

## **Absa Bank Limited**

(Incorporated with limited liability in South Africa under registration number 1986/004794/06)

# Issue of ZAR1,660,000,000 Unsubordinated Registered 9.670% Notes due 24 February 2028 with Stock Code ABS19

## Under its ZAR90,000,000,000 Domestic Medium Term Note Programme

This document constitutes the Applicable Pricing Supplement relating to the issue of the Tranche of Notes described in this Applicable Pricing Supplement.

This Applicable Pricing Supplement must be read in conjunction with the Programme Memorandum issued by Absa Bank Limited dated 03 September 2021, as amended. To the extent that there is any conflict or inconsistency between the contents of this Applicable Pricing Supplement and the Programme Memorandum, the provisions of this Applicable Pricing Supplement shall prevail.

Any capitalised terms not defined in this Applicable Pricing Supplement shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the General Terms and Conditions. References in this Applicable Pricing Supplement to the General Terms and Conditions are to the section of the Programme Memorandum "Terms and Conditions of the Unsubordinated Notes". References to any Condition in this Applicable Pricing Supplement are to that Condition of the General Terms and Conditions.

## **DESCRIPTION OF THE NOTES**

1.	Issuer		Absa Bank Limited
2.	Debt Officer		Jason Quinn, Group Financial Director
3.			Unsubordinated Notes
4.	(a)	Tranche Number	01
	(b)	Series Number	92
5.	Aggre	gate Principal Amount	ZAR 1,660,000,000
6.	Interes	st/Payment Basis	Fixed Rate
7.	Form of Notes		Registered Notes
8.	Securi	ty	Unsecured
9.		natic/Optional Conversion from one st/Payment Basis to another	Not Applicable
10.	Issue Date		24 February 2023

11.	Business Centre	Johannesburg	
12.	Additional Business Centre	Not Applicable	
13.	Principal Amount	ZAR1,000,000	
14.	Specified Denomination	Notes are subject to a minimum denomination ZAR1,000,000	
15.	Issue Price	100%	
16.	Interest Commencement Date	24 February 2023	
17.	Maturity Date	24 February 2028	
18.	Specified Currency	ZAR	
19.	Applicable Business Day Convention	Modified Following Business Day	
20.	Calculation Agent	Absa Bank Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division	
21.	Specified Office of the Calculation Agent	15 Alice Lane, Sandton, 2196	
22.	Paying Agent	Absa Bank Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division	
23.	Specified Office of the Paying Agent	15 Alice Lane, Sandton, 2196	
24.	Transfer Agent	Absa Bank Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division	
25.	Specified Office of the Transfer Agent	15 Alice Lane, Sandton, 2196	
26.	Settlement Agent	Absa Bank Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division	
27.	Specified Office of the Settlement Agent	15 Alice Lane, Sandton, 2196	
28.	Issuer Agent	Absa Bank Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division	
29.	Specified Office of the Issuer Agent	15 Alice Lane, Sandton, 2196	
30.	Final Redemption Amount	ZAR1,660,000,000	
PARTLY PAID NOTES		Not Applicable	
INSTA	ALMENT NOTES	Not Applicable	
FIXE	D RATE NOTES	Not Applicable	
31.	Fixed Rate Note Provisions		
	(a) Fixed Interest Rate	9.670 per cent, per annum	

(b) Interest Payment Date(s)

Means 24 August and 24 February, in each year until the Maturity Date, with the first Interest Payment date being 24 August 2023, or, if such day is not a Business Day, the Business Day on which the interest will be paid, as determined in accordance with the applicable Business Day Convention (as specified in this Applicable Pricing Supplement)

(c) Interest Period(s)

Each period commencing on (and including) an Interest Payment Date and ending on (but excluding) the following Interest Payment Date; provided that the first Interest Period will commence on (and include) the Interest Commencement Date and end on (but exclude) 24 August 2023 (each Interest Payment Date as adjusted in accordance with the applicable Business Day Convention)

(d) Initial Broken Amount

Not Applicable

(e) Final Broken Amount

Not Applicable

(f) Interest Rate Determination Date(s)

21 February 2023

(g) Day Count Fraction

Actual/365

(h) Any other terms relating to the particular method of calculating interest

Not Applicable

FLOATING RATE NOTES

Not Applicable

MIXED RATE NOTES

Not Applicable

ZERO COUPON NOTES

Not Applicable

INDEXED NOTES

Not Applicable

**EXCHANGEABLE NOTES** 

Not Applicable

OTHER NOTES

Not Applicable

## PROVISIONS REGARDING REDEMPTION

32. Redemption at the option of the Issuer No (Call Option)

33. Redemption at the option of the No Noteholders (Put Option)

34.	Early Redemption Amount(s)		Yes
	(a)	Early Redemption Amount (Regulatory)	Not Applicable
	(b)	Early Redemption Amount (Tax)	Principal Amount plus accrued interest (if any) to the date fixed for redemption
	(c)	Early Termination Amount	Principal Amount plus accrued interest (if any)
35.	Do the General Terms and Conditions or the provisions of this Applicable Pricing Supplement provide for automatic redemption of the Notes upon the occurrence of a trigger event(s)?		No
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36.	Additional selling restrictions		Not Applicable
37.	Additio	onal terms or special conditions	Not Applicable
38.	(a)	International Securities Identification Numbering (ISIN)	ZAG000193848
	(b)	Stock Code	ABS19
39.	Financ	ial Exchange	JSE Limited
40.	Clearing System		Strate Proprietary Limited
41.	Method of distribution		Auction
42.	If syndicated, names of managers		Not Applicable
43.	Receipts attached?		Not Applicable
44.	Coupons attached?		Not Applicable
45.	Talons attached?		Not Applicable
46.	Issuer rating and date of issue		Aa1.za (Moody's Investor Services) on 24 October 2022 and zaAA(Standard & Poor's ) on 25 May 2022.
47.	Date o	of Issuer Rating review	The ratings will be reviewed annually
48.	Rating	Agency (if any)	Moody's Investor Services and Standard & Poor's
49.	prohibi (Prohib	ng of Receipts and/or Coupons ited as provided in Condition 14.4 bition on stripping) of the Terms anditions?	Not Applicable

50.

Governing law (if the laws of South Africa Not Applicable are not applicable) 51. Other Banking Jurisdiction Not Applicable 52. Last Day to Register, which shall mean 17h00 on 14 August and 14 February or if that the "Books Closed Period" (during such day is not a Business Day, the Business which the Register will be closed) will be Day before each Books Closed Period, in from each Last Day to Register to the each year until the Maturity Date applicable Payment Day until the date of redemption 53. **Books Closed Period** The Register will be closed from 15August to 23 August and from 15 February to 23 February (all dates inclusive) in each year until the Maturity Date 54. **Debt Sponsor** Absa Bank Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking Division 55. Stabilisation Manager (if any) Not Applicable 56. Pricing Methodology Auction 57. Authorised amount of the Programme ZAR90,000,000,000 58. Aggregate Outstanding Principal Amount ZAR51,774,883,052 of all Notes in issue on the Issue Date of this Tranche (excluding the current issue and any other Note(s) issued on the Issue Date) 59. Set out the relevant description of any Not Applicable additional/other Terms and Conditions relating to the Notes (including covenants, if any) 60. Negative Pledge Condition 22 (Negative Pledge) 61. The Issuer confirms that as at the date of this Material Changes Applicable Pricing Supplement, there has been no material change in the financial or trading position of the Issuer and its subsidiaries since the date of the Issuer's latest unaudited interim financial statements, dated 15 August 2022. As at the date of this Applicable Pricing Supplement, there has been no involvement by KPMG and PWC, the auditors of the Issuer, in making the aforementioned statement 62. Exchange control approval Not Applicable

63. Use of proceeds

General corporate purposes

### RESPONSIBILITY

The Issuer certifies that to the best of its knowledge and belief there are no facts that have been omitted from this Programme Memorandum and this Applicable Pricing Supplement which would make any statement false or misleading and that all reasonable enquiries to ascertain such facts have been made and that this Applicable Pricing Supplement contains all information required by Applicable Laws and, in relation to any Tranche of Notes listed on the Interest Rate Market of the JSE, the JSE Debt Listings Requirements. The Issuer accepts full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this Programme Memorandum, this Applicable Pricing Supplement, the annual financial statements and the annual financial report of the Issuer and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents from time to time, except as otherwise stated therein.

The JSE takes no responsibility for the contents of this Programme Memorandum, any Applicable Pricing Supplements, the annual financial statements and/or the annual report of the Issuer (and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents from time to time). The JSE makes no representation as to the accuracy or completeness of any of the foregoing documents and expressly disclaims any liability for any loss arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of this Programme Memorandum, any Applicable Pricing Supplements, the annual financial statements and/or the annual report of the Issuer (any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents from time to time).

The JSE's approval of the registration of this Programme Memorandum and listing of the Notes is not to be taken in any way as an indication of the merits of the Issuer or of the Notes and that, to the extent permitted by law, the JSE will not be liable for any claim whatsoever.

As at the date of this Applicable Pricing Supplement, the Issuer confirms that the aggregate Principal Amount of all Notes Outstanding under this Programme does not exceed ZAR90,000,000,000, being the maximum aggregate Principal Amount of the Notes that may be issued under the Programme.

Application is hereby made to list this issue of Notes on 24 February 2023 pursuant to the Absa Bank Limited Domestic Medium Term Note Programme. The Programme was registered with the JSE on 03 September 2021

### ABSA BANK LIMITED

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