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Corporate Information

Board of Directors

Mr. Sultan Ali Allana Chairman

Mr. R. Zakir Mahmood President & CEO

Mr. Iain Donald Cheyne
Director

Mr. Sajid Zahid Director

Mr. Ahmed Jawad

Mr. Mushtaq Malik

Mr. Yasin Malik
Director

Group Chief Financial Officer Mr. Ayaz Ahmed

Company Secretary
Ms. Nausheen Ahmad

Auditors

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Websites

Corporate website www.hbl.com Treasury website www.hblgtr.com.pk Ebank (internet banking): www.hblebank.com

Directors' Review

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am pleased to present the condensed interim consolidated financial statements for the nine months period ended September 30, 2008.

Financial Performance

The financial results of the bank are summarised below: (Rs. in '000)

Profit after tax11,073,881Share of profit attributable to minority interest111,296Profit attributable to shareholders10,962,585Earnings per share rupees (Basic & Diluted)14.44

During the nine months period ended September 30, 2008, the Bank's performance improved driven by a growth in customer deposits of 11% over December 31, 2007. It is pleasing to report that the Bank increased its market share of deposits during a period of intense competitive pressure which shows that the Bank has a very strong franchise and also reflects the confidence of depositors in the strength and customer service capabilities of HBL. During the period, advances increased by 14% & total assets increased by 7% over December 31, 2007. Bank's earnings also correspond with the balance sheet growth as its current period profit before tax increased by 8% from the corresponding period of the last year.

Future Outlook

The global economic situation and the consequent crisis have had an immediate and far reaching impact on the international stock markets and the banking sector. The initial confidence building measures by governments of developed economies has begun to have an impact. However, the IMF has predicted a severe global recession and rising unemployment.

In the Pakistan context the increase in oil and food prices, rising imports and the consequent higher government borrowings have put pressure on the trade and fiscal deficits and on the Rupee. To restore macroeconomic stability and improve credit supply, SBP took a number of measures in phases and relaxed the statutory cash and liquidity reserves requirements by some Rs. 270 bn and the Government have also started to address the imbalances by reducing subsidies on oil and electricity. These measures have had a positive impact in the short term which along with favourable recent trend in global commodity prices will ease the pressures.

Your Bank is cognizant of these economic factors and has positioned itself to ensure that we are not exposed to undue risk from these events. Our positive results for the period, despite the difficult operating conditions, show that we have a sound business model with prudent policies. We continue to actively manage our exposures in both credit and liquidity risks. This challenging economic environment will put pressure on the banking sector's earning; however HBL is well positioned to leverage its position as the largest retail network to take advantage of any opportunities that arise.

Appreciation and Acknowledgement

In conclusion, I extend my sincere appreciation to our customers for their patronage and Government of Pakistan, SBP and Ministry of Finance for their constant support. I also thank our shareholders for their confidence and the staff for their dedication and continued support.

On behalf of the Board

R. Zakir Mahmood President & Chief Executive Officer Karachi: October 24, 2008

Condensed Interim Consolidated Balance Sheet

AS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2008

ASSETS	Note	(Unaudited) September 30, 2008 (Rupees	(Audited) December 31, 2007 in '000)
Cash and balances with treasury banks Balances with other banks Lendings to financial institutions Investments Advances Other assets Operating fixed assets Deferred tax asset LIABILITIES	6 7	68,071,727 41,702,845 12,943,778 131,597,150 435,114,307 28,696,084 14,775,128 9,800,871 742,701,890	55,487,664 27,020,704 1,628,130 177,942,251 382,172,734 27,346,111 13,780,555 6,613,372 691,991,521
Bills payable Borrowings from financial institutions Deposits and other accounts Sub-ordinated loans Liabilities against assets subject to finance lease Other liabilities Deferred tax liabilities	9 10 11	9,484,643 43,055,821 587,296,959 3,907,805 - 24,703,603 - 668,448,831 74,253,059	15,418,230 58,994,609 531,298,127 3,100,000 - 19,943,126 - 628,754,092
REPRESENTED BY: Shareholders' equity Share capital Reserves Unappropriated profit		7,590,000 26,415,041 34,903,817	6,900,000 19,821,455 28,341,670
Total equity attributable to the equity holders of the Bank		68,908,858	55,063,125
Minority interest		1,134,193	965,642
Surplus on revaluation of assets - net of deferred tax	12	4,210,008	7,208,662
		74,253,059	63,237,429
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The annexed notes 1 to 22 form an integral part of the condensed interim consolidated financial information.

President and Chief Executive Officer Director Director Director

Condensed Interim Consolidated Profit and Loss Account

(UNAUDITED) FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2008

Note						
Note September 30, September 30, September 30, September 30, 2007 2008 2009 2008 2007 2008 2009 2008 2009 2008 2009 2008 2009 2008 2009 2008 2009 2008 2009 2008 2009			Nine m	onths ended	Quarte	er ended
Mark-up / return / interest earned 14 45,535,475 36,947,367 16,931,312 13,476,262 Mark-up / return / interest expensed 15 18,777,534 13,965,280 7,182,225 5,252,359 Net mark-up / interest income 26,817,941 22,982,087 9,749,087 8,223,903 Provision against non-performing loans and advances - net 72 / 7.3 2,755,444 1,277,035 1,624,464 463,869 (Reversal) / charge against diffinution in value of investments 6.2 10,170) (56,495) (21,949) (14,633) Bad debts written off directly 2,745,274 1,165,914 1,602,515 468,144 Net mark-up / interest income 2,745,274 1,165,914 1,602,515 468,144 Non mark-up / interest income 3,443,845 2,216,111 1,492,646 729,136 Income / gain on investments 16 2,089,611 1,702,574 501,516 942,061 Income from dealing in foreign currencies 1,716,415 1,098,877 698,040 18,998 Other income 9,270,595 7,147,456 3,431,578		Note	September 30,	September 30,	September 30,	September 30,
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Non mark-up / interest income after provisions 24,072,667 21,816,173 8,146,572 7,755,759	Bad debts written off directly		2 745 274	1105 014	1.602.515	460144
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Non mark-up / interest expenses 17 15,820,567 20,0112 (51,454) (51,454) (51,454) (70,576) 4,291,261 (27,272)	Total non-mark-up / interest income					
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Company Comp	Taxation - current		6,786,589	6,460,894	2,514,870	2,746,725
Profit after taxation 4tributable to:	- prior years		1,058,593	(331,478)	169,861	(331,478)
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11,073,881 10,166,197 3,575,603 3,546,544			10,962,585	10,100,291	3,558,782	3,520,647
(Rupees)	Minority Interest		111,296	65,906	16,821	25,897
			11,073,881	10,166,197	3,575,603	3,546,544
				(Ru	ıpees)	
	Basic and diluted earnings per share		14.44	13.31	4.69	4.64

The annexed notes 1 to 22 form an integral part of the condensed interim consolidated financial information.

President and Chief Executive Officer Director Director Director

Condensed Interim Consolidated

Statement of Changes in Equity

(UNAUDITED) FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2008

				Attributable to shar	eholders of the Group ERVES				
	Share Capital	Exchange Translation Reserve	Statutory requirement of Joint Venture and Subsidiaries	Bank	General	Unappropriated profit	Sub Total	Minority interest	Total
Balance as at December 31, 2006	6,900,000	2,381,560	132,505	9,214,707	6,073,812	20,475,080	45,177,664	913,317	46,090,981
Profit for the nine months ended September 30, 2007	-	-	-	-	-	10,100,291	10,100,291	65,906	10,166,197
Exchange translation released on disposal of investments	-	(188,265)	-	-	-	-	(188,265)	-	(188,265)
Transferred from surplus on revaluation of fixed assets	-	-	-	-	-	59,992	59,992	-	59,992
Effect of translation of net investment in foreign branches, subsidiaries, joint venture and associates	-	595,313	-	-	_	-	595,313	15,029	610,342
Total recognised income and expense for the period	-	407,048	-	-	-	10,160,283	10,567,331	80,935	10,648,266
Transferred to statutory reserves	-	-	21,625	921,256	-	(942,881)	-	-	-
Cash dividend paid at Rs. 2 per share	-	-	-	-	-	(1,380,000)	(1,380,000)	-	(1,380,000)
Minority share of surplus on revaluation of securities		-	-	-	-	-	-	3,735	3,735
Balance as at September 30, 2007	6,900,000	2,788,608	154,130	10,135,963	6,073,812	28,312,482	54,364,995	997,987	55,362,982
Profit for the period from October to December 31, 2007	-	-	-	-	-	(100,060)	(100,060)	17,900	(82,160)
Exchange translation released on disposal of investments	-	(41,355)	-	-	-	-	(41,355)	-	(41,355)
Transferred from surplus on revaluation of fixed assets	-	-	-	-	-	13,774	13,774	-	13,774
Effect of translation of net investment in foreign branches, subsidiaries, joint venture and associates	-	825,771	-	-	-	-	825,771	(863)	824,908
Total recognised income and expense for the period	-	784,416	-	-	-	(86,286)	698,130	17,037	715,167
Transferred to statutory reserves	-	-	1,640	(117,114)	-	115,474	-	-	-
Cash dividend paid at Rs. 1.3 per certificate by Modaraba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(46,457)	(46,457)
Minority share of surplus on revaluation of securities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,925)	(2,925)
Balance as at December 31, 2007	6,900,000	3,573,024	155,770	10,018,849	6,073,812	28,341,670	55,063,125	965,642	56,028,767
Profit for the nine months ended September 30, 2008	-	-	-	-	-	10,962,585	10,962,585	111,296	11,073,881
Transferred from surplus on revaluation of fixed assets	-	-	-	-	-	40,044	40,044	-	40,044
Effect of translation of net investment in foreign branches, subsidiaries, joint venture and associates	-	5,603,104	-	-	-	-	5,603,104	65,517	5,668,621
Total recognised income and expense for the period	-	5,603,104	-	-	-	11,002,629	16,605,733	176,813	16,782,546
Transferred to statutory reserves	-	-	28,897	961,585	-	(990,482)	-	-	-
Cash dividend at Rs. 4 per share	-	-	-	-	-	(2,760,000)	(2,760,000)	-	(2,760,000)
Issue of bonus shares	690,000	-	-	-	-	(690,000)	-	-	-
Minority share of surplus on revaluation of securities		<u> </u>	-	-				(8,262)	(8,262)
Balance as at September 30, 2008	7,590,000	9,176,128	184,667	10,980,434	6,073,812	34,903,817	68,908,858	1,134,193	70,043,051

The annexed notes 1 to 22 form an integral part of the condensed interim consolidated financial information.

President and Chief Executive Officer Director Director Director Director

Condensed Interim Consolidated

Cash Flow Statement

(UNAUDITED) FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2008

		September 30 2008 (Rupee	September 30 2007 s in '000)
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		17221 426	16102 200
Profit before taxation		17,321,426	16,103,208
Less: Dividend income and share of profit of associa and joint venture companies Gain on sale of investments - net	ted	(1,928,606) (161,005) (2,089,611) 15,231,815	(778,215) (230,610) (1,008,825) 15,094,383
Adjustment for non-cash charges Depreciation / amortisation / adjustments (Reversal) / charge against diminution in the v. Provision against non-performing loans and ac Amortisation of premium on investments Gain on sale of property and equipment - net Miscellaneous provisions		1,196,509 10,170 2,755,444 207,820 (31,578) 403,817 4,542,182	823,021 (56,495) 1,277,035 245,664 (39,156) (106,080) 2,143,989
(Increase) / decrease in operating assets Government securities Lendings to financial institutions Loans and advances Other assets - net		19,773,997 55,781,101 (11,315,648) (56,672,704) (5,153,552) (17,360,803)	17,238,372 (59,584,910) 4,470,456 2,361,539 (1,880,340) (54,633,255)
Increase / (decrease) in operating liabilities Deposits and other accounts Borrowings from financial institutions Bills payable Other liabilities - net		55,998,832 (15,938,788) (5,933,587) 4,366,948 38,493,405 40,906,599	68,926,561 (20,673,550) 1,276,710 3,884,683 53,414,404 16,019,521
Income tax paid - net Net cash flows from operating activities		(9,180,075) 31,726,524	(5,228,680) 10,790,841
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Net investments in securities, associates and joint ve Dividend income received Fixed capital expenditure Proceeds from sale of fixed assets Exchange adjustment on translation of balances in for subsidiaries and joint venture Net cash flows used in investing activities		(5,308,197) 164,275 (2198,527) 39,025 5,603,104 (1,700,320)	(8,572,529) 405,361 (2,217,350) 91,437 407,048 (9,886,033)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Dividend paid Net cash flows used in financing activities		<u>(2,760,000)</u> (2,760,000)	(1,381,000)
Increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents du	ring the period	27,266,204	(476,192)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash ec		72,557,076 9,951,292 82,508,368	81,146,952 1,128,574 82,275,526
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period		109,774,572	81,799,334
The annexed notes 1 to 22 form an integral part of th	e condensed interim consolic	ated financial information.	

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(UNAUDITED) FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2008

1 THE GROUP AND ITS OPERATIONS

Habib Bank Limited (the Bank) is incorporated in Pakistan and is engaged in commercial banking, modaraba management and asset management related services in Pakistan and overseas. The Bank's registered office is located at Habib Bank Tower, 4th Floor, Jinnah Avenue, Islamabad. The Bank's shares are listed on the stock exchanges in Pakistan. The Group consists of the Bank, its subsidiaries and associates, as given in its annual consolidated financial statements.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION

These financial statements are presented in condensed form in accordance with approved accounting standards as applicable in Pakistan for Interim Financial Reporting. These condensed Interim Financial Statements do not include all of the information required for full financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the financial statements of the Group for the year ended December 31, 2007.

3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies and methods of computation followed for the preparation of these financial statements are the same as those applied in the preparation of the annual consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended December 31, 2007.

4 ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

The basis for accounting estimates adopted in the preparation of these condensed interim consolidated financial statements are the same as those applied in the preparation of the annual consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended December 31, 2007.

5 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Financial risk management objectives and policies adopted by Group are consistent with that disclosed in the financial statements of the Group for the year ended December 31, 2007.

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_	IN INCESTAGENTS							
6	INVESTMENTS	Note	Sep	tember 30, 2	2008	De	ecember 31, 2	2007
			Held by Group	Given as collateral	Total	Held by Group	Given as collateral	Total
					— — (Rupe	es in '000) - —		
	Held-to-maturity securities (HTM)							
	Federal Government Securities -Pakistan Investment Bonds	6.1	10,758,806	-	10,758,806	12,164,051	-	12,164,051
	Overseas Government Securities Debentures and Corporate Debt Instruments		77,397 45,455	-	77,397 45,455	58,951 -	-	58,951
	Available-for-sale securities (AFS)		10,881,658	-	10,881,658	12,223,002	-	12,223,002
	Federal Covernment Securities - Market Treasury Bills - Pakistan Investment Bonds - Government of Pakistan Guaranteed Bonds - Government of Pakistan Bonds (US Dollar / Eu	ro)	48,349,599 1,655,213 8,706,152 2,267,042	7,933,405 - -	48,349,599 9,588,618 8,706,152 2,267,042	72,497,871 9,823,565 8,601,364 2,789,968	28,556,867 - - -	101,054,738 9,823,565 8,601,364 2,789,968
	Overseas Government Securities	,	9,922,765	_	9,922,765	9,496,982	_	9,496,982
	Fully paid-up ordinary shares: - Listed companies - Unlisted companies		1,306,017 435,991		1,306,017 435,991	854,140 416,456	-	854,140 416,456
	Debentures and Corporate Debt Instruments - Listed securities - Unlisted securities		2,315,660 26,799,522		2,315,660 26,799,522	1,044,923 22,159,125		1,044,923 22,159,125
	NIT Units		23,945	-	23,945	44,338	-	44,338
	Preference Shares		181,700	-	181,700	200,000	-	200,000
	Other Investments		1,237,326	-	1,237,326	1,815,538	-	1,815,538
			103,200,932	7,933,405	111,134,337	129,744,270	28,556,867	158,301,137
	Investment in associates and joint venture	6.3	9,581,155		9,581,155	7,418,112		7,418,112
			123,663,745	7,933,405	131,597,150	149,385,384	28,556,867	177,942,251

6.1 The market value of investments classified as "held-to-maturity" as at September 30, 2008 amounted to Rs. 8,414.149 million (2007: Rs. 10,573.095

6.2 Particulars of provision held against diminution in value of investments

The balances above are stated net of specific provision held. The analysis of total provision held is as follows:

	September 30, 2008 (Rupees	December 31, 2007 in '000)
Opening balance	421,729	518,932
Reversal) during the period / year	(10,170)	(84,310)
mount written off	(82,472)	(12,893)
closing balance	329,087	421,729

- 6.3 Platinum Habib Bank Plc., undertook an Initial Public Offer (IPO) last year which was over subscribed by 2.69 times. Subsequent to the offer, the shareholding of HBL has been reduced to 8.11% (2007: 15.29%).
- 6.4 Share of profit of associates has been accounted for on an estimated basis where financial statements as of September 30, 2008 are not available. Summary of financial statements are as follows:

September 30,	2008		
Based on the financial	Currency	Profit	/ Loss
statements as on		Local currency	(Rupees in '000)
		(Amount in '000))
For the nine months period ended March 31, 2008	Naira	19,033,000	10,883,069
For the six months period ended June 30, 2008	Shs	719,905	736,823
For the year ended July 15, 2008	NRs	955,315	965,919
For the six months period ended June 30, 2008	PKR	11,440	11,440
For the six months period ended June 30, 2008	PKR	171,331	171,331
For the six months period ended June 30, 2008	US\$	1,679	113,380
For the nine months period ended September 30, 2008	PKR	454,423	454,423
For the nine months period ended September 30, 2008	PKR	22,828	22,828
	For the nine months period ended March 31, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the year ended July 15, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the nine months period ended June 30, 2008 For the nine months period ended June 30, 2008	For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the year ended July 15, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 For the nine months period ended September 30, 2008 For the nine months period ended September 30, 2008 For the nine months period ended September 30, 2008	Based on the financial statements as on Currency Local currency (Amount in '000') For the nine months period ended March 31, 2008 Naira 19,033,000 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 Shs 719,905 For the year ended July 15, 2008 NRs 955,315 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 PKR 11,440 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 PKR 171,331 For the six months period ended June 30, 2008 US \$ 1,679 For the nine months period ended September 30, 2008 PKR 454,423

7 ADVANCES Note 2008 2007 (Rupees in '000) Loans, cash credits, running finances, etc. In Pakistan 337,741,512 310,370,832 Outside Pakistan 79,823,825 Net investment in finance lease - in Pakistan 5,049,255 8,719,113 Bills discounted and purchased (excluding Government treasury bills): Payable in Pakistan 6,387,872 22,499,580 Payable outside Pakistan Provision against non-performing advances 7.2 (25,037,297) (21,306,166) 435,114,307 382,172,734 Fully provided non-performing advances classified as loss for more than five years In Pakistan Outside Pakistan 12,228,183 11,909,930 11,909,930 (11,909,930) Provision 7.3 (12,228,183)

7.1 Advances include Rs. 33,829.628 million (2007: Rs. 27,692.769 million) which have been placed under non-performing status, other than those accounts classified as loss and fully provided for more than five years, which have been placed in a separate category:

				S	eptember 30, 20	108			
Category of classification	on	Non-performing	advances	P	rovision required	and held	Net n	on-performing a	dvances
	Domestic	Overs	eas Tot	al Domestic	Overseas	Total	Domestic	Overseas	Total
Specific provision					-(Rupees in '00	00)			
Other assets especially									
mentioned	935,530	-	935,530	-	-	-	935,530	-	935,530
Substandard	7,376,367	913,919	8,290,286	1,820,912	44,227	1,865,139	5,555,455	869,692	6,425,147
Doubtful	4,350,974	568,094	4,919,068	2,175,487	355,681	2,531,168	2,175,487	212,413	2,387,900
Loss	9,350,367	10,334,377	19,684,744	9,350,367	10,278,048	19,628,415	-	56,329	56,329
	22,013,238	11,816,390	33,829,628	13,346,766	10,677,956	24,024,722	8,666,472	1,138,434	9,804,906
General provision	-	-	-	649,258	363,317	1,012,575	-	-	-
	22,013,238	11,816,390	33,829,628	13,996,024	11,041,273	25,037,297	8,666,472	1,138,434	9,804,906

7.2 Particulars of provision against non-performing advances

	Note	September 30, 2008			Dec	December 31, 2007			
		Specific	General	Total	Specific	General	Total		
				— — (Rupees	in '000) - — -				
Opening balance		20,255,532	1,050,634	21,306,166	20,518,688	1,413,165	21,931,853		
Exchange adjustment		2,106,010	59,003	2,165,013	308,226	(6,899)	301,327		
Charge for the period / year		3,276,691	65,708	3,342,399	9,205,663	81,096	9,286,759		
Reversals		(66,549)	(162,770)	(229,319)	(185,137)	(436,728)	(621,865)		
		3,210,142	(97,062)	3,113,080	9,020,526	(355,632)	8,664,894		
Amounts written off		(413,111)		(413,111)	(3,614,928)		(3,614,928)		
Transferred to / from over 5 years category	7.3	(1,133,851)	-	(1,133,851)	(5,976,980)	-	(5,976,980)		
Closing balance		24,024,722	1,012,575	25,037,297	20,255,532	1,050,634	21,306,166		

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7.3	Particulars of provision against fully provided non-performing advances classified as loss for more than five years	Note	September 30, 2008 (Rupees	December 31, 2007 s in '000)
	Opening balance Reversal Transferred from / to during the period / year Write off	7.2	11,909,930 (357,636) 1,133,851 (457,962) 12,228,183	7,116,335 (426,667) 5,976,980 (756,718) 11,909,930

7.4 Particulars of loans and advances to directors, associated companies, etc.

		September	30, 2008		December 31, 2007				
	Balance outstanding	Maximum total amount of loans and advances including temporary advances outstanding**	Limit sanctioned during the period	Loan repaid during the period	Balance outstanding	Maximum total amount of loans and advances including temporary advances outstanding**	Limit sanctioned during the year	Loan repaid during the year	
Debts due by directors or executives of the Group or any of them either severally or jointly with any other persons					,				
- in respect of directors - in respect of executives * - in respect of key management personnel	- 879,761 384,114	- 902,297 391145	204,485 80,041	- 22,536 7,031	- 697,812 311,104	731,164 326,962	- 477,300 142,535	- 33,352 15,858	
Debts due by companies or firms in which the directors of the Group are interested as directors, partners or in the case of private companies as members	-	1,333,333	_	1,333,333	1,333,333	1,533,333	-	200,000	
Debts due by									
- Retirement benefit funds	-	1,033,720	-	1,033,720	1,033,720	1,389,612	-	355,892	

The disclosure of the period-end balance, limit/ amount sanctioned and the highest amount outstanding during the period / is considered the most meaningful information to represent the amount of the transactions and the amount of outstanding balances during the period / year.

** (Maximum amount has been arrived at by reference to month end balance)	n employment)	
OPERATING FIXED ASSETS	For the nine r	months ended
	September 30,	September 30,
	2008	2007
	(Rupees	s in '000)
Addition to fixed assets		
The following additions have been made to tangible and intangible fixe	d assets during the period ended September 3	0, 2008:
Land	527,217	202,657
Building including related machinery	105,745	457,431
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	839,226	1,044,765

Furniture, f	ixtures and office equipment	839,226	1,044,765
Vehicles		109,738	13,718
Intangible	assets	143,465	53,974
Capital wo	rk-in-progress	473,136	444,805
		2,198,527	2,217,350

8.2 Disposal of fixed assets

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The following disposals have been made from tangible and intangible fixed assets during the period ended September 30, 2008:

Land	3,960	16,017
Building including related machinery		24,969
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	124,653	184,343
Vehicles	40,272	60,432
Intangible assets	281	736
	169166	286 497

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9 BORROWINGS FROM FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

	2008	2007
	(Rupees in '000)	
Secured		
Borrowings from State Bank of Pakistan under: Export refinance scheme Locally manufactured machinery refinance scheme Long term finance - export oriented projects Repurchase agreement borrowings	10,051,776 - 6,005,425 8,611,194 24,668,395	10,783,073 6,747 7,376,449 28,370,002 46,536,271
Unsecured		
In Pakistan:		
Interbank call money borrowings including borrowings by domestic subsidiaries	145,915	408,363
Outside Pakistan:		
Overdrawn nostro accounts	427,699	462,495
Borrowings of overseas branches	17,813,812	11,587,480
	18,241,511 18,387,426	12,049,975 12,458,338
	43,055,821	58,994,609
DEPOSITS AND OTHER ACCOUNTS		
Customers		
Fixed deposits Savings chequing account Other savings account Current accounts - remunerative Current accounts - non-remunerative	173,892,748 192,434,000 78,853,101 2,915,068 130,694,972 578,789,889	142,718,688 194,299,616 70,074,713 1,672,810 108,881,122 517,646,949
Financial institutions		
Remunerative deposits Non-remunerative deposits	3,110,511 5,396,559 8,507,070	9,066,729 4,584,449 13,651,178
	587,296,959	531,298,127
	301,230,333	331,230,121

September 30, December 31,

11 SUB-ORDINATED LOANS

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The Group has obtained loan from "International Finance Corporation" (IFC) amounting to US \$ 50 million (2007: US \$ 50 million). The principal amount is repayable in four equal half yearly installments commencing from the year 2013 to 2014. Interest is payable on bi-annual basis commencing from December 2007 at libor + 175 bps. The loan is unsecured and subordinated as to payment of principal and interest to all other indebtness of the group (including deposits). The loan may not be prepaid or repaid before maturity without the prior written approval of the State Bank of Pakistan. The bank is not exposed to significant exchange risk as the loan forms part of the Bank's foreign currency net opening position.

12 SURPLUS ON REVALUATION OF ASSETS - net of deferred tax

		Note	September 30, 2008	December 31, 2007
			(Rupee	es in '000)
	Surplus arising on revaluation of:			
	- fixed assets - investments Surplus on revaluation of assets - net of deferred tax	12.1 12.2	7,229,770 (3,019,762) 4,210,008	7,269,814 (61,152) 7,208,662
12.1	Surplus on revaluation of fixed assets			
	Surplus on revaluation of fixed assets as at January 1		7,889,744	7,989,613
	Surplus realised on disposal of revalued properties during the period / year Transferred to accumulated profit in respect of incremental		(3,686)	(25,288)
	depreciation charged during the period / year - net of deferred tax Related deferred tax liability of incremental depreciation		(36,358)	(48,478)
	charged during the period / year		(19,577)	(26,103)
	Surplus on revaluation of fixed assets as at period / year end		7,830,123	7,889,744
	Less: related deferred tax liability on:			
	- revaluation as at January 1		619,930	654,884
	- surplus realised on disposal of revalued properties during the period / year - incremental depreciation charged during the period / year		-	(8,851)
	transferred to profit and loss account		(19,577)	(26,103)
			600,353	619,930
			7,229,770	7,269,814
12.2	Surplus / (deficit) on revaluation of investments			
	Market treasury bills Pakistan investment bonds Sukuk and Euro bonds Listed securities		(185,319) (1,712,362) (1,629,620) (565,449)	(242,682) (179,220) - 205,991
	NIT units Other investments		12,419	32,809
	Other investments		(567,904) (4,648,235)	83,338 (99,764)
	Add: related deferred tax asset		1,628,473	38,612
			(3,019,762)	(61,152)

13 CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

	September 30, 2008 (Rupee	December 31, 2007 es in '000)
13.1 Direct credit substitutes - financial guarantees13.2 Transaction-related contingent liabilities	34,443,993	40,162,575
Guarantees in favour of: Government Financial institutions Others	3,859,021 848,586 17,370,049 22,077,656	2,500,419 352,392 11,976,067 14,828,878
13.3 Trade-related commitments		
Credit cash Credit documentary acceptances Credit acceptances	148,438,445 16,713,902 27,148,558 192,300,905	116,310,413 12,439,668 24,069,290 152,819,371
13.4 Other contingencies		
Claims against the Group not acknowledged as debts	46,841,200	45,864,219

13.5 Commitments in respect of forward lending

The Group makes commitments to extend credit in the normal course of its business but none of these commitments are irrevocable and do not attract any significant penalty or expense if the facility is unilaterally withdrawn.

	September 30, 2008 (Rupees	December 31, 2007 s in '000)
13.6 Commitments in respect of forward foreign exchange contracts		
Purchase	40,255,616	39,324,335
Sale	39,300,457	42,960,952
The above commitments have maturities falling within one year.		
Commitments in respect of foreign currency swaps / options		
Purchase	371,567	2,171,290
Sale	371,567	2,171,290
13.7 Commitments for acquisition of operating fixed assets / intangibles	1,269,643	682,435

13.8 Taxation

The income tax returns of Habib Bank Limited have been submitted up to and including the bank's financial year 2006. The tax authorities have concluded the audit of years 2002 through 2005 and audit of year 2006 is in process.

While amending the assessments under section 122(5A) of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001 the tax authorities have disallowed certain items including disallowance of double income tax relief relating to Azad Jammu & Kashmir (AJK) branches amounting to Rs 2,293 million and addition on account of allocation of expenses related to exempt capital gains and dividend income resulting in additional tax liability amounting to Rs 1,622 million.

Management's view is that the settlement reached, after deliberations by the technical committee formed by the Prime Minister and Chairman AJ&K Council, relates to the long outstanding issue of basis of computation of income in AJK. The foreign tax credit claimed by the bank is in accordance with accounting practice and the law.

The tax authorities allocated the total operating expenses on the basis of turnover/ income. Management's view is that the law requires that expenses should be based on specific expenditure allocated in a reasonable manner, which is based on assets deployed. Appeals against these assessments are in process. Although the bank has made partial payment of tax assessed, under protest, no provision has been made in the financial statements for these issues, as the management is confident that the eventual outcome of these issues will be in the favour of the bank.

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14	14 MARK-UP / RETURN / INTEREST EARNED		For the nine months ended			
		September 30,	September 30,			
		2008	2007			
		(Rupees				
		(Rupees	111 000)			
	On loans and advances to:					
	- Customers	33,229,376	26,852,968			
	- Financial institutions	214,139	181,342			
	On investments:					
	- Available-for-sale	10,191,123	7,526,835			
	- Held-to-maturity	480,191	589,086			
	On deposits with financial institutions	1,148,230	1,286,934			
	On lendings to financial institutions	272,416	510,202			
		45,535,475	36,947,367			
15	MARK-UP / RETURN / INTEREST EXPENSED					
13	MARK-OF / RETORIN / INTEREST EXPENSED					
	Deposits	15,652,273	12,290,660			
	Securities sold under repurchase agreement borrowings Other short term borrowings	1,699,902 989.305	458,375 1,088,935			
	Long term borrowings	376,054	127.310			
	88-	18,717,534	13.965.280			
		10,111,554	15,505,200			
16	INCOME / GAIN ON INVESTMENTS					
	Dividend income	164.275	412,514			
	Share of profit of associates and joint venture	1,764,331	1,059,450			
	Gain on sale of securities	161,005	230,610			
		2,089,611	1,702,574			

17 WORKERS WELFARE FUND

The Worker's Welfare Ordinance, 1971 has been amended vide Finance Act, 2008 by virtue of which the bank is now liable to pay WWF @ 2% of profit before tax as per accounts or declared income as per income tax return, whichever is higher. Accordingly the liability of Rs 313.751 million on the basis of profit before tax for the period ended September 30, 2008 has been accounted for in this period and is included in administrative expenses.

18 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Aga Khan Fund for Economic Development, S.A., Switzerland holds 51% shares of the Bank. The other related parties are the Group's associated undertakings, joint venture companies, employee benefit plans of the Group / related party, Key Management Personnel and Directors of the Group / related parties.

Banking transactions with the related parties are executed substantially on the same terms, including mark-up rates and collateral, as those prevailing at the time for comparable transactions with unrelated parties and do not involve more than normal risk (i.e. under the comparable uncontrolled price method) other then those under terms of employment. Details of loans and advances to related parties are given in note 7.4 to these financial statements.

 $Contributions \ to \ and \ accruals \ in \ respect \ of \ staff \ retirement \ and \ other \ benefit \ plans \ are \ made \ in \ accordance \ with \ the \ actuarial \ valuation$ $/\,terms\,of\,the\,contribution\,plan.\,There\,are\,no\,transactions\,with\,key\,management\,personnel\,other\,than\,under\,their\,terms\,of\,employment.$

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Details of transactions with related parties and balances with them as at the period / year-end were as follows:

	2008	2007
Balances outstanding as at the period / year end	(Rupees	in '000)
- Borrowings / Deposits from		
 - Joint venture and associates - Retirement benefit funds - Companies in which directors are interested 	3,813,697 342,704 474,449	4,790,355 107,135 515,020
 Receivable from defined benefit plan Receivable from associates Payable to associates Acceptances during the period / year Placements with joint venture and associates 	5,523,501 9,007 59 118,836 932,607	5,193,448 - - 2,767 335,764

	September 30, 2008	September 30, 2007
Profit / Expense for the period	(Rupee	es in '000)
- Interest paid		(Restated)
 Joint venture and associates Retirement benefit funds Companies in which Directors are interested Premium paid to companies in which Directors are interested 	88,752 3,851 4,033 187,802	79,681 4,856 7 143,414
- Interest income		
 Retirement benefit funds Companies in which Directors are interested 	39,892 24,783	73,068
- Other income - Associates	77,268	-
- Share of profit of joint venture companies and associates - net of tax	1,323,738	818,091

For the nine months ended

18.1 Key management personnel

Key Management Personnel comprises Members of Management Committee, Regional Management, Country Managers and Senior Executives:

	For the nine r	months ended
	September 30, 2008	September 30, 2007
	(Rupees	in '000)
		(Restated)
n (including allowances) nt and benevolent fund	629,323 19,001 19,325	504,463 18,692 9,129
	667,649	532,284
	153	142

19 SEGMENT DETAILS WITH RESPECT TO BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

	For the nine months ended September 30, 2008					
	Corporate / Retail banking commercial Treasury International Head Office / banking group support service:					
			(-1	,		
Net interest and non-markup income	19,965	6,288	1,691	6,885	1,259	36,088
Total expenses including provision	10,569	3,664	317	3,525	692	18,767
Net income (loss)	9,396	2,624	1,374	3,360	567	17,321
Segment assets (gross)	97,472	329,543	110,468	160,400	70,457	768,340
Segment non-performing loans	5,584	16,002	-	11,036	1,208	33,830
6						
Segment provision required including general provision	3,369	9,165	-	6,689	6,415	25,638
Segment liabilities including equity	431,531	90,133	11,223	113,148	96,667	742,702
Segment return on asset (%)	9.44%	11.73%	9.67%	6.14%	1.41%	-
Segment cost of funds (%)	3.56%	9.44%	9.21%	2.43%	0.09%	-

	For the nine months ended September 30, 2007					
	Retail banking	Corporate / commercial banking	Treasury	International banking group in million) — —	Head Office /	Total
			— — (Restated) - — — —			
Net interest and non-markup income	18,062	4,813	411	4,986	1,857	30,129
Total expenses including provision	5,989	1,408	58	2,431	4,140	14,026
Net income (loss)	12,073	3,405	353	2,555	(2,283)	16,103
Segment assets (gross)	117,915	245,000	182,940	117,784	18,933	682,572
Segment non-performing loans	6,763	9,734	-	9,774	8,450	34,721
Segment provision required including						
general provision	4,354	3,023	-	9,206	12,962	29,545
Segment liabilities including equity	381,090	104,990	11,885	82,665	72,397	653,027
Segment return on asset (%)	8.08%	10.67%	8.17%	4.92%	2.07%	-
Segment cost of funds (%)	2.36%	8.56%	8.17%	2.71%	0.11%	-

20 ISLAMIC BANKING BRANCH AND FIRST HABIB BANK MODARABA

Financial figures of the Islamic Banking Branch and First Habib Bank Modaraba are as follows:

	September 30,	December 31,	
	2008 2007 (Rupees in '000)		
ASSETS	(Restated)		
Cash and balances with treasury banks Investments - net Murabaha Ijara Musharaka Other assets Operating fixed assets	43,984 62,304 2,958 1,262,232 50,000 191,387 1,110	31,838 30,191 31,540 1,025,149 - 171,779 1,279	
HARWITIES.	1,613,975	1,291,776	
LIABILITIES Borrowings from financial institutions Deposit and other accounts Other liabilities	334,862 14,156 560,475 909,493	452,352 12,396 168,017 632,765	
NET ASSETS	704,482	659,011	
REPRESENTED BY: Islamic Banking Fund / Certificate Capital Reserves Unappropriated profit / (loss) Surplus on revaluation of assets	447,072 183,439 73,028 703,539 943 704,482	447,072 202,600 (951) 648,721 10,290 659,011	

The commitment in respect of letters of credit of Islamic Banking branch of Habib Bank Limited amounted to Rs. 17.194 million (2007: Rs. 0.023 million

21. DATE OF AUTHORISATION FOR ISSUE

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements were authorised for issue in the Board of Directors meeting held on

22. GENERAL

The figures have been restated / reclassified where necessary for comparison purposes.

Directors' Review

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am pleased to present the condensed interim unconsolidated financial statements for the nine months period ended September 30, 2008.

Financial Performance

The financial results of the bank are summarised below:

(Rs. in '000)

Profit after tax

9,615,853

Earnings per share rupees (Basic & Diluted)

12.67

During the nine months period ended September 30, 2008, the Bank's performance improved driven by a growth in customer deposits of 10% over December 31, 2007. It is pleasing to report that the Bank increased its market share of deposits during a period of intense competitive pressure which shows that the Bank has a very strong franchise and also reflects the confidence of depositors in the strength and customer service capabilities of HBL. During the period, advances increased by 13% & total assets increased by 7% over December 31, 2007.

Future Outlook

The global economic situation and the consequent crisis have had an immediate and far reaching impact on the international stock markets and the banking sector. The initial confidence building measures by governments of developed economies has begun to have an impact. However, the IMF has predicted a severe global recession and rising unemployment.

In the Pakistan context the increase in oil and food prices, rising imports and the consequent higher government borrowings have put pressure on the trade and fiscal deficits and on the Rupee. To restore macroeconomic stability and improve credit supply, SBP took a number of measures in phases and relaxed the statutory cash and liquidity reserves requirements by some Rs. 270 bn and the Government have also started to address the imbalances by reducing subsidies on oil and electricity. These measures have had a positive impact in the short term which along with favourable recent trend in global commodity prices will ease the pressures.

Your Bank is cognizant of these economic factors and has positioned itself to ensure that we are not exposed to undue risk from these events. Our positive results for the period, despite the difficult operating conditions, show that we have a sound business model with prudent policies. We continue to actively manage our exposures in both credit and liquidity risks. This challenging economic environment will put pressure on the banking sector's earning; however HBL is well positioned to leverage its position as the largest retail network to take advantage of any opportunities that arise.

Appreciation and Acknowledgement

In conclusion, I extend my sincere appreciation to our customers for their patronage and Government of Pakistan, SBP and Ministry of Finance for their constant support. I also thank our shareholders for their confidence and the staff for their dedication and continued support.

On behalf of the Board

R. Zakir Mahmood President & Chief Executive Officer Karachi: October 24, 2008