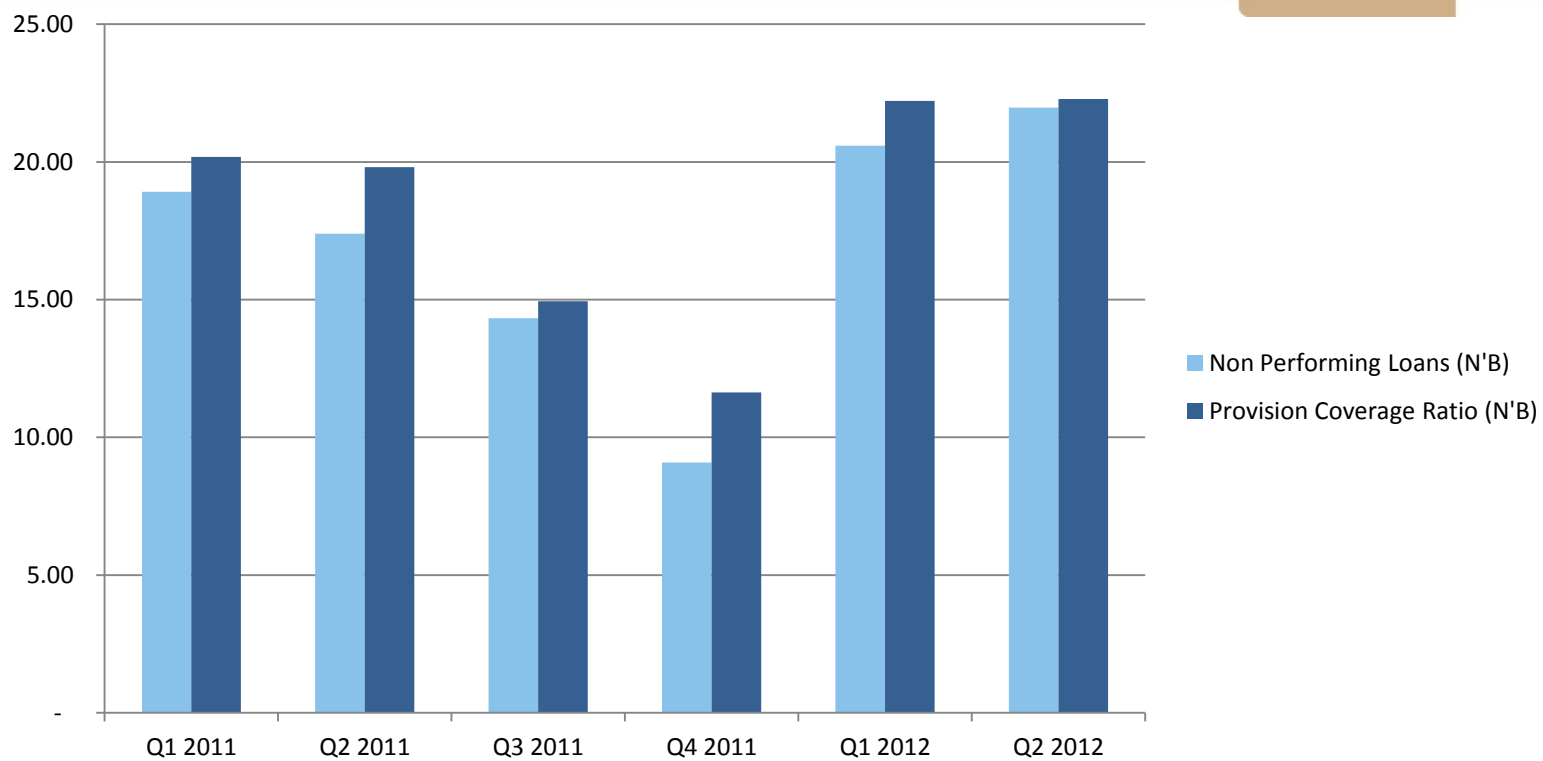
NPL ratio now at 3.4% - FCMB only

BUSINESS SEGMENT	June 2011		March 2012		June 2012	
	NPL	NPL%	NPL	NPL%	NPL	NPL%
Agriculture	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	7	0.10%
Commerce / Wholesale Trading	5,920	16.40%	2,586	5.90%	3,614	7.50%
Construction	89	1.90%	1,222	20.50%	1,220	19.30%
Education	14	0.40%	160	4.40%	53	1.40%
FI	2,564	57.20%	233	2.30%	249	5.50%
General – Others	35	0.90%	94	1.90%	90	1.90%
Government	90	0.20%	200	0.70%	141	0.50%
Individual	4,563	17.90%	1,111	4.10%	1,325	4.90%
Manufacturing	23	0.10%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Oil & Gas Downstream	3,811	4.70%	3,459	5.70%	3,757	7.10%
Oil & Gas Upstream	-	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Power & Energy	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Professional Services	-	0.00%	0	0.10%	70	7.40%
Real Estate	25	0.10%	48	0.10%	49	0.20%
Telecomms	108	0.30%	1	0.00%	1	0.00%
Transportation & Logistics	145	1.70%	0	0.00%	16	0.60%
Total	17,388	5.40%	9,115	2.80%	10,590	3.38%

Notes:

As at 30 June 2012, FinBank's NPLs amounted to N11.38bn and these have been fully provisioned and are not included in the analysis above.

Full coverage for NPLs: Coverage Ratio Analysis: Q1 2011 – Q2 2012



	Q1 2011	Q2 2011	Q3 2011	Q4 2011	Q1 2012	Q2 2012
Non Performing Loans (N'B)	19	17	14	9	21	22
Provision Coverage Ratio (%)	107%	114%	104%	128%	108%	101%

Notes:

The figures for 1Q12 & 2Q12 are combined FCMB & FinBank figures.

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- **Tight Monetary Policy will continue to exert pressure on net interest margins.**
- **Heightened risk consciousness will see continued reduction in downstream oil and gas exposure, offsetting growth in corporate and commercial banking until 4Q12.**
- **Retail banking expected to sustain rapid net revenue growth (>40% year on year), driven by low NPL credit growth, commensurate deposit growth and fees and commissions.**
- **Target date for legal merger is end of 3Q12, subject to regulatory approvals.**
- **Full synergy benefits of FinBank will be derived by 4Q12.**
- **Cost synergy impact to be felt in H2 2012, while we still expect EPS accretion in excess of 10% for the year from merger.**