# AL WATANI FUND DOHA – QATAR

# INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT FOR THE NINE-MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

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For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the Unit Holders of Al Watani Fund Doha – Qatar

#### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed statement of financial position of Al Watani Fund (the "Fund") as of September 30, 2024, and the related statements of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, changes in net assets attributable to unit holders and cash flows for the nine-month period then ended and material accounting policy information and other explanatory notes. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of the interim condensed financial information in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 Interim Financial Reporting ("IAS 34"). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim financial information based on our review.

#### Scope of review

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity". A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

#### Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

# Other Matter

The interim financial information of the Fund for the nine -month period ended September 30, 2023 and the annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023 were reviewed and audited respectively by another auditor who expressed an unmodified conclusion and unmodified opinion on that information and those statements on October 29, 2023 and February 20, 2024 respectively.

Doha – Qatar October 23, 2024 For Deloitte & Touche

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# INTERIM CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at September 30, 2024

	Notes	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	December 31, 2023 (Audited) QR.
ASSETS			
Investment securities	5	13,914,289	14,105,333
Prepayment and other receivables	6	56	444,055
Bank balances	7	1,056,787	297,309
TOTAL ASSETS		14,971,132	14,846,697
LIABILITIES			
Due to related parties	8	387,718	270,980
Payables and accrued expenses	9	46,136	59,876
		433,854	330,856
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE UNITHOLDERS		14,537,278	14,515,841
NUMBER OF UNITS IN ISSUE (UNITS) NET ASSET VALUE PER UNIT (QR)		627,234 23.18	634,430 22.88

This interim condensed financial information was approved by the Fund Manager on 21 October 2024 and were signed on its behalf by:

Mr. Abdulla Hashim Al-Sada Senior Executive Vice President Group Asset and Wealth Management



This statement has been prepared by the Fund and stamped by the Auditors for identification purposes only.

THE ACCOMPANYING NOTES ARE INTEGRAL PARTS OF THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

INTERIM CONDENSED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the three and nine months period ended September 30, 2024

		For the three-month period ended		For the ni period	
	Notes	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed)	September 30, 2023 (Reviewed)	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed)	September 30, 2023 (Reviewed)
		QR.	QR.	QR.	QR.
INCOME					
Net gain/ (loss) from					
investment securities	5	672,068	358,996	(165,245)	148,452
Dividend income		150,348		714,537	580,206
Interest income		6,939	11,383	33,502	32,409
Total income		829,355	370,379	582,794	761,067
EXPENSES					
Management fees	8	53,093	52,707	155,982	154,664
Custodian fees	8	17,698	17,569	51,994	51,555
Brokerage fees		6,230	4,636	12,939	24,400
Professional fees		35,597	19,660	74,385	58,340
Performance fees	8	14,886	21,710	113,387	125,940
Consultant fees			13,104		13,104
Total expenses		127,504	129,386	408,687	428,003
Profit for the period		701,851	240,993	174,107	333,064
Other comprehensive income					
for the period					
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE		<b>-</b> 0.0-1	0.40.000	42.102	222.074
UNIT HOLDERS		701,851	240,993	174,107	333,064



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INTERIM CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE UNIT HOLDERS

For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024

	September 30, 2024				r 30, 2023
	Number of units (Reviewed)	QR. (Reviewed)	Number of units (Reviewed)	QR. (Reviewed)	
Balance at January 1 (Audited)	634,430	14,515,841	641,287	13,524,506	
Change in net assets attributable to the unit holders		174,107		333,064	
Subscription and redemptions by unit holders:					
Subscription of redeemable units during the year			3,191	69,000	
Redemption of redeemable units during the period  Transactions with the unit holders	(7,196) (7,196)	(152,670) (152,670)	<u>(4,675)</u> (1,484)	(98,636)	
Balance at September 30 (Reviewed)	627,234	14,537,278	639,803	13,827,934	



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# INTERIM CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024

		For the nine month-period ended	For the nine- month period ended
		September 30, 2024	September 30, 2023
	Notes	(Reviewed)	(Reviewed)
		QR.	QR.
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Change in net assets attributable to the unit holders		174,107	333,064
Adjustments for:			
Interest income		(33,502)	(32,409)
Net unrealized loss on revaluation of investment			
securities	5	116,286	(128,752)
		256,891	171,903
Changes in:			
Investment securities		74,758	166,168
Prepayment and other receivables		443,999	(49)
Due to related parties		116,738	94,762
Payables and accrued expenses		(13,740)	(49,710)
Cash generated by operations activities		878,646	383,074
Interest received		33,502	32,409
Cash generated by operations activities		912,148	415,483
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from subscription of redeemable units			69,000
Payments for redemption of redeemable units		(152,670)	(98,636)
Net cash used in financing activities		(152,670)	(29,636)
		;	
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		759,478	385,847
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the			
period		297,309	776,774
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	7	1,056,787	1,162,621

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Signed for Identification Purposes Only

#### NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024

#### 1. LEGAL STATUS AND MAIN ACTIVITIES

Al Watani Fund (the "Fund") is an open ended fund incorporated on 8 September 2005, under Law No. 25 of the year 2002 and the Ministry of Commerce and Industry Decision No. (69) of the year 2004 for issuing bylaws for investment funds of the State of Qatar. The Fund was licensed by Qatar Central Bank ("QCB") with License No.1.F/3/2005 and registered with the Ministry of Commerce and Industry ("Ministry") with a registration no.31350. The Fund invests for capital growth and income in companies listed on the Qatar Exchange and in local funds.

The term of the Fund shall be 10 years, starting from the date of registration of the Fund in the Investment Funds Register of the Ministry, renewable by the founder on approval from Qatar Central Bank. On 22 July 2015 the Fund has renewed the licence for another 10 years of operation.

The founder of the Fund is Qatar National Bank (Q.P.S.C.), ("QNB"), a Qatari Joint Stock Company established under the laws of Qatar and having its principal office in Doha, Qatar, P.O. Box 1000 (the "Founder"). QNB is the appointed Custodian of the Fund. The Fund is managed by QNB Banque Privee (Suisse), a Company established under the laws of Switzerland (Company Registration Number CH-170-3-031-263-3) and having its registered office in Geneva, Switzerland.

# 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION AND MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The interim condensed financial information ("the financial information") is prepared in accordance with IAS 34 – "Interim Financial Reporting" and the applicable provisions of Qatar Central Bank Regulations. The financial information should be read in conjunction with the 2023 annual financial statements of the Fund, as described in Note 3 to the financial information.

The financial information does not contain all information and disclosures required for full financial statements prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ((IFRS Accounting Standards). In addition, results for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending December 31, 2024.

The financial information is prepared on a historical cost basis, except for investment securities classified as fair value through profit or loss which are carried at fair value.

The financial information have been presented in Qatari Riyals, which is the presentational currency of the Fund's financial information.

#### 2.1 New and amended IFRS Standards that are effective for the current year

The following new and revised IFRSs, which became effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January, 2024, have been adopted in these financial information.

New and revised IFRS	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
Amendments to IAS 1 - Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current	1 January 2024
Amendments to IAS 1 - Non-current Liabilities with Covenants	1 January 2024
Amendments to IFRS 16 Leases – Lease liability in a sale and leaseback arrangement	1 January 2024
Amendments to IAS 7 and IFRS 7 - Disclosures: Supplier Finance Arrangemen	ts 1 January 2024

The application of these revised IFRSs has not had any material impact on the amounts reported for

the current and prior years.

# NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024

# 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION AND ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### 2.2 New and amended IFRSs in issue but not yet effective and not early adopted

The Fund has not early adopted the following new and amended standards and interpretations that have been issued but are not yet effective.

New and revised IFRS	annual periods beginning on or after
Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 – Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture	Available for optional adoption/ effective date deferred indefinitely
Amendments to IAS 21 – Lack of Exchangeability	1 January 2025
The new standard, IFRS 18 - replaces IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements	1 January 2027

Effective for

Management anticipates that these new standards, interpretations and amendments will be adopted in the Fund financial statements as and when they are applicable and adoption of these new standards, interpretations and amendments, may have no material impact on the financial statements of the Fund in the period of initial application.

# 2.3 Judgements, estimates and risk management

The preparation of the financial information requires Fund Manager to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The significant judgments made by Fund Manager in applying the Fund's material accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023.

Financial risk management objectives and policies are consistent with those disclosed in the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023.

#### 3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023, except for the adoption of new standards effective as of January 01, 2024. The Fund has not early adopted any other standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

Several amendments and interpretations apply for the first time in 2024, but do not have an impact on the interim condensed financial information of the Fund.

#### 4. CRITICAL JUDGMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

The critical judgements and estimates used in the preparation of the financial information are consistent with those used in the preparation of the Fund's annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023.

# NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024

# 5. INVESTMENT SECURITIES

Investment securities carried at fair value through profit or loss:

	September 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
	(Reviewed) OR.	(Audited) QR.
Listed equity securities – State of Qatar	13,914,289	14,105,333
	13,914,289	14,105,333

Net changes in investment securities at fair value through profit or loss are as follows:

	For the three-month period ended		For the ni period	
	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2023 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2023 (Reviewed) QR.
Net realized gain/(loss) on sale of investment securities Net unrealized gain/ (loss) on revaluation of investment	(44,220)	(111,271)	(48,959)	19,700
securities	716,288	470,267	(116,286)	128,752
Net gain/ (loss) from investment securities	672,068	358,996	(165,245)	148,452

# 6. PREPAYMENT AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	September 30, 2024 <u>(Reviewed)</u> QR.	December 31, 2023 (Audited) QR.
Interest receivable	56	21
Brokerage Receivables		444,034
-	56	444,055

# 7. BANK BALANCES

	September 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
	(Reviewed)	(Audited)
	QR.	QR.
Balances with bank	1,056,787	297,309

#### NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024

#### 7. BANK BALANCES (CONTINUED)

Balances with banks are assessed to have low credit risk of default since these banks are highly regulated by the Qatar Central Bank. Accordingly, management of the Fund estimates the loss allowance on balances with banks at end of the reporting period at an amount equal to 12 month ECL. None of the balances with banks at end of reporting period are past due, and taking into account the historical default experience and the current credit ratings of the bank, the management of the Fund have assessed that there is no impairment, and hence have not reached any loss allowances on these balances.

# 8. RELATED PARTIES DISCLOSURES

Related parties represent the Founder, the Fund Manager, directors and key management personnel of the Fund, and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. Transaction policies and terms are approved by the management.

# Management fees

The management fee is calculated and payable to the Fund Manager on a monthly basis at an annual rate of 1.5% of the net asset value of the Fund.

#### Performance fees

The performance fee is calculated and payable to the Fund Manager on a monthly basis at an annual rate of 15% on positive excess returns.

# Custodian fees

The custodian fee is calculated and payable to the Custodian on a monthly basis at an annual rate of 0.5% of the net asset value of the Fund.

#### Related party balances

Balance with related party included for the period end are as follows:

#### Due to related parties

	Relationship	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	December 31, 2023 (Audited) QR.
QNB Banque Privee (Suisse) Qatar National Bank (Q.P.S.C.)	Fund manager Founder	370,020 17,698 387,718	254,120 16,860 270,980

# NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024

# 8. RELATED PARTIES DISCLOSURES (CONTINUED)

# Related party transactions

Transactions with related parties included in the interim condensed statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income are as follows:

		For the three-month period ended		For the nine-month period ended	
	Relationship	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2023 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2023 (Reviewed) QR.
QNB Banque Privee (Suisse) Performance fees Management fees	Fund manager	14,886 53,093 67,979	21,710 52,707 74,417	113,387 155,982 269,369	125,940 154,664 280,604
		For the three-month period ended		For the nine-month period ended	
	Relationship	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2023 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	September 30, 2023 (Reviewed) QR.
Qatar National Bank (Q.P.S.C.) Custodian fees	Founder	17,698 17,698	17,569 17,569	51,994 51,994	51,555 51,555

# 9. PAYABLES AND ACCRUED EXPENSES

	September 30, 2024 (Reviewed) QR.	2023 (Audited) QR.	
Audit fees	46,136 46,136	59,876 59,876	

# NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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# 10. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The carrying amounts of the financial instruments, other than financial assets at fair value through profit or loss which is carried at fair value, are a reasonable approximation of their fair values.

# Fair value hierarchy

The Fund uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique: Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Fund can access at the measurement date; Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the assets of liability, either directly or indirectly; and Level 3: Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability. The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Fund's financial asset and liabilities at September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023:

# September 30, 2024 (Reviewed)

	Financial assets		Financial liabilities	Hierarchy level
	FVTPL	Amortized cost	Amortized cost	1
	QR.	QR.	QR.	QR.
Bank balances (note 7)		1,056,787		
Other receivables (note 6)		56		
Investment securities (note 5)	13,914,289			13,914,289
Due to related parties (note 8)			387,718	
Payables and accrued expenses (note 8)			46,136	

# December 31, 2023 (Audited)

	Financial assets		Financial liabilities	Hierarchy level
	FVTPL QR.	Amortized cost QR.	Amortized cost QR.	1 QR.
Bank balances (note 7)		297,309		
Other receivables (note 6)		444,055		
Investment securities (note 5)	14,105,333			14,105,333
Due to related parties (note 8)			270,980	
Payables and accrued expenses (note 9)				59,876

# 11. APPROVAL OF INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The financial information for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2024 was authorised for issue by the Fund Manager on October 21, 2024.