

Quarterly report 2022

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**SR-Boligkreditt** 

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#### Statement of the Board of Directors

SR-Boligkreditt AS is a wholly owned subsidiary of SpareBank 1 SR-Bank ("SR-Bank"). The company issues covered bonds backed by home mortgages acquired from SR-Bank. Moody's rates SR-Boligkreditt AS's covered bond programme Aaa.

#### Income statement as at 31 March 2022

Net income totalled NOK 455.3 million as at 31 March 2022.

	01.01.2022 -	01.01.2021 -
(Amounts in NOK millions)	31.03.2022	31.03.2021
Total income	455,3	110,8
Net interest income	187,4	226,9
Net commission cost	14,2	-13,3
Net income on financial investments	282,1	-102,7

Operating expenses are kept low due to effective operation and synergies with SR-Bank. Net income on financial investments is volatile due to changes in value of basis swaps.

#### **Balance sheet**

At end of March 2022, total assets stood at NOK 104.0 billion. SR-Boligkreditt AS has issued covered bonds amounting to NOK 81.2 billion.

#### Risk

SR-Boligkreditt AS has established guidelines and limits for management and control of the different types of risk. Currency and interest rate risk is eliminated using derivatives. Liquidity risk is with managed in accordance regulatory requirements and limits approved by the board. The company's overall financial risk is low. The servicing agreement with SR-Bank comprises administration, bank production, IT operations, and financial and liquidity management. Operational risk is assessed as low. Negative developments in the housing market will affect the company. A decline in house prices will reduce the value of the company's cover pool relative to the statutory asset coverage requirement. Quarterly stress tests are carried out to estimate effects of a negative development in house prices. One short-term measure to meet a significant fall in house prices would be to supply SR-Boligkreditt with home mortgages from SR-Bank. The board considers the company's total risk exposure to be low. At the end of March 2022, the company's equity totalled NOK 7.0 billion. The capital adequacy ratio was 24.3 %.

#### Outlook

The covid-19 pandemic dominated the news in 2020 and 2021. Based on increased knowledge about the consequences of the pandemic and the full reopening of society, the uncertainty associated with the macroeconomic development as a result of the pandemic has been further reduced into 2022. Optimism is back both in the retail and in the corporate market and Statistics Norway forecasts GDP mainland to grow 3.6 % in 2022 and 2.5 % in 2023. Core inflation in 2022 is expected at 3.3 % and at 1.8 % in 2023. The housing market and private consumption is stimulated through low mortgage rates. Credit growth is expected to continue despite increased interest rates from the central bank. The policy rate has been increased to 0.75% and the Central Bank has guided for further hikes.

SR-Boligkreditt will continue to build the company's funding curve and to provide funding diversification for the parent bank. The volume of covered bond issues in 2022 is expected to be approximately NOK 15 billion and to provide a sound basis for SR-Bank's lending activities. Defaults are expected to be low and SR-Boligkreditt AS's activities are expected to generate satisfactory profitability in 2022.

The board would like to emphasise that there is considerable uncertainty associated with all assessments of future conditions.

### Statement pursuant to the Securities Trading Act

Statement pursuant to Section 5-6 of the Securities Trading Act.

These interim financial statements for SR-Boligkreditt AS cover the period 1 January – 31 March 2022. The financial statements were prepared in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting and give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the company taken. To the best of our knowledge, the third quarter report gives a true and fair:

- overview of important events that occurred during the accounting period and their impact on the financial statements
- description of the principal risks and uncertainties facing the company over the next accounting period
- description of major transactions with related parties

Stavanger, 4 May 2022

The Board of Directors of SR-Boligkreditt AS

## Income statement

NOK 1 000 Note	01.01.2022 - 31.03.2022	01.01.2021 - 31.03.2021	2021
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Interest income	483.193	401.564	1.667.791
Interest expense	295.783	174.704	703.926
Net interest income	187.410	226.860	963.865
Commission and fee expenses	14.235	13.329	56.240
Net commission cost	14.235	13.329	56.240
Net gains/losses on financial instruments	282.115	-102.725	-67.060
Net income on financial investments	282.115	-102.725	-67.060
Total net income	455.290	110.806	840.565
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Other operating costs	733	717	3.275
Total operating costs before impairment losses on loans	733	717	3.275
Operating profit before impairment losses on loans	454.557	110.089	837.290
Impairment losses on loans and guarantees 2	1.220	-162	-1.454
Pre-tax profit	453.338	110.251	838.744
Tax expense	99.734	24.255	184.524
Profit after tax	353.603	85.996	654.220
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Other comprehensive income			
Adjustments	-	-	-
Comprehensive Income	353.603	85.996	654.220

# Balance sheet

NOK 1 000	Note	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Assets				
Balances with credit institutions		5.642.022	496.380	726.497
Loans to customers	2,5	94.376.234	90.096.865	89.618.804
Bonds		3.013.176	2.991.532	2.290.807
Financial derivatives	9	939.686	3.357.653	2.291.924
Other assets	3	33.491	7.373	33.503
Total assets		104.004.609	96.949.803	94.961.535
Liabilities and equity				
Liabilities				
Listed debt securities	7	81.238.253	81.942.588	78.522.596
Balances with credit institutions		10.928.410	7.007.988	7.885.514
Financial derivatives	9	4.508.260	1.155.673	1.660.070
Other liabilities	4	312.424	118.119	229.696
Total liabilities		96.987.346	90.224.368	88.297.876
Equity				
Share capital		6.000.000	6.000.000	6.000.000
Premium reserve		150	150	150
Retained earnings		1.017.113	725.285	663.509
Total equity		7.017.263	6.725.435	6.663.659
Total liabilities and equity		104.004.609	96.949.803	94.961.535

# Statement of changes in equity

NOV 4 000	Share- capital	Premium reserve	Other equity	Total equity
NOK 1 000	Capital	1030170	equity	equity
Equity as of 31 December 2019	6.000.000	150	456.599	6.456.749
Dividend 2019, resolved in 2020			-450.000	-450.000
Profit for the period			632.690	632.690
Equity as of 31 December 2020	6.000.000	150	639.289	6.639.439
Dividend 2020, resolved in 2021			-630.000	-630.000
Profit for the period			654.220	654.220
Equity as of 31 December 2021	6.000.000	150	663.509	6.663.659
Profit for the period			353.603	353.603
Equity as of 31 March 2022	6.000.000	150	1.017.113	7.017.263

# Cash flow statement

NOK 1 000	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Interest receipts from lending to customers	472.703	398.800	1.660.510
Provisions to SR-Bank	-14.235	-13.329	-56.240
Payments for operations	55.256	8.839	-1.822
Taxes paid	-71.699	-68.565	-143.398
Net cash flow relating to operations	442.026	325.745	1.459.051
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Net purchase of loan portfolio	-4.749.446	-4.556.855	-4.064.875
Net payments on the acquisition of bonds	-722.295	305.068	1.000.056
Net cash flow relating to investments	-5.471.741	-4.251.788	-3.064.819
Debt raised by issuance of securities	7.103.192	10.161.804	15.358.645
Redemption of issued securities	-	-	-7.704.450
Net change in loans from credit institutions	3.042.896	-5.721.271	-4.843.745
Paid in capital equity	-	-	-
Interest payments on debt raised by issuance of securities	-260.081	-91.855	-664.495
Proceeds from settlement of other securities	59.233	-	742.566
Dividend paid	-	-	-630.000
Net cash flow relating to funding activities	9.945.240	4.348.678	2.258.521
Net cash flow during the period	4.915.525	422.636	652.753
Balance of cash and cash equivalents start of period	726.497	73.744	73.744
Balance of cash and cash equivalents end of period	5.642.022	496.380	726.497

### Notes to The Financial statements

## Note 1 Accounting policies

#### 1.1. Basis of preparation

These interim financial statements for SR-Boligkreditt AS cover the period 1 January – 31 March 2022. The interim financial statements were prepared in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting. The interim financial statements were also prepared in accordance with the applicable IFRS standards and IFRIC interpretations. The interim financial statements are unaudited. All amounts are stated in NOK thousands unless stated otherwise.

The interim financial statements do not include all the information required for full annual financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the annual accounts for 2021.

#### New Standards that have not been adopted yet

There are no new standards or interpretations that are not currently in effect and could be expected to have a material effect on the financial statements.

#### New Standards that have been adopted

There are no new standards or interpretations as of 31 March 2022.

#### 1.2. Critical accounting estimates and judgements

The preparation of financial information pursuant to IFRS entails the executive management making estimates, judgements and assumptions that affect the effect of the application of the accounting policies and thus the amounts recognized as assets, liabilities, income and costs. Note 3 of the annual accounts for 2021 explains in more detail the use of critical estimates and judgements when applying the accounting policies.

#### Losses on loans and guarantees

Consequences of Covid-19 is assessed in measurement of 12-month and lifetime expected credit losses. There has not been any significant increase in credit losses during the year. Measurement of expected credit losses is described in Note 2 in the Annual Report 2021 and Note 2 and 5 in the interim report.

# Note 2 Amounts arising from ECL

The following table show reconciliations from the opening to the closing balance of the loss allowance. Explanation of the terms 12-month ECL and lifetime ECL (stage 1-3) are included in note 2 in the annual account 2021.

#### NOK 1 000

ECL on loans and advances to customers at amortized cost	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Balance sheet 1 January 2022	7.518	28.380	-	35.898
Transfer to/ from stage 1	-286	286	-	-
Transfer to/ from stage 2	4.829	-4.829	-	-
Transfer to/ from stage 3	-	_	-	-
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	-4.494	7.632	-	3.138
New financial assets originated or purchased	751	1.435	-	2.186
Change due to reduced portfolio	-581	-3.511	-	-4.092
Change in models/ risk parameters	-	_	-	-
Other movements	-	_	-	-
Balance sheet 31 March 2022	7.738	29.393	-	37.130

#### **NOK 1 000**

ECL on remaining credit lines (flexible loans)	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Balance sheet 1 January 2022	214	41	-	255
Transfer to/ from stage 1	-2	2	-	-
Transfer to/ from stage 2	10	-10	-	-
Transfer to/ from stage 3	-	-	-	-
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	-24	6	-	-18
New financial assets originated or purchased	12	5	-	17
Change due to reduced portfolio	-11	-	-	-12
Change in models/ risk parameters	-	-	-	-
Other movements	_	-	-	-
Balance sheet 31 March 2022	200	42	-	242

## Note 3 Other assets

NOK 1 000	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Deferred tax assets	33.491	7.357	33.491
Prepaid expenses	-	16	12
Total other assets	33.491	7.373	33.503

### Note 4 Other liabilities

NOK 1 000	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Taxes payable	238.693	99.087	210.657
Accounts payable	-	4.526	-
Expected credit loss on remaining credit lines (flexible loans)	242	257	255
Accrued expenses and prepaid revenue	20.780	14.248	18.784
Unsettled trades	52.708		
Total other liabilities	312.424	118.119	229.696

# Note 5 Lending to customers

Lending to customers are residential mortgages only. The mortgages generally have a low loan-to-value and losses have been very low. The total amount of lending to customers at the end of the period were NOK 94.4 billion. All mortgages carry a variable interest rate.

NOK 1 000	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Flexible loans - retail market	19.585.123	20.223.860	19.132.897
Amortising loans - retail market	74.754.800	69.851.758	70.458.853
Accrued interest	73.441	58.434	62.952
Gross loans	94.413.364	90.134.052	89.654.702
Impairment provisions	-37.130	-37.187	-35.898
Loans to customers	94.376.234	90.096.865	89.618.804
Liability			
Remaining credit lines (flexible loans)	7.947.732	7.523.459	7.552.937
Total	7.947.732	7.523.459	7.552.937
Expected credit loss on remaining credit lines (flexible loans)	-242	-257	-255

Gross loans	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Balance 01.01.22	86.819.583	2.835.119	-	89.654.702
Transfer to stage 1	-1.027.319	1.027.319	-	-
Transfer to stage 2	506.061	-506.061	-	-
Transfer to stage 3	-	-	-	-
Net increase/decrease balance existing loans	1.560.906	28.776	-	1.589.682
Originated or purchased during the period	11.970.494	71.336	-	12.041.830
Loans that have been derecognised	-8.582.647	-290.203	-	-8.872.849
Balance 31.03.22	91.247.079	3.166.285	-	94.413.364

### Note 6 Capital adequacy

Capital adequacy is calculated and reported in accordance with the EU's capital requirements for banks and securities undertakings (CRD IV/ CRR).

SR-Boligkreditt AS has permission from the Financial Supervisory Authority of Norway to use internal measurement methods (Internal Rating Based Approach) for quantifying credit risk. The use of IRB requires the company to comply with extensive requirements relating to organization, expertise, risk models and risk management systems.

SR-Boligkreditt shall at all times maintain a capital adequacy ratio equal to the minimum regulatory requirement, with a buffer of 50 - 100 basis points.

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NOK 1 000	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Share capital	6.000.000	6.000.000	6.000.000
Premium reserve	150	150	150
Other equity	663.509	639.289	663.509
Book equity	6.663.659	6.639.439	6.663.659
Deduction for proposed dividend	-660.000	-630.000	-660.000
Deduction for expected losses on IRB, net of write-downs	-112.756	-112.358	-112.064
Value adjustments due to prudent valuation	-2.171	-2.313	-1.788
CET 1 capital	5.888.732	5.894.768	5.889.808
Other paid in capital	_	_	_
Tier 1 capital	5.888.732	5.894.768	5.889.808
Credit risk Basel II			
SME	10.108	3.417	9.610
Specialised enterprises	13.291	10.884	9.946
Mass market SME	284.471	263.961	284.045
Mass market - mortgage on real estate *	17.459.898	16.342.439	16.645.410
Other mass market	84.777	124.286	78.962
Total credit and counterparty risk IRB	17.852.545	16.744.987	17.027.973
Institutions	2.113.708	4.710.977	1.693.806
Covered bonds	182.607	243.209	162.580
Other assets	120.448	243.209 46.251	115.215
Total credit and counterparty risk standard method	2.416.763	5.000.437	1.971.602
Total Credit and Counterparty fish Standard method	2.410.703	J.000.43 <i>1</i>	1.37 1.002
Operational risk	1.414.040	1.134.865	1.414.040
Other risk exposure amounts **	2.605.021	1.808.074	2.400.918
Risk weighted balance	24.288.369	24.688.362	22.814.533

NOK 1 000	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Minimum requirement for CET 1 capital ratio 4,5 %	1.092.977	1.075.086	1.026.654
Buffer requirements:			
Capital conservation buffer 2,5 %	607.209	597.270	570.363
Systemic risk buffer 4,5 %	1.092.977	716.724	1.026.654
Countercyclical capital buffer 1 %	242.884	238.908	228.145
Total buffer requirement to CET 1 capital ratio	1.943.069	1.552.903	1.825.163
Available CET 1 capital ratio after buffer requirement	2.852.686	3.266.779	3.037.991
Capital ratio	24,25 %	24,67 %	25,82 %
Tier 1 Capital ratio	24,25 %	24,67 %	25,82 %
CET 1 capital ratio	24,25 %	24,67 %	25,82 %
Leverage ratio	5,56 %	5,80 %	6,01 %

<sup>\*</sup> Due to change in regulatory presentation figures for 31.03.2021 have been revised. The regulatory floor on residential mortgages has been moved from mass market – mortgage on real estate to other risk exposure amounts.

### Note 7 Debt securities issued

NOK 1 000	Total	NOK	Currency
Covered bonds, nominal value	83.706.717	18.019.359	65.687.358
Value adjustments	-2.728.785	-144.454	-2.584.331
Accrued interests	260.321	57.752	202.569
Total securities issued	81.238.253	17.932.657	63.305.596

#### Securities issued by maturity date

Public covered bonds	Total	NOK	Currency
2022	10.374.418	5.007.928	5.366.490
2023	10.868.193	5.004.030	5.864.163
2024	4.822.516	-	4.822.516
2025	13.714.071	6.009.461	7.704.610
2026	4.625.133	-	4.625.133
2027	6.858.732	-	6.858.732
2028	4.521.251	-	4.521.251
2029	7.326.946	-	7.326.946
2030	4.411.265	-	4.411.265
2031	8.800.283	-	8.800.283
2032	1.911.238	1.911.238	-
2038	2.810.805	-	2.810.805
2041	193.402	-	193.402
Total debt	81.238.253	17.932.657	63.305.596

<sup>\*\*</sup> Risk weights for residential mortgages are subject to a regulatory floor of 20%. Without this floor, the risk weight for residential mortgages would have been 17.5% as at 31 December 2021.

	Balance 31.03.2022	Issued 2022	Matured/ redeemed 2022	Exchange rate and other changes 2022	Balance 31.12.21
Covered bonds	83.706.717	7.103.192	-	-1.409.234	78.012.759
Adjustments	-2.728.784	-	-	-3.018.658	289.874
Accrued interests	260.320	-	-	40.357	219.963
Debt raised through issuance of sec.	81.238.253	7.103.192	-	-4.387.535	78.522.596

# Note 8 Asset coverage

Asset coverage is calculated according to the Act on Financial Institutions, section 11-11. There is a discrepancy between the balance sheet amounts, partly because lending will be reduced due to non-performing loans (no occurrences of non-performance as of 31 March 2022), loans with a loan-to-value ratio in excess of 75 % and the use of market values.

NOK 1 000	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Covered bonds	85.818.176	81.942.588	78.522.596
Total covered bonds	85.818.176	81.942.588	78.522.596
Loans to customers	94.158.339	89.600.191	89.440.566
Substitute collateral	2.708.331	3.701.805	2.547.057
Total cover pool	96.866.670	93.301.996	91.987.624
Asset coverage	112,9 %	113,9 %	117,1 %

### Note 9 Financial derivatives

At fair value through profit and loss	Contract amount	Fair value at 31.03.22	
NOK 1 000	31.03.22	Assets	Liabilities
Hedging / Interest and exchange rate instruments			
Interest rate swaps (including cross currency)	132.773.178	866.901	4.540.637
Total hedging / Interest and exchange rate instruments	132.773.178	866.901	4.540.637
Total currency and interest rate instruments			
Total interest and exchange rate instruments	132.773.178	866.901	4.540.637
Total accrued interests	-	72.785	-32.377
Total financial derivatives	132.773.178	939.686	4.508.260

SR-Boligkreditt AS has an ISDA agreement with a CSA supplement with the counterparty for derivatives. The agreement is one-way, which means only the counterparty has to pledge security when the market value of derivatives fluctuates.

#### IBOR reform

The table below shows derivatives that have IBOR reference interest rates and could be affected by changes caused by the IBOR-reform.

		Average
Interest rate swaps	Contract amount	maturity
EURIBOR EUR (3 months)	59.899.970	6,0
LIBOR USD (3 months)	5.238.360	0,0
NIBOR NOK (3 months)	2.060.000	10,3
Total interest rate swaps	67.198.330	
Cross currency swaps		
EURIBOR EUR (3 months) to NIBOR NOK (3 months)	61.548.999	6,0
LIBOR USD (3 months) to NIBOR NOK (3 months)	5.161.200	0,0
Total cross currency swaps	66.710.199	

### Note 10 Net income from financial instruments

NOK 1 000	31.03.22	31.03.21	31.12.21
Net gains for bonds and certificates	-772	161	-4.034
Net change in value, basis swap spread	304.507	-88.870	-70.202
Net change in value, other financial investments	-21.620	-14.016	7.176
Net change in value, currency effect	-	-	
Net income from financial instruments	282.115	-102.725	-67.060

### Note 11 Events after the balance sheet date

No material events that affect the prepared interim financial statements have been recorded after 31 March 2022.

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