

STATE BANK OF PAKISTAN

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

I. I. Chundrigar Road, Post Box No. 4456, Karachi

No. FD/ 105 /BK-4-2014

20th March, 2014

All Heads of Departments

Dear Sir/Madam,

QUARTERLY CLOSING OF ACCOUNTS AS ON 31ST MARCH 2014

We are in the process of preparation of quarterly Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Account for the quarter ended on March 31st 2014 to be presented to the audit committee and central board.

In this connection, the necessary supplementary instructions attached at Annexure- A are issued in this regard for guidance and compliance, which should be followed by Departments / Divisions / Units to which these are applicable.

All the officers concerned are requested to follow the instructions carefully and note to the action required to ensure adherence its time line mentioned in this circular. It is essential that the items of work relating to the closing of Accounts be taken up earnestly from now with a view to minimizing pressure during the last working days of March.

Encl: Annexure A & B.

Sd/-(Shahid Abbas) Assistant Director

Endt. No. FD/ **106** /BK-4-2014 of date

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ANNEXURE - A

SUPPLEMENTARY INSTRUCTIONS / GUIDELINES FOR QUARTERLY CLOSING OF ACCOUNTS AS ON 31ST MARCH 2014

1. **STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT:**

The statement of Profit and Loss Account for the quarter ended on 31st March may please be submitted in the prescribed form. While preparing statements of income and expenditure for the third quarter, comparison should be made with the figures of the corresponding third quarter of previous financial year viz. July to March and necessary explanation be given for increase/ (decrease) in each case. In the Analysis of Expenses Account as on 31st March, the figures of provision as on the above date should be incorporated in the respective head/sub-head thereof.

2. ADVANCES AND PAYABLES ACCOUNTS:

Concerned division / department may please pay due attention and take steps to minimize the number of outstanding entries in the above accounts to the minimum before the 31st March.

3. **INTERCOMPANY ACCOUNTS:**

As it is necessary to have minimum balance in the intercompany receivable / payable accounts as on 31st March, therefore, the entries in the Inter-company accounts should be responded by debit/credit to the proper heads of account on receipt of advice from relevant quarters immediately so that outstanding entries in the said accounts remain at minimum.

4. **PAYMENT OF BILLS:**

All possible efforts should be made to account for all the outstanding expenses pertaining to the third quarter under the appropriate heads of accounts before the 31st March. Immediate steps should also be taken to get the outstanding amounts for which provision was made at the time of the annual closing of the Bank's account for the year ended the 30th June 2013 be adjusted properly before the 31st March so that the amount of provision in respect of the expenses incurred but not defrayed, is kept to the minimum possible.

5. **STATEMENT OF PROVISIONS:**

The statement of provision of all such amount of Income and Expenditure, which cannot be taken into account before the 31st March may please be furnished after taking into account the following:-

- A. Unadjusted outstanding provisions made as on 30th June 2013 on account of :
 - i. Expenditure incurred but not actually defrayed.
 - ii. Prepaid Expenses.
 - iii. Income accrued but not realized.
- B. Provision to be made in respect of :
 - i. Expenditure incurred
 - ii. Prepaid Expenses
 - iii. Income accrued as on 31st March but not realized.
 - iv. Income realized in Advance

Statement of provision should be countersigned by Head of Division and submitted to Financial Accounts Division as per pro-forma enclosed at annexure – 'B' on or before 4th April 2014.

6. <u>IMPAIRMENT & WRITE OFF OF ASSETS:</u>

All the concerned departments / divisions responsible for dealing with loans and advances or any other assets subject to impairment are advised to provide the details of impairment losses booked during the current financial year along with copy(s) of approval of competent authority under ER 702 to the Financial Accounts Division within four days of quarterly closing of accounts.

Details of all write-offs of loans and advances or any other assets made during the current financial year along with copy(s) of approval of competent authority under ER 703 should also be provided to Financial Accounts Division within four days of quarterly closing of accounts.

7. AGING OF OUTSTANDING ENTRIES:

All the concerned departments / divisions are advised to clear the outstanding entries of assets / liabilities accounts pertaining to them before 27^{th} March and keep the balance to minimum on 31^{st} March. In addition to this, they are advised to provide aging of all outstanding entries pertaining to them in assets / liabilities accounts as on 31^{st} March.

It is also advised that status of entries outstanding time barred / more than a year should be escalated to the management for necessary action. Moreover, if any provision required against any time barred / more than a year should be provided to Financial Accounts Division latest by 4th April 2014, after that date it will be assumed that no provision is required.

	ANNEXURE - B
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STATEMENT OF PROVISION TO BE MADE IN THE BANK'S QUARTERLY CLOSING OF ACCOUNTS AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2014

S. N.	Account Code	Cost Centre	Title of Account	Debit (Rs.)	Credit (Rs.)
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