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> 简花安倍如蝴蝶飛舞。個人對蘭花有稅切 將的傷愛。在四、五月之前是蘭花盛剛的 季節。婚小潔白,一株可以開上好幾串上 百朵花、像群蝶飛舞非常動人。而且又耐 寒酎熱種種美機。

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#### **Letter to Shareholders**

## Dear Shareholders: SAGE TO SHAREHOLDERS

Global economic recovery took place during the second half of 2003. In Taiwan, indicators in exports, production, stock prices and monetary supply and financial indicators picked up their momentum. Enterprises resumed their confidence and optimism. Purchase orders in export recovered in historic high figures. The market turned vibrant. All industries showed significant signs of growth. The domestic economy turned from being "cold inside and outside" in the first half of the year to being "warm inside and outside".

The bank always takes action to show its distinctiveness and advantage in business. As such, it substantially broadened its scope of operation in savings, loans, foreign exchange, trust, credit cards and securities in 2003. The bank also takes ceaseless efforts to develop loan programs for small and medium enterprises, line of credit for the entrepreneurs, loans for alien worker agencies and financing on note receivables to meet the needs in the market. Nonetheless, the bank also unveiled the first VISA MINI card in Taiwan and offered trust funds for housing management entities. In the effort of enhancing operation performance and buttressing assets and liabilities management, the bank keeps track on the cost-effectiveness of the different businesses it runs. This effort contributed to the upgrading of profitability.

Under the support of public, the proper direction of the shareholders and the endeavors of all our employees, the bank performed well in 2003. As of the end of the year, the balance of savings in the bank amounted to NT\$173,504 million, of loans amounted to NT\$116,217 million, foreign exchange transaction amount valued at US\$2,860 million, and 3,726,809 credit cards issued. In financial position, the bank has assets amounted to NT\$204,496 million, revenue amounted to NT\$11,510 million, with corporate earnings as high as NT\$1,321 million.

The outlook of global and domestic economy in 2004 is expected to further recover. Research and forecasting institutions at home and abroad are both optimistic about the year 2004. Given such favorable environment, Union Bank of Taiwan will persist its principle in "Seeking Growth with Stability". In practice, the bank will try its best effort to develop all its businesses in scope and achieve the goals set for 2004. Excellent performance will be the goal than never changes. The bank will not disappoint the public and the shareholders and therefore asks for your support in the year ahead.

With our most sincere wishes for your health and prosperity,

Chairman/C.C. Huang

President/Shiang-Chang Lee 5 C. Lee

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#### I. Corporate Profile

Date of establishment: January 21, 1992

Equity: NT\$14,889,263,890

Union Bank of Taiwan is one of the first three banks approved by the government to be established in the wake of the liberalization and internationalization of the banking sector. The founders of the bank are a group of social celebrities in Taipei and Kaohsiung, including Mr. Lee Tswen-Ching, Lin Rong-San and Lee Yu-Chuan, and renowned figures in the corporate world, banking sector and academic circle. It officially started for service in January 1992. The bank was successfully listed on the OTC in 1995, and the Taiwan Stock Exchange in 1998, and is a widely acclaimed and recognized financial institution.

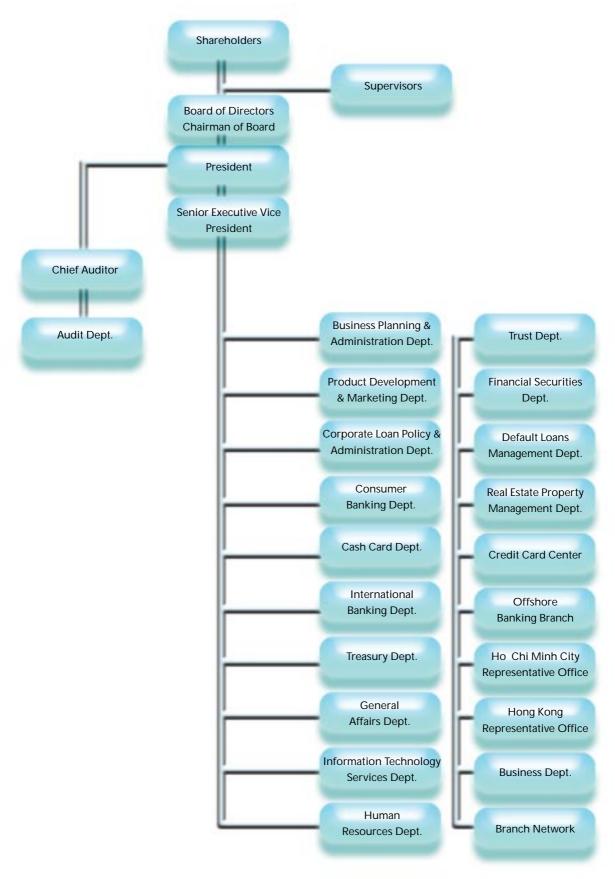
The bank has held the corporate philosophy of "Enthusiasm", "Soundness", "Efficiency" and "Innovation" since its establishment, and never ceases to increase the number of business branches for providing extensive service to the public. As of the end of 2003, Union Bank of Taiwan has 40 business branches of which 22 are in metropolitan Taipei, 10 in Hsinchu, 2 in Taichung, 3 in Chiayi and Tainan and 3 in Kaohsiung. There are also ATMs and automated service centers set up nearby the business locations for providing longer hours of services and convenient locations to the clients. In addition, the bank has set up the Ho Chi Minh Representative Office in Vietnam and the Hong Kong Representative Office for internationalization.

In an environment where competition is the order of the day, Union Bank of Taiwan spends great efforts in the research and development of new financial products and providing diversified financial services to clients. It also adjusted its organizational structure to fully utilize its functions. The bank enjoyed rapid expansion in business, and also made direct investments in other industries. Working hard for a decade, the bank successfully made its stake in bills financial sector, the leasing industry, commodity, investment trust, investment consulting, insurance agency service and other financial services. These helped the bank lay down a solid foundation for ongoing operation.





#### II. 2003 Organization Chart of Union Bank of Taiwan



## III. List of Directors, Supervisors, Executives, and Main Shareholders of Institutional Shareholders Represented on Board of Directors or Supervisors

#### **List of Directors and Supervisors**

As of December 31 2003

| Title                     | Name   | Date of Inauguration | Term<br>(yrs) | Number of Si<br>at Inaugu | ration | Number of<br>Presently | Held   | Number of Shares held<br>by Spouse and Dependent<br>Children |        | Education and Professional<br>Background   |
|---------------------------|--|----------------------|---------------|---------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|--|--------|--|
|                           |  |                      |               | Number                    | %      | Number                 | %      | Number   | %      |  |
| Chairman                  | C.C. Huang   | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 1,020,247                 | 0.069% | 1,020,247              | 0.069% | 0  | 0.000% | B.A. Economics, National Taiwan<br>University<br>Chairman, Bank of Kaohsiung   |
| Managing<br>Director      | Zhen-Xong Tiang  | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 3,969,367                 | 0.267% | 3,969,367              | 0.267% | 0  | 0.000% | National Defense Medical<br>School; Commissioner, 7th<br>Branch of International Rotary Club   |
| Managing<br>Director      | Yu-Pang Co., Ltd.<br>(Representative:<br>Jia-Yi Wang)                              | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 16,373,448                | 1.100% | 16,373,448             | 1.100% | 0  | 0.000% | Judicial Training Program, The<br>Judges and Prosecutors Training<br>Institute; Secretary General of<br>Judicial Yuan; President of<br>Supreme Court |
| Director and<br>President | Shiang-Chang Lee   | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 872,207                   | 0.059% | 994,207                | 0.067% | 2,108,700  | 0.142% | B.A. Economics, National Taiwan University; SVP & GM, Taiwan Cooperative Bank; SEVP, UBOT  |
| Director                  | Union Enterprise<br>Construction Co., Ltd.<br>(Representative:<br>Jeff Lin)        | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 61,896,601                | 4.157% | 61,896,601             | 4.157% | 3,538,000  | 0.238% | MIB, National Taiwan<br>University; Director, Union<br>Dyeing & Finishing Co., Ltd   |
| Director                  | Chung Li Investment<br>Co., Ltd.<br>(Representative:<br>Jin-Fu Liu )               | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 30,613,388                | 2.056% | 30,613,388             | 2.056% | 0  | 0.000% | Taipei Technical Academy<br>Chairman, Li-Chang Ceramics<br>Co., Ltd.   |
| Director                  | Chung Li Investment<br>Co., Ltd.<br>(Representative:<br>Yao-Nan Lai)               | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 30,613,388                | 2.056% | 30,613,388             | 2.056% | 1,009,166  | 0.068% | B.A. Economics, National<br>Taiwan University: GM of IBD,<br>First Commercial Bank;<br>President, UBOT; Chairman,<br>Union Bills & Finance Co., Ltd. |
| Director                  | Union Entertainment<br>Enterprise Co., Ltd.<br>(Representative:<br>Sue-Ere C. Lin) | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 22,948,877                | 1.541% | 22,948,877             | 1.541% | 66,734,211   | 4.482% | Taipei Commercial Academy;<br>Chairman, Union Enterprise<br>Construction Co., Ltd.   |
| Director                  | Si-Yong Lin  | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 14,622,349                | 0.982% | 14,622,349             | 0.982% | 1,290,027  | 0.087% | National Taiwan Normal<br>University<br>Director, Hong-Bang<br>Construction Co., Ltd   |
| Supervisor                | Yu-Quan<br>Development Co., Ltd.<br>(Representative: Yu<br>Quan Lee )              | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 8,682,889                 | 0.583% | 8,682,889              | 0.583% | 3,505,303  | 0.235% | National Taiwan Normal<br>University: Councilor, Taiwan<br>Provincial Consultative Council;<br>Supervisor, First Commercial<br>Bank                  |
| Supervisor                | Zhen-Lu Lin  | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 248,080                   | 0.017% | 248,080                | 0.017% | 0  | 0.000% | B.A. Economics, National<br>Taiwan University; GM, Taiwan<br>Cooperative Bank; President,<br>Wan-Kuo Law Firm  |
| Supervisor                | Ming-Hsing Ho  | 2003.06.01           | 3 years       | 1,814                     | 0.000% | 1,814                  | 0.000% | 236,829  | 0.016% | B.A. Business Administration,<br>Soochow University Branch<br>Manager, UBOT; SEVP, Union<br>Bills & Finance Co., Ltd.                                |



#### **List of Executives**

December 31 2003

| December 31 20 Number of Shares held     |                   |                         |               |                          |         |                       |        |                                     |        |  |  |
|--|-------------------|-------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|--|--|
| Title                                    | Name              | Date of<br>Inauguration | Term<br>(yrs) | Number of S<br>at Inaugu | ıration | Number o<br>Presently | y Held | by Spouse and Dependent<br>Children |        | Education and Professional<br>Background   |  |
|  |                   |                         |               | Number                   | %       | Number                | %      | Number                              | %      |  |  |
| President                                | Shiang-Chang Lee  | 1995.07.01              | -             | 717,500                  | 0.058%  | 994,207               | 0.067% | 2,108,700                           | 0.142% | B.A. Economics, National Taiwan<br>University; SVP & GM Taiwan<br>Cooperative Bank; SEVP, UBOT                                   |  |
| Senior<br>Executive<br>Vice<br>President | Chung-Chieh Huang | 1997.06.10              | -             | 854,440                  | 0.067%  | 1,090,480             | 0.073% | 0                                   | 0.000% | B.A., Tamkang University; Branch<br>Manager, Taiwan Cooperative Bank;<br>EVP, UBOT   |  |
| Senior<br>Executive<br>Vice<br>President | Jeff Lin          | 1999.11.03              | -             | 0                        | 0       | 3,538,000             | 0.238% | 0                                   | 0.000% | MIB, National Taiwan University;<br>Director, Union Dyeing & Finishing<br>Co., Ltd   |  |
| Senior<br>Executive<br>Vice<br>President | Hao-Sen Lee       | 1998.08.01              | -             | 2,713                    | 0.000%  | 97,847                | 0.007% | 25,220                              | 0.002% | B.A. Commerce (Int'l Trade<br>Concentration), Chinese Culture<br>University; Branch Manager, First<br>Commercial Bank; EVP, UBOT |  |
| Chief<br>Auditor                         | Yen-Jye Chang     | 1995.07.01              | -             | 10,680                   | 0.001%  | 105,350               | 0.007% | 3,038                               | 0.000% | B.A. Finance Army Business<br>Academy; AVP, Taiwan<br>Cooperative Bank; AVP,<br>Information Technology<br>Department, UBOT       |  |
| Executive<br>Vice<br>President           | Roger Wang        | 1998.12.01              | -             | 0                        | 0       | 75,132                | 0.005% | 20,147                              | 0.001% | LL.B, National Taiwan University;<br>VP, ABN-AMRO Bank   |  |
| Executive<br>Vice<br>President           | John J.T. Lee     | 1999.08.01              | -             | 1,956                    | 0.000%  | 75,052                | 0.005% | 10,935                              | 0.001% | B.A. Journalism Chinese Culture<br>University; Branch Manager,<br>Chinfon Bank   |  |
| Executive<br>Vice<br>President           | Herman Tu         | 2000.09.11              | -             | 0                        | 0       | 74,567                | 0.005% | 173,956                             | 0.012% | B.A. Business Administration,<br>Chinese Culture University;<br>Branch Manager, UBOT   |  |
| Executive<br>Vice<br>President           | Ing-Bor Jan       | 2000.09.11              | ı             | 80,000                   | 0.005%  | 174,455               | 0.012% | 0                                   | 0.000% | B.A. International Trade, Tamkang<br>University; VP, Yong Chuan<br>Securities Co; Branch Manager,<br>UBOT                        |  |
| Executive<br>Vice<br>President           | Ching-Long Tsai   | 2003.04.01              | -             | 0                        | 0.000%  | 0                     | 0      | 0                                   | 0.000% | LL.B, National Taiwan University;<br>VP, Cosmo Bank  |  |
| Executive<br>Vice<br>President           | C.C. Liu          | 2003.10.01              | -             | 0                        | 0.000%  | 74,740                | 0.005% | 0                                   | 0.000% | Dept of Banking and Insurance,<br>Tamkang University<br>Deputy Manager, Chinfon Bank<br>Manger, Trust Dept, UBOT                 |  |

## Institutional Shareholders with Holding Percentage of 10% or more or Shareholders with Holding Percentage Ranked Among the Top Ten

| Institutional shareholder                | Nain shareholders of the institutional shareholder   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Chung-Li Investment Co., Ltd.            | Su-Fong Tsao, Rong-San Lin, Hong-Pang Lin, Tsong-Yu Lee, Si-Yung Lee   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Union Enterprise Construction Co.,Ltd.   | Sue-Ere C. Lin, Hong-Yao Lin, Ya-Jean Lin, Hong-Pang Lin, Rong-San Lin, Liu Yeh, Jeff Lin                        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Yu-Pang Co., Ltd.                        | Sue-Ere C. Lin, Hong-Yao Lin, Hong-Pang Lin, Rong-San Lin, Liu Yeh, Jeff Lin                                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Union Entertainment Enterprise Co., Ltd. | Sue-Ere C. Lin, Hong-Yao Lin, Ya-Jean Lin, Hong-Pang Lin, Rong-San Lin, Liu Yeh, Jeff Lin                        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Yu-Quan Development Co., Ltd.            | Chao-Mei T.Lee, Yu-Quan Lee, Pei-Ling Lee, Pei-Shan Lee, Tsong-Hwei Lee, Pei-Cheng Lee, Kuen-Pin Wu, Li-Shue Lin |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |



## IV. Capital and Shares (including Preferred Shares), Financial Debentures (including Overseas Financial Debentures) and Participation in the Issuance of GDR

#### (I) Capital and Shares (including Preferred Shares) Status of Issuance

| Sources of Capital                      | Common Stocks Issued (NTD) |
|---|----------------------------|
| Founder's Subscription                  | 9,600,000,000              |
| Public Offering                         | 2,400,000,000              |
| Capital Increase from Retained Earnings | 2,889,263,890              |
| Total                                   | 14,889,263,890             |

#### (II) Issuance of Financial Debentures (including Overseas Financial Debentures)

| Name of Debentures   | Issuing<br>Date | Maturity<br>Date | Size of Issue   | Interest<br>Rate |
|--|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Union Bank of Taiwan, Subordinated Debt,<br>First Issue 2002 | Nov. 14,2002    | Nov. 14,2007     | NTD 3.5 billion | 3.8%             |

(III) Participation in the Issuance of GDR: None





#### **I. Business Report**

#### (I) Scope of Business

- 1. Checking account deposits
- 2. Demand account deposits
- 3. Time deposits
- 4. Short and term loans
- 5. Discount of bills
- 6. Securities investment
- 7. Domestic remittances
- 8. Acceptance of commercial papers
- 9. Issuance of domestic letter of credit
- 10. Issuance of corporate bonds
- 11. Domestic bank guarantees
- 12. Acting as paying and collecting agent
- 13. Underwriting of government bonds, treasury bills, corporate bonds and stocks
- 14. Distribution of gold, gold coins and silver coins
- 15. Credit card business
- 16. Brokerage and dealership of short-term bills
- 17. Custodian and depository services
- 18. Safety deposit box
- 19. Banking businesses as registered, or as approved by the central government authority
- 20. Foreign exchange for import and export, inward and outward remittance, foreign currency deposits and loans, and guarantee payment in foreign currencies
- 21. Foreign currencies margin trading
- 22. Derivative products trading approved by the central government authority
- 23. Factoring services approved by the central government authority
- 24. Trust businesses as permitted by the Trust Business Law
- 25. Securities brokerage
- 26. Trading of government bonds
- 27. Futures trading brokerage

#### (II) Deposits Business:

The total saving deposit of the bank amounted to NT\$173,504 million as of the end of 2003, an increase of 15.71% by NT\$23,556 million from 2002. Demand deposits amounted to NT\$47,723 million, at 27.51% of the total saving deposits and growth of 22.01%. Term deposit amounted to NT\$125,781 million, at 72.49% of the total saving deposit and growth of 13.49%.

#### **Analysis on the Deposit Accounts**

Unit: NT\$ in million

| Туре                    | 2       | 002.12.31 | 2003.12.31 |         |  |  |
|-------------------------|---------|-----------|------------|---------|--|--|
| 1300                    | Amount  | %         | Amount     | %       |  |  |
| Checking deposits       | 1,597   | 1.07%     | 1,832      | 1.06%   |  |  |
| Demand deposits         | 12,405  | 8.27%     | 15,569     | 8.97%   |  |  |
| Demand savings deposits | 25,113  | 16.75%    | 30,322     | 17.48%  |  |  |
| Term deposits           | 52,901  | 35.28%    | 65,227     | 37.59%  |  |  |
| Term saving deposits    | 57,932  | 38.63%    | 60,554     | 34.90%  |  |  |
| Total                   | 149,948 | 100.00%   | 173,504    | 100.00% |  |  |

#### (III) Loans Business

The total amount of loans extended by the bank was NT\$ 116, 217 million as of the end of 2003, an increase of 12.46% from 2002. Of the total amount of loans, NT\$75,142 million was secured, at 64.66% of the total. The amount of NT\$41,075 was unsecured, at 35.34% of the total loans.

#### **Analysis on Loan Accounts**

Unit: NT\$ in million

| Туре   | 200                   | 2.12.31 | 2003.12.31            |         |  |  |
|--|-----------------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|--|--|
| ,,,,,,   | Amount<br>Outstanding | %       | Amount<br>Outstanding | %       |  |  |
| Discount                                       | 0                     | 0.00%   | 20                    | 0.00%   |  |  |
| Short term loans and overdraft                 | 12,434                | 12.03%  | 20,521                | 12.03%  |  |  |
| Short term secured loans and secured overdraft | 10,016                | 9.69%   | 6,999                 | 9.69%   |  |  |
| Medium term loans                              | 16,791                | 16.25%  | 16,361                | 16.25%  |  |  |
| Medium term secured loans                      | 18,796                | 18.19%  | 16,082                | 18.19%  |  |  |
| Long-term loans                                | 2,677                 | 2.59%   | 4,173                 | 2.59%   |  |  |
| Long-term secured loans                        | 42,629                | 41.25%  | 52,061                | 41.25%  |  |  |
| Total  | 103,343               | 100.00% | 116,217               | 100.00% |  |  |



#### (IV) International Banking Business

Economic recovery in 2003 contributed to the stable growth of international banking transactions. The international banking transactions undertaken by the bank in 2003 reached US\$2,860 million, an increase of 7.32% from the US\$2,665 million in 2002. Of the total amount of foreign exchange undertaken in 2003, US\$ 192 million was in export and US\$229 million was in import, declined by 18.64% and 4.17% from the values of 2002, respectively. Overseas remittance of foreign currencies amounted to US\$2,369 million, an increase of 11.90% from the same period of 2002. Remittance conducted by the bank constituted 82. 32% of the foreign exchange business. In general, the growth of foreign exchange conducted by the bank was congruent with the import and export foreign exchange growth in Taiwan.

#### Analysis on Import and Export Foreign Exchange and Overseas Remittance of Foreign Currency

Unit: US\$ in million

| Year                            | 200    | 02         | 2003   |            |             |  |  |
|---------------------------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|-------------|--|--|
| Item                            | Amount | Proportion | Amount | Proportion | Growth rate |  |  |
| Export foreign exchange         | 236    | 8.85%      | 192    | 6.71%      | -18.64%     |  |  |
| Import foreign exchange         | 312    | 11.71%     | 299    | 10.46%     | -4.17%      |  |  |
| Overseas remittance of exchange | 2,117  | 79.44%     | 2,369  | 82.83%     | +11.90%     |  |  |
| Total                           | 2,665  | 100.00%    | 2,860  | 100.00%    | +7.32%      |  |  |

#### (V) Credit Cards

- 1. In 2003, the bank launched the Senseio Card, Amway Card, Union Bank MINI Card, Breeze center cobranded MINI Card, Tiger City MINI card, F1 MINI card, Cash MINI card.
- 2. There were 2,509,308 in circulation in 2003, an increase of 42.18% from that of 2002. The accumulated volume of cards issued (as of December 31,2003) reached 3,726,809 cards, an increase of 45.06% from 2002.
- 3. The amount of credit card charge in 2003 was NT\$61,200 million, an increase of 41.28% from that of the same period in 2002 (including credit card cash advance).
- 4. The bank engaged in bill collecting service since December 1997. Thereafter, the bank actively developed new accounts up to 4,267 shops. The amount of credit card charge handled by the bank in 2003 was NT\$42,300 million, an increase of 47.38% from that of 2002.
- 5. The operating income from credit card business in 2003 amounted to NT\$4,065 million, an increase of 43.44% from that of the 2002.

#### (VI) Trust Banking

As of the end of 2003, the assets under the custody of the bank amounted to NT\$209.8 billion, an increase of 42.43% from the same period of 2002. The custody of fund assets amounted to NT\$113.7 billion, which made the bank the top performer in new banks. In addition to fixed-amount investment in "designated foreign currency trust funds", the bank also marketed 10 new funds with annual sales amounting to NT\$770 million. The balance of trust assets handled by the bank amounted to NT\$9.35 billion, an increase of 96.02% from the same period of the previous year. The bank had process 214 cases in certification services amounted to NT\$30.5 billion, an increase of 10.91% compared to that of the previous year. For advocating the idea of trust, the bank has put great efforts into the research and development of trust business, and been approved by the Ministry of Finance in a number of trust operations.

#### (VII) Assets Management

To develop the business, the bank provides the most complete choice of investment options for the investors by intensifying the training of its staff in the area of financial management and marketing techniques. In addition, portfolios of financial products encompassing investment, money management and hedges were launched to meet the needs of the clients. From the 4th quarter of 2003 onward, the bank has promoted its prestigious assets management services through all its branch facilities to provide consultation and planning services in financial management and investment for its VIP clients. This practice materialized the bank's system of providing professional services by professionals. The bank gradually and surely guided all its branches into the sales of assets management products, which contributed to the substantial growth in income, and was the manifestation of the performance in assets management.

#### (VIII) Consumer Banking

1. Housing loans

As of the end of 2003, the balance of housing loans extended by the bank amounted to NT\$55,161 million,an increase of 11.85% from that of 2002.

2 Car loans

As of the end of 2003, the bank had processed 25,370 cases in car loans amounted to NT\$6,053 million,an increase of 24.



86% from that of 2002.

3. Consumer loans

The balance of consumer loans as of the end of 2003 amounted to NT\$9,654 million,an increase of 168.32% from that of 2002

#### (IX) Brokerage in securities

There were 32,216 accounts opened as of the end of 2003 in brokerage services in securities, which was an increase of 5.95% from that of the same period in 2002. Securities trade accounted for NT\$95.9 billion. IB in futures accounted for 32,544 lots. Currently, the bank has six locations to serve investors.

#### (X) Operation Performance

The earning before taxation in 2003 was NT\$1,470 million. Revenue in 2003 amounted to NT\$11,510 million, of which the primary source was interest income, at 75% of the total. It was followed by the income from service charge, which accounted for 17% of the total. Revenue from securities trade accounted for another 4%. The total of the three constituted 96% of the revenue. The cost of operation was NT\$10,531 million, the business of administration expense accounted for 47% of the cost of operation and expenses, which was the highest among the others. It was followed by interest expense, at 24% of the total. The allowance for loss and doubtful accounts was at 5% of the revenue.

#### II. Market Analysis

#### (I) The Financial Economic Situation

In 1H of 2003, the domestic economy in Taiwan was shadowed by the US-Iraqi armed conflict and the SARS epidemic, and the growth in Q2 turned negative. The situation reversed in Q3 and economic activities began to pick up momentum.

#### 1. Industrial Production

The increasing capacity in the production of the information and electronics, chemical engineering and metals and machinery sectors allowed for industrial growth of 5.48% from the previous year. The growth of the manufacturing sector and the real estate sector were exceptionally good, and the production index of the manufacturing sectors has been continuing breaking its own record since October. The low interest rates helped to boost sales in the real estates industry, indicating the recovery of the industry in Taiwan. The utilities and fuel sectors grew marginally, and the mining industry continued to slide down.

There are still uncertainties that may negatively affect global economic recovery, however. If the exports from Taiwan can sustain and investment and consumption in the private sector could improve gradually, the industrial production in 2004 is expected to grow marginally.

#### 2. Import and Export Trade

Global economy gradually got stable. The export value of Taiwan enjoyed two-digit growth for 5 consecutive months since August 2003. Imports also grew by more than 30% for two consecutive months. This indicated the potential of growth in export and import of Taiwan. The total export value for 2003 amounted to US\$144.2 billion whilst the total import value for the same year amounted to US\$127.3 billion, which was 10.4% and 13.1% growth from the figures covering the same period on 2002 respectively. The import of capital goods in equipment grew slightly by 0.44%, which was the first time in three years for positive figures. These are symptoms for economic recovery.

The great change in the structure of trade in 2003 was exports to the USA, which dropped to only 18% of total trade. The export to Japan also dropped to only 8.3% of total trade, which caused a balance of payment deficit between Taiwan Japan at the amount of US\$20.7 billion. The balance of payment deficit between Taiwan and Hong Kong and Mainland China amounted to US\$37.1 billion or up to 34.5% of trade, which were both record high, indicating the increasing dependence of export from Taiwan to the mainland.

The global economy in 2004 is expected to improve further. Purchase orders for export would also grow in stable paces. Accordingly, the international trade of Taiwan would also be improved in line with global trades. The growth rates of export and import are expected to hit 8.9% and 7% respectively. As such, indirect consumption and investments in private sector would improve, which in turn would contribute to the vitalization and recovery of the macro economy in Taiwan.

#### 3. Price Level of Goods and Services

The consumer price index (CPI) in 2003 declined by 0.28%, which showed the decline of the index for three consecutive years, and was also the historic high in size. This was as an indication of deflation, if the definition of the International Monetary Fund was to apply. At the same time, this was also the manifestation of the trend of core prices. The growth in 2003 was historic low in negative direction indicating the severity in domestic inflation. The domestic economy and the stock market were yet to be improved. It is high time the government should give remedy.

The wholesale price in 2003 grew substantially by 2.48%, given the surge in international oil prices, the increase in the demand of steel of Mainland China and the shortage in domestic supply of sand and stone chips. Indeed, it was the highest



growth in 8 years. The problem in the shortage of sand and stone chips got severe. The situation for this year may be improved if the government could find a solution for the problem, in a situation where the prices for international agricultural and industrial materials stayed high.

#### 4. Banking and finance

The global economy showed sign of recovery in 2H of 2003. The surge of the Japanese Yen and Euro and the anticipation of the appreciation of RMB, coupled with the improvement of domestic stock market attracted the continuous inflow of foreign capital. The Central Bank of China explicitly announced the trend of "gradual growth and rapid drop", which made the local currency revaluate gradually. The double-digit deficit in the United States will keep the US Dollar weak in 2004. Currencies in many countries are above to move up. NT Dollar is expected to navigating around the level of NT\$33 to NT\$34 to one US Dollar, unless there is a significant appreciation of the RMB.

For speeding up the recovery in domestic economy, The Central Bank of China persists to maintain a lax monetary policy. Accordingly, the re-discount rate, secured loan interest rate and short-term loan rate are historic low. Indeed, there may be no room further down. At the beginning of 2004, foreign capital continued to flood the stock market in Taiwan. The Central Bank of China unleashed the NT Dollar to decelerate the speed of the depreciation of local currency. This lax policy indeed deteriorated the situation. Overnight inter-bank discount rate dropped to 1.015%, which was a record low. This caused the loss of balance in the interest rate structure in the range of a quarter of a percentage point for re-discount rate. The presidential election is imminent. Interest rates in the short run are expected to stay low to avoid the sudden increase of cost for capital in the corporate world. If recovery could be augmented after the election, the interest rate may bounce back during 2H of the

In monetary supply, The Central Bank of China forecasted that economic growth in 2004 would still be low and inflation would also stay low. For making way for further economic recovery, the Central Bank will continue the lax monetary policy and will set the object for the growth of M2 money supply by 1 percentage point ranging from 2.5% to 6.5%. This is the first time that the Central Bank takes the measure to "reverse the downward trend" since the M2 system was introduced in 1992.

#### 5. Conclusion

Domestic economic recovery reversed from the downward trend quickly in 2H of 2003. Therefore, the annul growth could still reached 3.15%. Economic recovery in other countries and the massive influx of foreign capital contributed to this result. The effect of the long-term lax monetary policy should not be omitted, too. After August, both import and export values grew in two-digits, which helped to bring all economic activities back to their normal track. The government also launched a program for relieving the sizable unemployment, which helped to hold down the unemployment rate to 4.58% in December, the lowest in recent 18 months. In sum, domestic economy turned from the "cold inside and outside" in 1H to "warm inside and outside" in 2H.

Further economic recovery in the country is expected in 2004, given the indicator for economic performance has been staying at green for 5 consecutive months. All leading indicators showed signs of growth in the last six months. Indeed, they are the highest in the last three years and four months. As such, foreign economic forecasting institutions are optimistic about the economy of Taiwan. They forecast economic growth from 4.3% to 6% with the average growth rate at 5%. The momentum of domestic economic recovery is now inextricably woven with the international market, in the aspects of global economic trends and exchange rate fluctuation. Any of those changes would surely affect our domestic economy. Major factors that may affect the trend of domestic economic growth are the ability to control the SARS epidemic, mad cow disease, the avian flu, and the interaction between the two sides of the Taiwan Strait with reference to the outcome of our presidential election.

#### (II) Analysis of the financial market

The domestic financial market showed sign of significant growth in 2003, given the recovery of the macro economy. As of the whole year, the loans and investments of major financial institutions amounted to NT\$16.36 trillion, an increase of 2.72% from that of the same period in 2002. Indeed, the size of growth was the biggest in three years. The loans offered by major financial institutions increased to NT\$14.16 trillion, the highest since February 2001. Furthermore, there was an additional amount of NT\$433 billion in loans and investments from major financial institutions to private enterprises, which contributed to 3.52% growth in total balance of loans comparing with that of the same period in 2003, to the amount of NT\$12.72 trillion. This was indeed the biggest loan the financial institutions offering the private sector ever since the low interest rate policy of the government in 2000. Such injection of a huge loan into the private sector evidencing investments in the private sector gets revitalized and domestic economy has recovered.

Bank interest rate in the country was indeed historic low in recent years. Competition in the industry is keen. The spread in traditional savings and loan business shrunk, to the effect that most banks were compelled to appeal to developing consumer finance. As such, a war in credit cards and cash cards was raged. In November, the daily average of monetary reserve was as high as NT\$1.52 trillion at annual growth rate of 9.23%. This annual growth rate was record high in 8 years. This indicator reflected the volume of currency circulating in the market. In the past, only at Chinese New Year would this phenomenon happen. Yet, this phenomenon in 2003 was the result of a significant drop of interest rate for saving and the keen competition of the banks in selling credit cards and cash cards.

In the domain of non-performing loans, the Ministry of Finance previously requested the "258" target. In June, the monitorial level by bank size was implemented. The banks proactively sought to clean up non-performing loans. By the end of October, the non-performing loans with the banking sector were reduced to NT\$940.1 billion with average NPL rate at 5.98%. This was the first time that domestic NPL rate dropped to less than 6%. The quality of loan assets did substantially improved. It is expected that the NPL rate of domestic banks could be reduced to less than 5% by the end of 2004.

Operation in the financial sector gets tougher and tougher, given the sluggish economic growth, the increase in proportion of the direct financial market, endless financial trouble in the corporate world, too many banks in operation and the keen competition in the industry in recent years. For effective integration of group resources and enhance operation synergy, 14 financial holding companies came into being. This made competition in domestic banking industry even more severe especially in the markets of credit cards, cash cards and assets management. Competition among the banks in business is the order of the day. Some banks seek to vitalize their operation efficacy by spending substantially effort in cleaning up bad debts and improving their capital adequacy rates. In the short run, there are still plenty of banks and competition will stay keen. The challenging topic for the bank would be how to excel in a chaotic market where keen competition is the name of the game by training top quality financial professional to enhance the competitive power.

#### III. Employees

#### Number of employees in the last two years

Unit: person

| Ye                  | ar                    | 20     | 02            | 20     | 03            |  |        |
|---------------------|-----------------------|--------|---------------|--------|---------------|--|--------|
| Se                  | Sex                   |        | Male Female   |        | Female        |  |        |
| Number o            | of persons            | 946    | 1,271         | 1,107  | 1,538         |  |        |
| Perce               | Percentage            |        | 42.67% 57.33% |        | 57.33% 41.85% |  | 58.15% |
|                     | Full-time             | 2,2    | 216           | 2,6    | 45            |  |        |
| Number of employees | Temporary duties      | -      | 1             | 0      |               |  |        |
|                     | Total                 | 2,217  |               | 2,645  |               |  |        |
| Averaç              | ge age                | 30     | 30.40         |        | .61           |  |        |
| Average age         | e of service          | 3.     | 66            | 3.8    | 82            |  |        |
|                     | Postgraduate          | 5.1    | 1%            | 5.1%   |               |  |        |
| Level of Education  | University            | 37.7   | 11%           | 41.32% |               |  |        |
| Level of Education  | Junior College        | 39.4   | 12%           | 37.36% |               |  |        |
|                     | High School(or under) | 17.77% |               | 16.22% |               |  |        |

Note:The 2 employees of the offshove representative offices are excluded.

IV. Labor-Management Relations: Harmonious.



#### V. Fixed Assets and other Real Estate

(I) The acquisition of major assets with value exceeding 1% of stated capital or NT\$ 50 million in the last two years

Unit: NT\$ in thousand

| Code | Subject Description  | Date of acquisition (note)              | Acquiring price | Status                                | Lien or<br>other<br>restrictions |
|------|--|---|-----------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1    | 15 lots of land at Section 11 of Ho Feng Section I,<br>HsinTien, Taipei County         | 2002.08.09                              | 134,280         | Construction sites, under sales       | None                             |
| 2    | Flat etc at No. 1 Lane 39, San Min Street, San Chi, Taipei<br>County                   | 2002.10.22                              | 237,760         | Unoccupied, listed for selling        | None                             |
| 3    | 63 flats, at No. 292, Chung Hwa Road, Pa Deh, Tao Yuan<br>County                       | 2002.07.25                              | 210,000         | Unoccupied, under sales               | None                             |
| 4    | 8 flats, at No. 223, Chi Hsien Road, 8/F, Lu Chou, Taipei<br>County                    | 2002.07.01                              | 62,339          | Unoccupied, under sales               | None                             |
| 5    | No. 78 and 82, His Yuan Road Section I, Wan Hwa, Taipei city                           | 2003.05.13                              | 62,780          | Unoccupied, listed for sales          | None                             |
| 6    | 10 flats at No.233, Kuo Chiang 1st Street, Tao Yuan City                               | 2002.12.17                              | 68,000          | Sold                                  | None                             |
| 7    | Lot numbers 109 and 112, Hwei Min Section, Shi<br>TunDistrict, Taichung                | 2002.09.04                              | 157,600         | Sold                                  | None                             |
| 8    | 19 lots of land at No. 308-320, Ta Shu Lin Section,<br>Tao Yuan City                   | 2002.06.27<br>(Auction<br>Settled Date) | 257,884         | Sold                                  | None                             |
| 9    | 12 flats at No. 51, Deh Hsing 1st Road. Su AO, Yilan County                            | 2003.04.24                              | 161,808         | Sold, in the process of settlement    | None                             |
| 10   | 24 flats at Chang An Street in Lu Chou, Taipei County                                  | 2003.02.24                              | 124,050         | Sold                                  | None                             |
| 11   | 8 flats at No.358, Chung Cheng Road, 5/f-1, Hsin Tien, Taipei<br>County                | 2002.06.13<br>(Agreement<br>Date)       | 63,500          | All sold,in the process of settlement | None                             |
| 12   | 15 lots of land at Section 1151 at You Shi Section in Yang<br>Mei,Tao Yuan County      | 2003.12.30                              | 252,981         | Vacant land                           | None                             |
| 13   | No.208-1 and Basement 1-1&1-2, Sec. 4, Wensin<br>RD., North District, Taichung City    | 2003.11.05                              | 92,000          | Our own office                        | None                             |
| 14   | 24 lots of land at No 179, Sub-section 3, Wanfang<br>Section in Wen Shan, Taipei City  | 2003.02.20<br>(Agreement<br>Date)       | 210,000         | Sold                                  | None                             |
| 15   | 63 flats at No.8, Huanti Blvd., Lu Chou City, Taipei County                            | 2003.05.06                              | 189,380         | under sales                           | None                             |
| 16   | 37 lots of land at section 228-2 at Hai-Tian section in<br>Tamshui Town, Taipei County | 2002.08.20<br>(Agreement<br>Date)       | 1,250,000       | Sold                                  | None                             |

Note: If the properties were acquired in acution, the date of acquisition shall be based on the date specified in the certificate of assignment of rights issued by the court.



(II) The disposition of major assets with value exceeding 1% of stated capital or NT\$ 50 million in the last two years

Unit: NT\$ in thousand

| Code | Subject Description  | Date of acquisition (Note)              | Acquiring cost | Relation<br>between the<br>buyer and<br>the bank     | Transaction price | Capital gain<br>(loss) |  |  |  |
|------|--|---|----------------|--|-------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|
| 1    | 25 lots of land at No. 179, sub-section 3,<br>Wan Fang Section, Wen Shan District,<br>Taipei                     | 2003.02.20<br>(Agreement<br>Date)       | 245,000        | None   | 254,200           | 9,200                  |  |  |  |
| 2    | Lot numbers 109 and 112, Hwei Min<br>Section, Shi Tun District, Taichung   | 2002.09.04                              | 157,620        | None   | 217,059           | 59,439                 |  |  |  |
| 3    | No 99 Sub-sction 4 at Hsihu Section in<br>Neihu, Taipei  | 1996.02.03                              | 174,729        | Related<br>third party                               | 243,243           | 68,514                 |  |  |  |
| 4    | No.250, Lane 258, Yen Ping Street, 2-7/F,<br>ChiaYi  | 1994.12.31                              | 114,329        | Invested<br>company<br>under the<br>equity<br>method | 43,800            | (70,529)               |  |  |  |
| 5    | 24 lots of land and building 1325, No. 73,<br>sub-section 3, Chu Kuang Section, Wan<br>Hwa District, Taipei City | 1999.08.20                              | 535,000        | None   | 535,000           | 0                      |  |  |  |
| 6    | No. 32 and 30, Nanking West Road, 2/F,<br>Ta Tung District, Taipei   | 2001.04.18                              | 179,844        | None   | 153,000           | (26,844)               |  |  |  |
| 7    | 14 lots of land at section 223-5 at Hai-tian<br>Section in Tamshui Town, Taipei County                           | 2002.08.20<br>(Agreement<br>Date)       | 1,254,859      | None   | 1,250,000         | (4,859)                |  |  |  |
| 8    | 12 flats at No.51, Deh Hsing 1 st RD.,<br>Su-ao Township, Yilan County   | 2003.04.24                              | 161,808        | None   | 144,125           | (17,683)               |  |  |  |
| 9    | 19 lots of land at No. 308-20, Ta Shu Lin<br>Section, Tao Yuan City  | 2002.06.27<br>(Auction Settled<br>Date) | 259,143        | None   | 250,000           | (9,143)                |  |  |  |

Note: If the properties were acquired in auction, the date of acquisition shall be based on the date specified in the certificate of assignment of rights issued by the court.



#### VI. Reinvestment

Unit: NT\$ in Thousand, Shares in Thousand

| Enterprise   | Business Scope  | Reinvestment<br>Cost | Book Value | Shares<br>Holding | Holding<br>Ratio<br>(%) | Net Value | Accounting Method                                 | Equity Investment<br>Book Earnings<br>(Losses) in 2003 | Cash Dividend<br>Payout in 2002 | Current FY Shares of Parent Company Held | Current FY Shares of Parent Company Acquired | Current FY Shares of Parent Company Disposed |
|--|---|----------------------|------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------|---|--|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Union Bills Finance Company                        | Brokerage and dealing of short-term bills.     Underwriting, certifying, and endorsing     (as guarantor) of commercial notes.     Brokerage and dealing of government bonds.     Certification,underwriting,brokerge and dealing    of financial debentures.     Dealing of company bonds. | 1,238,450            | 1,282,534  | 126,576           | 42.76%                  | 1,282,534 | Equity Method for Long-<br>term Eguity Investment | 226,546  | -                               |  |  |  |
| Union Finance & Leasing (International) Corp.      | Installement, leasing and factoring (FX business excluded).   | 1,000,000            | 743,402    | 100,000           | 99.99%                  | 743,402   | Equity Method for Long-<br>term Eguity Investment | 63,440   | -                               | -  | -  | -  |
| Unionbank Futures Corporation                      | Commodity futures trading   | 594,397              | 599,652    | 59,440            | 99.07%                  | 599,652   | Equity Method for Long-<br>term Eguity Investment | (8,282)  | 23,776                          | -  | -  | -  |
| Union Finance International (HK) Ltd.              | Trade finance   | 106,589              | 195,543    | 30,000            | 99.99%                  | 195,543   | Equity Method for Long-<br>term Eguity Investment | 10,926   | -                               | ·  | -  | -  |
| Union Securities Investment Trust Corporation      | Securities investment trust   | 105,000              | 118,620    | 10,500            | 35.00%                  | 118,620   | Equity Method for Long-<br>term Eguity Investment | 12,478   | 3,150                           | -  | -  | -  |
| Union Securities Investment Consulting Corporation | Securities investment consulting  | 9,940                | 9,026      | 994               | 99.40%                  | 9,026     | Equity Method for Long-<br>term Eguity Investment | 733  | -                               | -  | -  | -  |
| Union Information Technology Corp.                 | Systems development and computer software and hardware dealership   | 90,650               | 141,211    | 12,950            | 99.92%                  | 137,748   | Equity Method for Long-<br>term Eguity Investment | 46,866   | -                               | -  | -  | -  |
| Union Insurance Broker Corp.                       | Life insurance brokerage service  | 25,220               | 60,971     | 2,522             | 90.07%                  | 61,776    | Equity Method for Long-<br>term Eguity Investment | 30,475   | 7,036                           | -  | -  | -  |

#### VII. Risk Management

#### (I) Credit Risk

- 1. The bank pays close attention to the control of all risk values in order to increase the amount of equity capital in proportion to risk assets and understand better the operation and credit status of the borrowers. In practice, the bank dispatches its staff—to visit the clients in exerting proper control over their changes in operation. There is also a credit risk evaluation mechanism for the reference of the loan officers.
- 2. The bank proactively develops new products of loans for the purpose of enhancing the competitive power of the bank, increasing its share in loan operation and diversifies credit risk as long as the new products could meet the market needs and provide additional convenience for the borrowers. In 2003, the bank had launched new loans like the "Small and Medium Enterprises Petite Loans", "Financing on Note Receivables", "Factoring in Domestic A/C settled in Foreign Currencies", "Financing on Alien Worker Agency", "Financial on Mergers and Acquisitions", "Start Up Loan for Micro Enterprises", and "Cooperation with Japanese Mizuho Corp. Bank in Factoring and Endorsement of Financial Instruments" for meeting the needs of different markets.
- 3. The major source of income to the bank is the spread between the interest for saving and loans. Therefore, a proper balance between return and risk must be maintained. All borrowers would be subject to the "ROA Contribution" and "Analysis on Projected ROA on Applications", which helps all banking units to proper assess the contribution of each borrower. Price is not the only concern in competition. The increase of one client not just contribute to the direct income to the bank in the form of interest, but rather its potential contribution in the peripheral areas like foreign exchange, trust and credit cards. These would bring in potential incomes for the bank. Therefore, the bank has already installed the "CRM Data Warehouse" so that it may effectively control the contribution of respective client to the bank, which in turn will be reflected in the pricing strategy of the bank.
- 4. For enhancing the capacity of the loan officers in professional skills and front-end operation, the bank regularly organizes series of trainings in "Elementary and Intermediate Credit Information and Approval Courses", "Financial Law", "Collection in Practice", and "Practical Drill in Collection" in favor of the banking officers. In participating in the training, the banking officers can upgrade their professional knowledge. The bank also held the "Seminar on Corporate Banking and Customer Service and Business" in order to educate the banking officers the loan policy and business goal of the head office. Different cases would be presented for discussion to enhance the proper control of credit risk.

#### (II) Maturity Analysis on the Assets and Liabilities and Interest Rate Sensitive Information

1. The bank adopts the analysis of the interest rate sensitive assets and liabilities and exposure position as the mechanism in



asset and liabilities management. The bank has established an Assets and Liabilities Committee for the management of interest rate exposure position and gives supervisory and strategic instructions. For proper functioning, the committee exerts full control in monitoring the changes in interest rate and the exposure position. The committee may call for senior management meeting if there is a need in the market. They review the exposure position of the bank.

- 2. The bank has a viable transaction system and capital management system in handling risk control over the exchange between local and foreign currencies. This helps to properly control the change in daily deposit and withdrawal, cost of capital and balance in different types and terms of deposits, analysis on floating and fixed interest rates on deposits and loans, analysis on interest rate sensitive assets and liabilities, and analysis on interest spread. The interest rate adjustment model would also be used in the analysis for mapping out the interest rate strategy, and be reported to the committee for approval, or for the senior management to convene on making adjustment in interest rate.
- 3. For foreign exchange risk, the bank has designed a balanced system between the separate systems of transaction and delivery in foreign exchange and relevant procedure. In addition, the bank also exercises proper control over the position, the individual trading position and stop loss point.
- 4. In liquidity risk, the bank monitors the inflow and outflow of cash on a daily basis, and has the mechanism to estimate, measure, calculate and gives early warning in capital requirement and change in the future by exchanging liquidable assets for cash just in case.
- 5. The bank plans to procure certain risk control system from world known supplier and being recognized by the market to comply with the requirement of Basel II Agreement.

#### (III) Foreign Exchange

#### (1) Management of External Risk

- 1. Country Risk: Risk control threshold was set for respective country where the bank has business in order to diversify transaction risk in different countries. For effective control, the bank has instituted the "Criteria for the Management of Country Risks" as guideline. All branches shall comply with this set of criteria in making centralized control of external risks. The International Banking Division may also report to the head office for increasing or decreasing the limit to specific country in response to the change in the environment to meet the needs in operation.
- 2. Bank Risk: Risk threshold would be assigned to banks with different sizes in assets and credit rating for controlling the risks of respective bank.
- 3. Exchange Rate Risk: Sell or Buy different foreign currencies depending on the "long or "short" positions of respective currency to avoid the risk of exchange rate fluctuation.
- 4. Client Risks: Different clients will be granted different limits depending on credit rating for the proper control of credit risk.
- 5. Transaction Risk: Develop non-conventional foreign exchange products and financial derivatives to meet the needs of the clients and the market. A research and development team has been established to watch the changes in the market and for the innovation of import and export foreign exchange transfer services. Different credit limits would be set for proper transaction risk control.
- 6. Market Risk: This is the risk derived from the fluctuation of interest rate, exchange rate and stock price. The bank would review or adjust the types of financial products in response to the change in economic conditions, market situation and the investment environment.
- 7. Foreign Exchange Settlement Risk: For avoiding the risk in default settlement stemmed from existing practice in foreign exchange clearing, the bank plans to join the Continuous Linked Settlement (CLS) mechanism to ensure proper control of risk over the settlement of exchange.

#### (2) Management of Internal Risk

- 1. Operation Risk: of observe all internal regulations and applicable legal rules, and conduct internal audit regularly or as needed to monitor the compliance in standard operation procedure. Organize internal or external training programs or attend continuing education programs so that the employees of the bank could be developed into professional managers. This helps to reduce operation risk.
- 2. Legal Compliance: The bank has the system of Compliance Officer to assure all operations comply with applicable legal rules, at home and abroad.
- 3. Credit Risk: The bank has instituted the "Criteria for Making Decision in Foreign Exchange Along the Line of Authority" as the yardstick of empowerment in foreign exchange.



#### (IV) Amount of non-performing loans

Unit: NT\$ in thousand

| 2003.12.31             | Narrowly defined NPL | Broadly defined NPL |
|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Amount of NPL (Note 1) | 4,678,056            | 6,907,074           |
| NPL ratio (Note 2)     | 3.84%                | 5.68%               |

Note 1:NPL (including loans for collection) shall be the amount of outstanding loans required to report under Ministry of Finance Letter Tai-Tsai-Rong No. 832292834 in 1997.02.16 and Tai-Tsai-Rong No. 86656564 in 1997.12.01.

Note 2: NPL ratio=NPL (including loans for collection)/(balance of loans + loans for collection)

#### (V) Interest Rate Sensitive Information

Unit: %

|  | 2003.12.31 |
|--|------------|
| Interest rate sensitive assets and liabilities ratio(Note 1) | 75.19      |
| Ratio between the interest rate sensitive                    |            |
| exposure and net worth(Note 2)                               | (231.66)   |

#### Note:

- 1. Interest rate sensitive assets and liabilities ratio= interest rate sensitive assets/interest rate sensitive liabilities (refers to interest rate sensitive assets and liabilities in current position of local currency.
- 2. Interest rate sensitive exposure=interest rate sensitive assets-interest rate sensitive liabilities



#### **VIII. Major Agreements**

- (I) In September 2003, the bank entered into a Letter of Intent with a renowned US bank in Taiwan for a pilot run of the CLS system. In the future, the bank will link to the CLS system to help to hold down the risk in foreign exchange settlement.
- (II) For facilitating the business in factoring in foreign currencies, the bank entered into an agreement with CIT in "Factoring Commissions Sharing" in September 2003.
- (III) The bank has entered into agreements with reputable foreign bank like Standard Chartered Bank, ABM-AMRO and Citibank in ISDA CSA to broaden the scope of the derivatives business in foreign exchange for longer term. In so doing, the bank is expected to enjoy enormous growth in income from foreign exchange derivatives.
- (IV) For accelerating the clean up of non-performing loans, the bank entered into agreements with Morgan Union Assets Management Corp Ltd. On May 28,2003 and December 26,2003 in assigning certain creditor rights whereby the amount of NT\$2.29 billion and NT\$1.18 billion were assigned respectively.

#### IX. Litigious or Non-Litigious Matter

- (I) Litigious or non-Litigious matter related to credit extensions or collections of past-due loans: omitted.
- (II) In filing the corporate income tax for fiscal years 1994, 1995, 1997, 1999 and 2000, the bank is supposed to be entitled to tax credit of NT\$85,496,000 as withholding tax on bond yield carried forward from the previous ownership of government bonds. The taxation authority did not approve the application of such tax credit. The bank cannot agree with such decision and instituted administrative action with competent authority to approve the corporate income tax filing of fiscal years 1994, 1995 and 1997, and, review the corporate income tax filing for fiscal years 1999 and 2000. The High Administrative Court of Taipei ruled in favor of the bank in the corporate income tax filing for fiscal years 1995 and 1997. Finally, the National Taxation Administration consulted with the banking industry, and agreed to set the limit of 65% rebate (deduction). The bank has expressed its consent on such decision of 65% rebate (deduction) and applied for tax rebate.
- (III) Union Bills Finance Corp., an affiliate to the bank, has paid withholding tax on bond yield carried forward from previous ownership amounted to NT&104,563,000. (The tax deductibles of bond interests paid to previous bondholders of our affiliate, Union Bills Finance Company, was NT\$104,563,000 for fiscal years 1995 to 2000. ) The taxation authority suggested that "the rebate of withholding tax carried forward from previous ownership is just a matter of transfer payment, not the obligation under Article 89 of the Income Tax Law in withholding tax", and did not granted the rebate. The company held that such decision is a violation of applicable provisions in the Income Tax Law and relevant letters on interpretation issued by the Ministry of Finance. The company therefore has already reported to competent authority for approval over the corporate income tax filing for fiscal year 1999 and instituted action with the administrative court for the review of the corporate income tax filing for fiscal year 2000. The High Administrative Court of Taipei ruled in favor of the company on corporate income tax filing for fiscal years 1995, 1996, 1997 and 1998.
- (IV) China Commercial Bank instituted an action to demand the bank to perform the guarantee contract. The bank appealed for the third instance. The Supreme Court ruled on September 13 2002 that the appeal for the second trial of China Commercial Bank exceeded the allowable period and therefore the ruling of the second trial be annulled and the ruling of the first trial sustained and hence overruled the petition of China Commercial Bank. After the ruling for the three trials, the bank is not obliged to pay China Commercial Bank the amount of NT\$70 million in the case of the performance of guarantee agreement between the two banks.

## **Business Outlook and Capital Utilization Plans**



#### I. Operating Strategies, Targets, and Plans for Year 2004

#### (I) Operating Strategies

- 1. Absorb as much savings deposits as possible to broaden the financial base.
- 2. Upgrade the quality of loans credit and develop corporate banking in stable paces.
- 3. Launch the e-banking environment to strengthen banking services through electronic means and provide round-theclock convenient financial services.
- 4. Develop actively consumer-banking business and increase the market share.
- 5. Persist to develop foreign exchange and try the best to achieve the annual goal for maximizing the return.
- 6. Research and develop new financial products and assets management products in order to provide diversified asset portfolio management. Increase the volume of off balance sheet business and maintain the niche in the market.
- 7. Meet the needs of cardholders in diversified services enhance their loyalty to the bank and attain the goals the credit card issuer purported to take.
- 8. Intensify the training of banking officers in professional knowledge and marketing to meet the needs of business development. Provide incentives to employees to develop their potential for upgrading service quality and operation performance.
- 9. Integrate the functions of the media, window dressing of products, innovation to enhance the corporate image of the bank.
- 10. Enhance the capacity in the appraisal of real estate and establish a viable appraisal database. Combine online marketing and the print media and speed up the cleaning up of non-performing loans.
- 11. Make improvement in non-performing loans and hold down the NPL rate.
- 12. Pay close attention to the analysis on cost-effectiveness, cut down expenses, enhance profitability and strengthen the capital structure of the bank.

#### (II) Operating Targets for 2004

- 1. Savings deposits at NT\$ 193.9 billion
- 2. Loans at NT\$ 169.9 billion
- 3. Foreign exchange at US\$ 3 billion
- 4. Guarantee service and acceptance at NT\$ 9.4 billion

Note: The above business targets for deposit, loans, guarantees and acceptances are in terms of annual average, whereas the target for foreign exchange transaction is in terms of total volume accrued over the year.

#### (III) Operating Plans for 2004

#### A. Deposits Business

- Give the best effort to absorb savings deposits in local and foreign currencies in order to achieve respective goals in savings.
- 2. Organize relevant marketing events in connection with the operation plan to increase non-institutional accounts and develop stable sources of capital.
- 3. Organize promotional activities to encourage the employees to achieve their respective goal.
- 4. Encourage all banking units to solicit businesses like disbursement of clients' salaries, agent of fund collection for new stocks, allocation of dividend service, collection of payment for securities trade, school tuition and miscellaneous fees, and account payment for enterprises. This would help to broaden the clientele base for the bank and increase the market share.
- 5. Promote the all-in-one assets management account and design products with niche to meet the needs of individual clients so that they could enjoy the diversity of financial services.

#### **B. Loans Business**

- 1. The Corporate Banking Division of the bank will proactively assist all other banking units to develop new financial products and broaden the clientele base, which in turn helps to broaden the business horizon of the bank and take the lead in the market. Self-compensatory loans would be solicited to minimize the risk of the bank.
- 2. Promote actively the market of small and medium enterprises, screen out clients with thin profit to allow for stable growth in loans and enhance the profitability of the bank.
- 3. Work in conjunction with respective guaranteed funds and project loans to assist small and medium enterprises for easy access to financing with good quality service.
- 4. Develop new financial products targeted at specific market segments.
- 5. Put additional effort in credit information check, approving loans, and the management of collateral and information on industries. Take effective measures in credit risk control for higher security to creditor rights. Exercise strict control over the quality of approving loans to vitalize corporate management. Prevent and contain the occurrence of non-performing loans.
- 6. Assist the loan officer to develop their professional skills and absorb ample knowledge in the field by providing regular training courses and seminars to materialize the "Customer Service Professionals System" of the bank.



#### C. International Banking Business

- 1. Launch the products of Export L/C Forfaiting, O/A Factoring, D/A Forfaiting and Trade Finance.
- 2. Form close strategic alliance/ product joint ventures with reputable foreign banks.
- 3. Establish more overseas locations.
- 4. Assist the branches in the training of foreign exchange personnel and development of foreign exchange business.
- 5. Introduce e-banking in foreign exchange operation to maximize efficiency with limited human resources.
- 6. Establish 4 regional foreign exchange processing centers to accelerate the speed in processing and hold down the cost of operation.
- 7. Develop actively OBU business in international finance like syndicated loans, joint guarantee and ECB in order to keep in line with international finance operation for higher return.

#### **D. Trust Business**

- 1. Launch integrated trust services by combining different types of financial products.
- 2. Strengthen the interaction with the investment trust funds and enhance the ability of the bank to market funds and seek every opportunity to secure business in fund custody service.
- 3. Continue the service in certifying securities in order to increase the market share.
- 4. Fortify the functions of custodian services and fund operation for better service quality and efficiency.
- 5. Advocate the concept of trust and continue to develop new trust items to satisfy the needs of the clients in asset planning.

#### E. Assets Management

- 1. Materialize the operation system of account service by appointed professional to perform the function of financial consultation service. This helps to strengthen the development of global financial management and in turn brings in additional income for the bank in service charge.
- 2. Intensify the training of money management professionals in enhancing their professional standing and the image of financial service provided by the bank.
- 3. Select carefully relevant financial products to provide clients wide arrays of asset portfolio management.
- 4. Integrate the Union Bank financial network and enhance the function of UMA accounts for providing clients good quality wealth management facility and improving the CRM between the bank and VIP clients.

#### F. Securities Business

- 1. Recruit actively more sales professionals to increase business volume and market share.
- 2. Develop more financial products in supporting relevant government policy. Actively develop different forms of online ordering and IB services in futures.
- 3. Intensify the training of the employees in professional knowledge, strengthen the ability in making market evaluation and industrial analysis, and make them familiar with their duties and relevant legal rules governing securities.

#### **G. Credit Cards Business**

#### I. Business volume sector

- 1. Provide incentives for using the credit cards issued by the bank and enhance the loyalty of cardholders to Union Bank. Cultivate the support from new cardholders to achieve the goal of 3.2 million cards in circulation and charging amount at NT\$82 billion.
- 2. The bank has 4,750 participating shops in using the credit card charge service provided by the bank with charging value amounted to NT\$53.6 billion.
- 3. The bank offered NT\$20 billion worth of credit (for transfer payment of credit card loans) with balance of revolving credits amounted to NT\$27.8 billion.
- 4. The revenue from this source is projected at NT\$6,786 million or at the growth rate of 67%.

#### II. The Service sector

- 1. In supporting the advocacy of using smart cards by international organizations, the bank makes use of advanced technology in chips to make cards for providing higher security to cardholders. Services derived from the cards could be personalized depending on individual needs to make an easier life for the users.
- 2. Integrating consumption, credit charge service and e-commerce, the bank combines virtual reality in joint marketing to provide diversified services to card users.
- 3. Combining the cards with e-banks, mobile banks and online funds provide card users full-range financial services.
- 4. Fortify the functions of the smart cards to provide full and rich added value to cardholders.
- 5. For platinum cards already in circulation, the bank will fortify the functions of the card and provide membership services and events exclusive to this group of cardholders.
- 6. Promote the service in telemarketing to achieve the goal of small sum loans.
- 7. Establish a paperless operation system for the application of credit cards and an automated approval system to accelerate the process and minimize the cost of human resources.

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#### III. Upgrading the system

- 1. Persist to develop more accounts for online credit charge services to increase the circulation volume of card charging online and charging amount.
- 2. Strengthen the online credit card payment mechanism.
- 3. Work with international organizations in B2B money flow security mechanisms for additional online transaction security and effective financial transactions.

#### **H. Treasury Operations**

- 1. Augment the market risk and liquidity risk control system to strengthen the competitive power of the bank.
- 2. Develop actively new financial products for meeting the needs of clients and market in risk avoidance.
- 3. Research, develop and support relevant agencies in undertaking various overseas investments plans or cultivating channels for financing. Work with reputable foreign banks to make the bank more highly visible in the world.
- 4. Increase the volume of trade in bills, notes and contracts with repurchase features in local currency, foreign exchange and related financial derivatives.
- 5. Send relevant personnel to participate in training courses for financial professionals in the country in providing better knowledge in foreign exchange, risk control, financial engineering, allocation of funds between local and foreign currencies and traders in bonds.

#### I. Social Welfare

Union Bank of Taiwan and its affiliates jointly sponsored the Union Cultural Foundation, which was established in 1998. The foundation holds a parent-children fair every year on Mother's Day, and organize the contest of the "Union Bank Award on Rising Star in Fine Arts". This year, Union Bank of Taiwan also held the 1st Union Bank Impression Award. For six years, the "Union Bank Award on Rising Star in Fine Arts" emerged as the highest prestige for young artists in the country. Through this event, oil paintings were promoted to their entirety.

#### II. Disposition or Acquisition of Real Estate or Long-term Investment Plans

- (I) Real estate prepared for acquisition in one year: None.
- (II) Real estate prepared for disposition in one year:

Unit: NT\$ in thousand

| Real Estate property | Type of Acquisition | Location               | Land<br>Area in<br>ping* | Premise<br>Area in<br>ping* | Auction<br>Settled<br>Price | Auction<br>Settled<br>Date | Total<br>Acquisition<br>Cost | Expected<br>Selling<br>price |
|----------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Land and             | Taking up           | No. 51, Chung Shan     |                          |                             |                             |                            |                              |                              |
|                      |                     | Road Section 3, Tai    | 748.00                   | 5048.00                     | 400,000                     | 84.05.30                   | 401,880                      | 200,000                      |
| Premise              | Collateral          | Ping, Taichung County. |                          |                             |                             |                            |                              |                              |
|                      | Taking up           | Lot 252, Subsection    |                          |                             |                             |                            |                              |                              |
| Land                 |                     | 4, Shi-Tan Section,    | 191.92                   | -                           | 51,840                      | 90.05.11                   | 51,857                       | 68,000                       |
|                      | Collateral          | NeiHu region,Taipei    |                          |                             |                             |                            |                              |                              |

<sup>\*1</sup>ping=35.71 sq.feet

(III) Plan on long-term investments in one year: None. Concentration will be made on the development of banking business.

#### III. Research and Development

#### (I) Expenditures on Research and Development

Unit: NT\$ in thousand

| Year              | 2002     | 2003     |
|-------------------|----------|----------|
| R & D Expenditure | \$52,991 | \$77,292 |

Note: the figure for R & D expenditure in 2003 was before auditor certification.

#### (II) Result of Research and Development

Research and development entails long-term commitment of resources. Ever since its establishment in 2003, the Union Bank of Taiwan has already started to invest in research and development works under the spirit of innovation. This is vital for maintaining the competitive power of the bank. The input in research and development boosts up the business in the wake of recovery in the financial sector. Major contributions of research and development in 2003 are:

- 1. E-infrastructure development to support internal management
  - (1) The procurement system of the bank has already completed the e-banking operation in 2003. By way of online purchase request, the bank significantly compressed the lead-time for purchase. This also makes the procurement procedure more transparent, and in turn, enhances the overall operation efficiency of the bank.
- 2. Develop new financial services



- (1) Learning from the experience of foreign banks, Union Bank of Taiwan took the lead in Taiwan to launch the first VISA mini credit card in September 2003. This product is widely accepted in the market.
- (2) In supporting the government in launching the smart card program, the bank actively committed its resources in the development of smart banking cards from 2003 onward.
- (3) In May 2003, the bank took the lead in presenting the "Trust Funds for Housing Management Entities". This product provides a good and reliable mode of fund management for the management committee of buildings.

#### 3. Replacement of Information systems and functional

- (1) Launched the e-finance EAI project in financial service, via the integration with portal, Single Sign on, Security (RA) and back-end UMA (8 platforms), I Banking and related voice devices in one-stop online financial voice service.
- (2) Support the government in the development of the XML online transaction environment as the foundation for the architecture of e-banking transactions, the bank started to work on the development of XML online banking system at the end of 2003. This system will integrate with the latest version of corporate online banking system, which is in the process of development. With this system, the bank provides corporate clients a brand new online service system.
- (3) The bank also engaged in the development of a new foreign exchange system as early as in 2003. A new structure for foreign exchange is installed to meet the needs in operation and Internet services.
- (4) The bank developed the JAVA and XML cross-platform OCSI system to replace the close-system IBM TABS terminal system.
- (5) Present the national banking card three-in-one information platform featuring ATM cash advance, remittance, withdrawal, credit card charge, prepayment and transfer payment.
- (6) Install the Union Bank second general call center telebanking system. Customer service personnel could know the credit rating of specific clients and the content of transactions.
- (7) Offer the Web on call service, online banking customers can also receive the kind of service as they are at the counter of the bank

#### (III) Future Research and Development Plans

Since its establishment, the Union Bank of Taiwan is clearly aware of the fact that competitive power in banking will be determined by the degree of automation in banking. Therefore, the bank applies information technology to strengthen its competitiveness. This is indeed goal of Union Bank of Taiwan. In the future, the bank will look ahead to plan for possible issues that may emerge in 2011, and will develop in the following directions with the existing foundation in e-banking, virtualization and mobility:

- 1. Centralization of the foreign exchange system, respond quickly to customer needs on a regional basis.
- 2. The planning and installation of the 2nd information center, and make the information and operation recovery system viable for sustained operation.
- 3. Set up a task force for dealing with the problems that may emerge in 2011, and take precautions as was in Y2K to make sure all data processing of the bank are proper and correct.
- 4. Install the 24-hour core banking system.
- 5. Integrate the cash card, credit card and debit card into a combo IC Card.
- 6. Online exchange on impression card information across Taiwan to provide convenient inter-branch services to clients.
- 7. Monitor all automated teller centers across Taiwan round-the-clock to protect the clients in transaction security.
- 8. Research and develop the integration of branch system, photograph system and CRM system.
- 9. Continue to develop ERP based services thorough which corporate clients could enjoy complete financial services on the web. As such, the bank could move in line with the clients in online operation, which helps to create a win-win situation for both.

#### **IV. Capital Utilization Plans**

- (I) Business development, addition to or the acquisition of fixed assets, the content of such plans, sources of financing and estimation on utilization and expected result:
  - Please refer to 1. in Operation Plan and Capital Utilization Plan: The Business Direction, Goals, Plans and Financial Information for 2004, in 7: Financial position and review in operation and analysis
- (II)The status of execution of the previous capital utilization plan:
  - The Ministry of Finance approved the bank in Nov. 14, 2002 in the issuance of second priority debentures amounted to NT\$3.5 billion. The purpose of issuing was to pool up long-term and stable capital for the bank and to enhance the capital adequacy ratio.
- (III)Unaccomplished plan on capital utilization in the last two years: none.



## Financial Highlights

#### I. Balance Sheets and Income Statements for the Past Five Years

#### 1. Brief Balance Sheets

Unit: NT\$ thousand

|   | Year                   |               | Financial inform | nation for the past five | e years (Remark 1) |               |
|---|------------------------|---------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Item  |                        | 2003          | 2002             | 2001                     | 2000               | 1999          |
| Cash, Deposits with the and Deposits at interes               |                        | \$ 21,462,792 | \$ 16,451,409    | \$ 16,555,716            | \$ 15,628,447      | \$ 20,952,823 |
| Marketable Securities -<br>for market decline                 | - less allowance       | 11,720,130    | 10,822,743       | 17,252,395               | 14,379,537         | 11,926,037    |
| Loans, Discounts, and I<br>Purchased – less allowa-<br>losses | *                      | 120,815,370   | 108,609,034      | 125,574,838              | 139,841,311        | 143,927,304   |
| Long-term Equity Inves  | tments                 | 4,800,485     | 3,783,285        | 3,754,720                | 3,611,639          | 3,617,078     |
| Fixed Assets  |                        | 2,760,877     | 2,917,408        | 3,014,345                | 3,069,648          | 2,309,884     |
| Other Assets  |                        | 42,936,182    | 32,960,850       | 19,148,941               | 13,861,817         | 11,483,847    |
| Deposits of and loans f                                       | rom other banks        | 5,832,135     | 1,599,665        | 2,982,033                | 10,725,309         | 10,956,146    |
| Deposits and Remittan   |                        | 173,518,839   | 149,958,821      | 159,878,978              | 156,492,640        | 160,789,312   |
| Other Liabilities   |                        | 8,424,691     | 8,785,717        | 5,898,126                | 6,509,068          | 6,128,648     |
|   | Before<br>Distribution | 14,889,264    | 14,889,264       | 14,889,264               | 14,889,264         | 14,187,007    |
| Capital   | After<br>Distribution  | Remark 2      | 14,889,264       | 14,889,264               | 14,889,264         | 14,889,264    |
| Capital Reserve   |                        | 39,016        | 1,398            | 1,656                    | 1,656              | 244           |
| Retained Earnings   | Before<br>Distribution | 1,900,803     | 579,855          | 1,940,882                | 2,160,131          | 2,438,518     |
| Retained Earnings   | After<br>Distribution  | Remark 2      | 579,855          | 1,940,882                | 1,871,393          | 1,736,261     |
| Unrealized Loss on Lor<br>Investments                         | ng-term Equity         | ( 22,931 )    | ( 42,670 )       | ( 97,024 )               | ( 293,947 )        | ( 296,528 )   |
| Translation Adjustment  | ts                     | 58,705        | 68,476           | 102,837                  | 20,402             | 13,626        |
| Treasury Stock  |                        | ( 144,151 )   | (295,262)        | (295,262)                | (112,124)          | -             |
| Net Loss Not Recognize  | ed as Pension Cost     | (535)         | (535)            | (535)                    | -                  | -             |
| Total Assets  |                        | 204,495,836   | 175,544,729      | 185,300,955              | 190,392,399        | 194,216,973   |
|   | Before<br>Distribution | 187,775,665   | 160,344,203      | 168,759,137              | 173,727,017        | 177,874,106   |
| Total Liabilities   | After<br>Distribution  | Remark 2      | 160,344,203      | 168,759,137              | 173,727,017        | 177,874,106   |
| Total Stockholders'   | Before<br>Distribution | 16,720,171    | 15,200,526       | 16,541,818               | 16,665,382         | 16,342,867    |
| Equity  | After<br>Distribution  | Remark 2      | 15,200,526       | 16,541,818               | 16,376,844         | 16,342,867    |

Remark 1: All above listed yearly financial statements have been audited and certified.

Remark 2: The 2003 earnings distribution will be subject to the shareholders' meeting.

#### 2. Brief Income Statements

Unit: NT\$ thousand

| Year                                |              | Income St    | atements for the pas | t five years |              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Item                                | 2003         | 2002         | 2001                 | 2000         | 1999         |
| Operating Revenue                   | \$11,510,045 | \$10,853,661 | \$13,798,762         | \$15,133,417 | \$15,145,756 |
| Operating Cost                      | 10,531,138   | 11,948,864   | 13,653,150           | 14,571,550   | 13,734,022   |
| Operating Income (Loss)             | 978,907      | (1,095,203)  | 145,612              | 561,867      | 1,411,734    |
| Earnings Before Income Tax (Loss)   | 1,470,073    | (1,428,718)  | 58,061               | 567,729      | 1,430,087    |
| Net Income (Loss)                   | 1,320,948    | (1,361,285)  | 69,489               | 423,884      | 1,102,045    |
| Earning Per Share (Loss)-in dollars | 0.91         | (0.94)       | 0.05                 | 0.28         | 0.78         |
| Adjusted earnings (Loss) Per Share  | 0.91         | (0.94)       | 0.05                 | 0.28         | 0.74         |

#### II. Financial Analysis for the Last Five Years

|               |  | Year                 |          | Financial Analy | sis for the past five | years (Note 1) |        |
|---------------|--|----------------------|----------|-----------------|-----------------------|----------------|--------|
| Item          |  | Teal                 | 2003     | 2002            | 2001                  | 2000           | 1999   |
| Financial     | Liabilities to asse                        | ets ratio            | 91.82    | 91.34           | 91.07                 | 91.25          | 91.59  |
| Structure     | Deposits to net                            | worth ratio          | 1,037.69 | 986.47          | 966.46                | 938.94         | 983.69 |
| (%)           | Fixed assets to n                          | et worth ratio       | 16.51    | 19.19           | 18.22                 | 18.42          | 14.13  |
| Liquidity     | Current ratio                              |                      | 626.26   | 769.59          | 611.80                | 246.97         | 249.52 |
| (%)           | Current reserve                            | ratio                | 11.60    | 9.52            | 13.80                 | 9.10           | 12.50  |
|               | Deposits to loan                           | s ratio (%)          | 70.14    | 73.61           | 79.31                 | 90.77          | 90.48  |
|               | Non-Performing                             | Loans Ratio (%)      | 3.84     | 4.12            | 3.91                  | 3.54           | 3.71   |
|               | Interest expense outstanding dep           | •                    | 1.58     | 2.59            | 4.80                  | 5.35           | 5.82   |
| Operating     | Interest Income outstanding loar           | •                    | 7.47     | 7.20            | 8.00                  | 8.80           | 8.95   |
| Performance   | Total asset turno                          | · ' '                | 0.0606   | 0.0601          | 0.0735                | 0.0787         | 0.0802 |
|               | Average operation per employee (N          | •                    | 4,731    | 5,385           | 7,657                 | 8,765          | 9,641  |
|               | Average profit p (NTD thousand)            |                      | 543      | ( 676)          | 39                    | 246            | 702    |
|               | Returns on Asse                            | ts (%)               | 0.7      | ( 0.75)         | 0.04                  | 0.22           | 0.58   |
|               | Returns on Equi                            | ty (%)               | 8.28     | ( 8.58)         | 0.42                  | 2.57           | 6.96   |
|               | Ratio to issued capital stock              | Operation<br>Income  | 6.64     | (7.5)           | 1.00                  | 3.80           | 9.95   |
| Profitability | (%)  | Income<br>Before tax | 9.97     | ( 9.79)         | 0.40                  | 3.84           | 10.08  |
|               | Net income to to revenue ratio (%          |                      | 11.48    | (12.55)         | 0.50                  | 2.80           | 7.28   |
|               | Earnings per sha                           | re (NTD)             | 0.91     | ( 0.94)         | 0.05                  | 0.28           | 0.74   |
|               | Adjusted Earning                           | gs per share         | 0.91     | (0.94)          | 0.05                  | 0.28           | 0.74   |
| Cash Flow     | Cash flow ratio                            |                      | Note 2   | 65.23           | 57.42                 | Note 2         | 8.84   |
|               | Cash flow adequ                            | uacy ratio           | 33.84    | 375.85          | 231.29                | 87.9           | 103.84 |
| (%)           | Cash reinvestme                            | ent ratio            | Note 2   | 6.35            | 8.28                  | Note 2         | 3.77   |
| Capital Adequ | ,  |                      | 10.29    | 12.62           | 10.37                 | 10.23          | 8.94   |
|               | n total collateral lo<br>concerned and tot |                      | 4.26     | 4.32            | 3.73                  | 2.89           | 2.71   |

Note 1: All above mentioned yearly financial data has been audited and certified.

Note 2: Cash flow from operating activities was a net outflow.

#### III. Net Worth, Earnings, Dividends, and Market Value Per Share for the Past Two Years

Unit: NT\$

| Item                   | Year                              | 2003          | 2002          |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
|                        | before distribution               | 11.23         | 10.21         |
| Net Worth Per Share    | after distribution                | Note 2        | 10.21         |
|                        | weighted-average number of shares |               |               |
| Fornings Dor Charo     | outstanding                       | 1,447,127,767 | 1,443,689,389 |
| Earnings Per Share     | before adjustment                 | 0.91          | (0.94)        |
|                        | after adjustment                  | Note 2        | (0.94)        |
| Dividends Per Chare    | cash dividend                     | Note 2        | -             |
| Dividends Per Share    | stock dividend                    | Note 2        | -             |
| Market Price Per Share |                                   | 6.65~10.95    | 4.97~7.85     |

Note: 1. Common stock became publicly traded over the counter on September 19, 1995 and were subsequently listed and traded on Taiwan Stock Exchange on June 29, 1998.

2. Profit in 2003 will be allocated for after 2004 general shareholders' meeting.



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IV. Financial Statements for the Past Year

## English Translation of a Report Originally Issued in Chinese INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

February 10, 2004 The Board of Directors and Stockholders Union Bank of Taiwan

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets of Union Bank of Taiwan as of December 31, 2003 and 2002 and the related statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial state ments are the responsibility of the Bank's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial state ments based on our audits. However, the financial statements as of and for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002 of the following investees accounted for by the equity method were audited by other auditors: Union Bills Finance Corporation, Union Finance and Leasing International Corporation, Union Bank Futures Corporation, Union Finance International (H.K.) Limited, Union Security Investment Trust Corporation and Union Real-Estate Management Corporation. Also audited by other auditors were the financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2002 of equity-method investees Union Information Technology Corporation and Union Insurance Broker Company. The balances of the foregoing long-term equity method investments were \$2,966,741 and \$2,814,639, or 1.45% and 1.60% of the Bank's total assets, as of December 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively. The equity in the investees' net income and net loss for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002 were \$311,785 (21.21% of pretax income) and \$70,374 (4.93% of pretax loss), respectively, based on the investees' 2003 and 2002 audited financial statements.

We conducted our audits in accordance with Rules Governing Auditing and Certification of Financial Statements of Financial Institution by Certified Public Accountants and auditing standards generally accepted in the Republic of China. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide reasonable basis for our opinion.

As stated in Note 11 to the financial statements, the Bank sold part of its nonperforming loans to asset management companies in 2002 and 2003, for which the Bank recognized deferred losses (included in other assets) of \$3,331,972 and \$7,781, 652, respectively, amortized over 60 months based on the Financial Institution Consolidation Law. Had the above losses not been deferred, the pretax income would have decreased by \$1,470,328 for the year ended December 31, 2003, and the balances of the other assets and unappropriated earnings would have decreased by \$8,987,269 as of December 31, 2003.

In our opinion, based on our audits and the reports of other auditors, except for the effects of the deferred loss on the sale of nonperforming loans to the related statements stated in the above paragraph, the financial statements referred to in the first paragraph present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Union Bank of Taiwan as of December 31, 2003 and 2002, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended, in conformity with the Guidelines Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and accounting principles generally accepted in the Republic of China.

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# **UNION BANK OF TAIWAN**

BALANCE SHEETS

DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002
(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Par Value of Capital Stock)

| %                                    | ,                            | - 2 <sup>6</sup>   | 3 ~ -  | 6                       |   | 6  |                                       | _              | . (1)   |   |                                    | ı  |                         | 6                          |                                      |                               |                       |             |           |           |             |           |  |       |           |                                     | 100                |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|----------------|---|---|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|--|-------|-----------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 2002<br>Amount                       |                              | \$ 1,599,665<br>4,468,303<br>149,958,821   | 3,500,000  | 160,344,203             |   | 14,889,264   | 1,398                                 | 1,809,297      | /5,049<br>( 1,304,491)                                | ( 42,670)                                       | 68,476                             | ( 535)   | ( 295,262)              | 15,200,526                 |                                      |                               |                       |             |           |           |             |           |  |       |           |                                     | \$ 175,544,729     |
| %                                    | •                            | g 7 3  | 3 2 '  | 92                      |   | 7  |                                       |                | . –   |   |                                    | •  | '                       | 80                         |                                      |                               |                       |             |           |           |             |           |  |       |           |                                     | 100                |
| 2003<br>Amount                       |                              | \$ 5,832,135<br>4,214,907<br>173 518 830   | 3,500,000  | 187,775,665             |   | 14,889,264   | 39,016                                | 504,806        | 75,049  | ( 22,931)                                       | 58,705                             | ( 232)   | ( 144,151)              | 16,720,171                 |                                      |                               |                       |             |           |           |             |           |  |       |           |                                     | \$ 204,495,836     |
| LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY | LIABILITIES                  | Call loans and due to banks (Notes 12 and 22) Payables and advance receipts (Notes 13, 20 and 22) Danocits and ramitiances (Notes 14 and 22) | Exposus and commences (1995)  Bank debenture (Note 15)  Other liabilities (Note 2) | Total liabilities       | STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Capital stack - 610 Bervalia | Capital stock—3 to rail value Authorized and issued 1,488,926,389 shares | Capital surplus<br>Retained earnings: | Legal reserve  | special reserve<br>Unappropriated earnings (deficits) | Unrealized loss on long-term equity investments | Cumulative translation adjustments | Net loss not recognized as pension cost<br>Treasury stock—at cost: 19,091,000 and 45,237,000 | shares in 2003 and 2002 | Total stockholders' equity | STIMP ATIMA ACC CINA STICINFOINTINCO | CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS | (Notes 22, 24 and 28) |             |           |           |             |           |  |       |           | TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDEPS: | EQUITY             |
| %                                    | 4                            | -  | 4  | 9                       | 11  |  |                                       | 62             |   | 2   |                                    | '  | 2                       |                            | ,                                    | _                             | <b>.</b>              | _           |           | ' '       | ς,          | - I ·     | 7 -                                      | '     | 7         | <sup>∞</sup>                        | 100                |
|                                      |                              |  |  |                         |   |  |                                       |                |   |   |                                    | - 1  |                         |                            |                                      |                               |                       |             |           | - 1       |             |           |  |       |           |                                     |                    |
| 2002<br>Amount                       | \$ 7,697,876                 | 1,737,517  | 7,016,016  | 10,822,743              | 18,778,409  | 645,990  |                                       | 108,609,034    |   | 2,822,932                                       | 960,353                            |  | 3,783,285               |                            | 175 665 1                            | 1,723,764                     | 752,991               | 1,102,144   | 131,629   | 664,595   | 4,3/5,123   | 1,475,416 | 2,899,707<br>17,701                      | 1 000 | 2,917,408 | 13,536,451                          | \$ 175,544,729     |
| 2002<br>% Amount                     | 928'269'28 9                 | 1,737,517  | 4 7,016,016  | 6 10,822,743            | 14 18,778,409                                     | - 645,990  |                                       | 59 108,609,034 |   | 2 2,822,932                                     | - 960,353                          |  | 3,783,285               |                            | 175 605 1                            | 1,723,764                     | - 752,991             | 1 1,102,144 | - 131,629 | - 664,595 | 2 4,3/5,123 | 1,475,416 | 1 2,899,707<br>                          |       | 2,917,408 | 7 13,536,451                        | 100 \$ 175,544,729 |
| Amor                                 | \$ 11,236,929 6 \$ 7,697,876 | 2,109,800 1 1,737,517  | 8,116,063 4 7,016,016  | 11,720,130 6 10,822,743 | <del></del>                                       | 527,185 - 645,990  |                                       | 0              |   | 2 2   |                                    | 628,453  | 4,800,485 2 3,783,285   |                            | ,                                    | _                             |                       | -           |           | '   '     | 7           | - -       | 2,711,60/ 1 2,899,70/<br>49,270 - 17,701 |       | 2,717,408 | 13,198,793 7 13,536,451             | 0.1                |

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## UNION BANK OF TAIWAN STATEMENTS OF INCOME

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

|   | 2003         |         | 2002          |             |
|---|--------------|---------|---------------|-------------|
|   | Amount       | %       | Amount        | %           |
| OPERATING REVENUES  |              |         |               |             |
| Interest revenue (Notes 2 and 22)                                   | \$ 8,670,983 | 75      | \$ 8,541,333  | 79          |
| Service fee revenue (Notes 2 and 22)                                | 1,956,074    | 17      | 1,806,434     | 16          |
| Income on securities—net (Note 2)                                   | 473,367      | 4       | 412,536       | 4           |
| Gain from long-term equity investments                              |              |         |               |             |
| under the equity method (Notes 2 and 9)                             | 390,359      | 4       | -             | -           |
| Foreign exchange gain—net (Note 2)                                  | 11,081       | -       | 85,395        | 1           |
| Other operating revenue   | 8,181        |         | 7,963         |             |
| Total operating revenues  | 11,510,045   | _100    | 10,853,661    | 100         |
| OPERATING COSTS AND EXPENSES  |              |         |               |             |
| Interest expense (Notes 2 and 22)                                   | 2,553,008    | 22      | 4,008,607     | 37          |
| Service charge expense  | 635,127      | 5       | 787,569       | 7           |
| Loss from long-term equity investments                              |              |         |               |             |
| under the equity method (Notes 2 and 9)                             | -            | -       | 70,265        | 1           |
| Provisions for credit and other losses                              |              |         |               |             |
| (Notes 2 and 8)   | 542,450      | 5       | 2,623,093     | 24          |
| Other operating costs (Notes 2 and 11)                              | 1,875,115    | 16      | 259,381       | 2           |
| Operating and administrative expenses                               |              |         |               |             |
| (Notes 2, 18, 19 and 22)  | 4,925,438    | 43      | 4,199,949     | 39          |
| Total operating costs and expenses                                  | 10,531,138   | 91      | 11,948,864    | 110         |
| OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)   | 978,907      | 9       | ( 1,095,203   | ( 10)       |
| NONOPERATING INCOME AND GAIN (Note 22)                              | 1,078,294    | 9       | 193,061       | 2           |
| NONOPERATING EXPENSE AND LOSS                                       | ( 587,128)   | ( 5)    | ( 526,576     | ( 5)        |
| INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAX                                     | 1,470,073    | 13      | ( 1,428,718   | ) (13)      |
| INCOME TAX BENEFIT (EXPENSE) (Notes 2 and 20)                       | ( 149,125)   | ( 2)    | 67,433        |             |
| NET INCOME (LOSS)   | \$ 1,320,948 | (11)    | (\$ 1,361,285 | ( 13)       |
|   | 2003         |         | 2002          |             |
|   | Before       | After   | Before        | After       |
|   | Tax          | Tax     | Tax           | Tax         |
| EARNINGS (LOSS) PER SHARE (Note 21) Basic earnings (loss) per share | \$ 1.02      | \$ 0.91 | ( \$ 0.99 )   | ( \$ 0.94 ) |

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# STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY **UNION BANK OF TAIWAN**

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

| Capital Stock  |                   | Capital Surplus (Notes 2 and 16) Gain on reissuance | Notes 2 and 16) Gain on |           |              | Retained  | Retained Farnings (Note 16)       |              | Unrealized Loss<br>on Long-term<br>Equity | Cumulative<br>Translation  | Net Loss Not<br>Recognized      | Treasury Stock<br>(Notes 2 and 17) | y Stock<br>and 17) | Total                   |
|--|-------------------|---|-------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|--------------|---|----------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Donated disposal of of treasury  ount capital properties stock | of treasury stock |   | 의                       | Total     | Legal        | Special   | Unappropriated earnings (deficit) | Total        | Equity<br>Investments<br>(Notes 2 and 9)  | Adjustment (Notes 2 and 9) | as Pension Cost (Notes 2 and 9) | Shares (in thousands)              | Amount             | Stockholders'<br>Equity |
| 1,488,926 \$14,889,264 \$1,398 \$258 \$- \$                    | ÷                 |   | ↔                       | \$ 1,656  | \$ 1,788,373 | \$ 75,049 | \$ 77,460                         | \$ 1,940,882 | (\$97,024)                                | \$102,837                  | (\$ 232)                        | (45,237)                           | (\$295,262)        | \$ 16,541,818           |
| 1,488,926 14,889,264 1,398 258                                 |                   |   | - 1                     | 1,656     | 20,924       | 75,049    | (20,924)                          | 1,940,882    | (97,024)                                  | 102,837                    | . (535)                         | (45,237)                           | . (295,262)        | 16,541,818              |
|  |                   |   |                         |           |              |           | (1,361,285)                       | (1,361,285)  | •   |                            |                                 |                                    |                    | (1,361,285)             |
| (258)  | •                 | •   |                         | (258)     |              |           | 258                               | 258          | •   |                            | •                               |                                    |                    | •                       |
|  |                   | •   |                         |           | •            | •         | •                                 | •            | •   | (34,361)                   | •                               | •                                  | •                  | (34,361)                |
|  |                   |   |                         | ij        |              |           |                                   |              | 54,354                                    | ·                          | ·                               |                                    | ·                  | 54,354                  |
| 1,488,926 14,889,264 1,398 -                                   |                   |   |                         | 1,398     | 1,809,297    | 75,049    | (1,304,491)                       | 579,855      | (42,670)                                  | 68,476                     | (535)                           | (45,237)                           | (295,262)          | 15,200,526              |
|  |                   | .   .   | ,                       | 1,398     | (1,304,491)  | 75,049    | 1,304,491                         | 579,855      | (42,670)                                  | - 68,476                   | (535)                           | (45,237)                           | (295,262)          | 15,200,526              |
|  |                   |   |                         |           |              | •         | 1,320,948                         | 1,320,948    | •   | •                          | •                               | •                                  | •                  | 1,320,948               |
|  |                   |   |                         |           |              |           |                                   |              | 19,739                                    |                            | •                               |                                    |                    | 19,739                  |
|  |                   |   |                         |           |              |           | •                                 |              | •   | (177,9)                    |                                 |                                    |                    | (1771)                  |
|  | I                 | I   | ۳                       | 37,618    |              |           |                                   | Ì            |   |                            |                                 | 26,146                             | 151,111            | 188,729                 |
| 1,488,926 \$14,889,264 \$1,398 \$- \$37,618 \$31               | \$ 37,618         |   | \$3                     | \$ 39,016 | \$ 504,806   | \$ 75,049 | \$ 1,320,948                      | \$ 1,900,803 | (\$ 22,931)                               | \$ 58,705                  | (\$535)                         | (19,091)                           | (\$144,151)        | \$ 16,720,171           |

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## UNION BANK OF TAIWAN STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

| ·   | ,              |                    |
|---|----------------|--------------------|
|   | 2003           | 2002               |
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES                                    | \$ 1,320,948   | (\$1,361,285)      |
| Net income (loss)   |                | , , , ,            |
| Adjustments to determine net cash attributable to operating activities: |                |                    |
| Loss (gain) from long-term equity investments under the equity method   | (390,359)      | 70,265             |
| Cash dividend and remuneration to directors and supervisors             |                |                    |
| recognized by the equity method   | 44,810         | 11,813             |
| Depreciation and amortization   | 271,855        | 275,999            |
| Amortization of loss from sale of nonperforming loans                   | 1,875,115      | 259,381            |
| Loss on disposal of properties—net                                      | 112,913        | 108,535            |
| Provision for credit and other losses                                   | 542,450        | 2,623,093          |
| Provision (reversal of allowance) for allowance for decline             |                |                    |
| in market value of securities purchased                                 | (268,139)      | 162,973            |
| Provision (reversal of allowance) for decline in market value           |                |                    |
| of collaterals assumed  | (80,000)       | 220,000            |
| Permanent loss from reclassification of securities purchased            |                |                    |
| as long-term investment   | 49,297         | -                  |
| Deferred income taxes   | 67,668         | (80,709)           |
| Decrease (increase) in securities purchased—for trading purposes        | (1,649,862)    | 6,548,889          |
| Increase in receivables   | (10,228,895)   | (4,333,217)        |
| Decrease in prepayments   | 118,805        | 138,994            |
| Decrease in payables and advance receipts                               | ( 253,396 )    | ( 686,653 )        |
| Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities                     | (8,466,790)    | 3,958,078          |
|   |                |                    |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES                                    |                |                    |
| Decrease (increase) in due from banks                                   | ( 372,283 )    | 1,462,691          |
| Decrease (increase) in due from the Central Bank                        | (1,100,047)    | 545,305            |
| Decrease (increase) in securities purchased—for investing purposes      | 748,630        | ( 282,210 )        |
| Decrease (increase) in loans, discounts and bills purchased             | ( 13,064,055 ) | 13,780,848         |
| Proceeds from disposal of nonperforming loans                           | 117,069        | 1,050,000          |
| Increase in long-term equity investments                                | (33,230)       | ( 90,650 )         |
| Increase in long-term bond investments                                  | (405,766)      | -                  |
| Acquisition of properties and equipment                                 | ( 231,955 )    | ( 179,468 )        |
| Proceeds from disposal of properties and equipment                      | 237,959        | 34,159             |
| Increase in other assets  | (1,759,366)    | (10,643,416)       |
| Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities                     | (15,863,044)   | 5,677,259          |
|   |                |                    |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES                                    |                |                    |
| Increase (decrease) in call loans and due to banks                      | \$ 4,232,470   | (\$1,382,368)      |
| Increase (decrease) in deposits and remittances                         | 23,560,018     | (9,920,157)        |
| Increase (decrease) in other liabilities                                | (112,330)      | 70,877             |
| Increase in bank debentures   | -              | 3,500,000          |
| Reissuance of treasury stock  | 188,729        | (7.704 (40)        |
| Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities                     | 27,868,887     | (7,731,648)        |
| NET INCREASE IN CASH  | 0.500.050      | 4 000 /00          |
| NET INCREASE IN CASH  | 3,539,053      | 1,903,689          |
| CACLL DECIMINING OF VEAD  | 7 (07 07)      | F 704 107          |
| CASH, BEGINNING OF YEAR   | 7,697,876      | 5,794,187          |
| CACLL FAID OF VEAD  | # 11 00/ 000   | ¢ 7 (07 07 (       |
| CASH, END OF YEAR   | \$ 11,236,929  | \$ 7,697,876       |
| CUDDI FA FRITAL INFORMATION   |                |                    |
| SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION  | ¢ 2.047.402    | <b># F 040 404</b> |
| Interest paid   | \$ 2,847,183   | \$ 5,012,431       |
| Income tax paid   | \$ 56,026      | \$ 80,019          |
| NONCASH INVESTING ACTIVITIES  |                |                    |
|   |                |                    |
| Reclassification from securities purchased as long-term investments     | ¢ 222 407      | ¢                  |
| III NESTITIELITS  | \$ 222,687     | <u> </u>           |
|   |                |                    |

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#### UNION BANK OF TAIWAN **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002 (Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Otherwise Stated)

#### 1. ORGANIZATION AND OPERATIONS

Union Bank of Taiwan (the "Bank") obtained approval from the Ministry of Finance (MOF) to establish its operations on August 1, 1991 and was incorporated on December 31, 1991. It started operations on January 21, 1992.

The Bank engages in activities allowed under the Banking Law: Deposits, loans, discounts, remittances, acceptances, issuance of guarantees and letters of credit, short-term bill transactions, investments, foreign exchange transactions, savings, trust, etc.

As of December 31, 2003, the Bank's operating units included Business Department, Trust Department, Security Finance and International Banking Department of the Head Office; an Offshore Banking Unit (OBU), two overseas representative offices, and 39 domestic branches.

The operations of the Bank's Trust Department are (1) trust business planning, managing and operating; and (2) custodianship of non-discretionary trust fund in domestic and overseas securities and mutual funds. These foregoing operations are regulated under the Banking Law and Trust Law.

The Bank's shares of stock are traded on the Taiwan Stock Exchange (the "TSE").

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the Bank had 2,647 and 2,219 employees, respectively.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Bank's financial statements were prepared in conformity with the Guidelines Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) in the Republic of China (ROC). The preparation of financial statements under ROC GAAP requires the Bank to estimate assets and liabilities and revenues and expenses referring to the reporting period, including the allowance for credit losses and reserve for losses on guarantees. Because operating circumstances are inherently uncertain, estimates may vary from actual results. Also, since the operating cycle in the banking industry is difficult to identify, accounts included in the Bank's financial statements were not classified as current or noncurrent. Nevertheless, accounts were properly categorized by nature of each account and sequenced according to their liquidity period. The maturity analysis of assets and liabilities is shown in Note 27.

The Bank's significant accounting policies are summarized below:

#### **Basis of Financial Statement Preparation**

The accompanying financial statements include the accounts of the Head Office, OBU, all branches, and representative offices. All interoffice transactions and balances have been eliminated.

#### Securities Purchased

Securities purchased include short-term bills, stocks, beneficiary certificates, bank debentures, corporate bonds and government bonds. Short-term bills, bank debentures and unlisted bonds are stated at cost. Stocks, beneficiary certificates, government bonds and corporate bonds traded on the GreTai Securities Market (the "OTC exchange") are stated at the lower of cost or market. Cost of securities sold is determined using weighted-average cost, except the cost of corporate bonds traded on the OTC exchange and short-term bills, which is determined using the specific identification method. Market prices are determined as follows: (a) listed stocks—average closing prices in the last month of the accounting period, published by the Taiwan Stock Exchange; (b) over-the-counter stocks—average closing prices in the last month of the accounting period, published by the OTC Exchange; (c) beneficiary certificates (open-end funds)—net asset values as of the balance sheet date; and (d) government bonds—reference prices published by the OTC exchange as of the balance sheet date

Under a directive of the MOF, sales and purchases of bonds and short-term bills under agreements to repurchase or resell are treated as outright sales and purchases. However, under the "Criteria Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Public Banks," effective January 1, 2004, the repurchase/resale transactions will be treated as financing.

#### **Non-performing Loans**

The balance of overdue loans and other credits extended by the Bank and the related accrued interest are classified as nonperforming loans in accordance with guidelines issued by the MOF.

#### Allowance for Credit Losses and Provision for Losses on Guarantees

In determining the allowance for credit losses and provision for losses on guarantees, the Bank assesses the collectibility on the balances of loans, discounts and bills purchased, accounts, interest and other receivables, and nonperforming loans, as well as guarantees and acceptances as of the balance sheet dates.

Under "The Rules for Bank Asset Evaluation, Loss Reserve Provision, and Disposal of Overdue Loans and Bad Debts" (the

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"Rules") issued by the MOF, the Bank evaluates the collectibility on credit losses on the basis of its borrowers'/clients' financial conditions, delinquency record and collaterals provided.

The Bank evaluates losses on particular loans in accordance with the Rules stated above. The Rules provide that the mini mum amount requirement of provision for credit losses should be not less than the aggregate of 50% of the doubtful credits and 100% of the irrecoverable credits.

Under the MOF guidelines, specific loans may be written off under the approval of the board of directors and this write-off may be offset against the recorded allowance for loan losses.

#### **Long-term Investments**

Long-term equity investments are accounted for by the equity method if the Bank has significant influence on the investees; otherwise, by the cost method.

Investments accounted for by the equity method are stated at cost plus (or minus) a proportionate share in net earnings (losses) or changes in net worth of investees. Cash dividends are deducted from the investments. Stock dividends result only in an increase in the number of shares and are not recognized as investment income.

Investments accounted for by the cost method are carried at cost. Cash dividends received after the acquisition year are recognized as dividend revenue. Stock dividends result only in an increase in the number of shares and are not recognized as investment income. If the market value of an investment falls below carrying value and this decline is considered permanent, the carrying value of an investment is reduced to the extent of such decline, and an allowance for losses is provided and charged to current income.

Long-term bond investments are stated at cost. Premiums and discounts are amortized over the remaining holding period of the debt instruments using the straight-line method and are treated as adjustments to interest revenue. Upon maturity or sale of the bond, the cost is determined using the specific identification method.

#### **Properties and Equipment**

Properties and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Major renewals and betterments are capitalized; repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred.

Upon sale or other disposal of properties and equipment, their cost and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the respective accounts. Any resulting gain (loss) is credited (charged) to current income.

Depreciation is calculated by the straight-line method based on service lives estimated as follows: buildings and improvements, 50 to 55 years; office equipment, 3 to 5 years; transportation equipment, 3 to 5 years; and leasehold improvements, 5 years. For assets still in use beyond their original estimated service lives, further depreciation is calculated on the basis of reestimated service lives.

#### **Other Assets**

Deferred charges, which include costs of computer system software and telephone installation, are amortized using the straight-line method over five years.

The loss on sale of non-performing loans (accounted for as other operating costs) is amortized over 60 months in accordance with the Rule No. 15 of the Financial Institution Consolidation Law.

#### **Collaterals Assumed**

Collaterals assumed (included in other assets) are recorded at cost, which includes the assumed prices and any necessary repairs to make the collaterals saleable, and revalued at the lower of cost or net realizable value as of balance sheet dates.

#### **Recognition of Interest Revenue and Service Fees**

Interest revenue on loans is recorded on the accrual basis. No interest revenue is recognized in the accompanying financial statements on loans and other credits extended by the Bank that are classified as non-performing loans. The interest revenue on those loans/credits is recognized upon collection.

Under the MOF regulation, the interest revenue on credits covered by agreements that extend their maturities is recognized upon collection.

Service fees are recorded as income upon receipt and substantial completion of activities involved in the earnings process.

#### **Income Tax**

Inter-period income tax allocation is applied, by which tax effects of deductible temporary differences, unused investment tax credits and loss carryforwards are recognized as deferred income tax assets and those of taxable temporary differences are recognized as deferred income tax liabilities. A valuation allowance is provided for deferred income tax assets that are not certain to be realized.

Adjustments of prior years' tax liabilities are included in the current year's tax provision.

Tax credits for certain research and development and personnel trainings expenditure are recognized as reduction of current income tax.

Income tax (10%) on unappropriated earnings is recorded as income tax in the year when the shareholders resolve to retain the earnings.

#### **Pension**

Pension expense is determined on the basis of actuarial calculations.

#### **Contingencies**

A loss is recognized if it is probable that an asset has been impaired or a liability has been incurred and the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated. If the amount of loss cannot be reasonably estimated or the loss is possible, a footnote disclosure of the circumstances that might give rise to the possible loss should be made.

#### **Foreign-currency Transactions**

The Bank records foreign-currency transactions in the respective currencies in which these are denominated. At monthend, foreign-currency income and expenses are translated into New Taiwan dollars at the prevailing spot rates. Foreign-currency assets and liabilities are translated into New Taiwan dollars at prevailing rates as of the balance sheet dates. Realized and unrealized foreign exchange gains or losses are credited or charged to current income. Gains or losses resulting from restatement of period-end foreign-currency long-term equity investments accounted for by the equity method are credited or charged to cumulative translation adjustment under stockholders' equity in the balance sheet.

#### **Derivative Financial Instruments**

#### a. Forward exchange contracts

Foreign-currency assets and liabilities arising from forward exchange contracts, which are used mainly to accommodate customers' needs or to manage the Bank's own currency positions, are recorded at the forward rates. Gains or losses arising from the differences between the forward rates and spot rates on settlement date are credited or charged to current income. For contracts open as of the balance sheet dates, gains or losses arising from the differences between the contracted forward rates and the forward rates available for the remaining terms of the contracts are credited or charged to current income, and receivables and payables on the contracts are netted out.

#### b. Currency swap contracts

Assets or liabilities on currency swap contracts, which are mainly used to accommodate customers' needs or to manage the Bank's own currency positions, are recorded at the spot rates on the starting dates of the contracts. The corresponding forward-position assets or liabilities are recorded at the contracted forward rates, with receivables netted against the related payable.

The related discounts or premiums are amortized by the straight-line basis over the contract period.

#### c. Interest rate swaps

Interest rate swaps, which do not involve exchanges of the notional principals, are recorded as memorandum entries on the contract dates. For swaps entered into for hedging purposes, the net interest on each settlement is recorded as an adjustment to interest revenue or expense associated with the item being hedged.

#### d. Asset swaps

Asset swaps involve exchanging the fixed rate interest and stock conversion rights of convertible bonds for floating rate interest. These transactions are recorded as memorandum entries on the contract date since no actual exchange of contract (notional) principals is involved. Asset swaps are entered into for hedging purposes, i.e., to hedge interest rate exposure on foreign-currency convertible bonds. Net interests on each settlement date/balance sheet date are recorded as adjustments to interest revenue or expenses associated with the bonds being hedged.

#### e. Options

Options bought and/or held and options written, which are mainly used to accommodate customers' needs or to manage the Bank's currency positions, are recorded as memorandum entries only because there is no principal transfer. The premiums on the instruments are recorded as income and loss when they are exercised. Gains or losses on the exercise of options are also included in current income. The carrying values of the instruments are charged to income when they are not exercised.

#### **Treasury Stock**

Capital stock acquired is carried at cost and presented as a deduction to arrive at stockholders' equity. The treasury stocks acquired are to be reissued to employees. The reissuance of the treasury stocks are accounted for as follows: (a) reissue price higher than the acquisition cost—the excess is credited to additional paid-in capital on treasury stock; and (b) reissue price less than the acquisition cost—initially charged to additional paid-in capital on treasury stock, with any remaining deficiency charged to retained earnings.

#### Reclassifications

Certain 2002 accounts of the 2002 financial statements have been reclassified to conform to the presentation of the 2003 financial statements

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| 3. <u>CASH</u>                     | December 31   |              |
|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                    | 2003          | 2002         |
| Negotiable certificates of deposit | \$ 8,770,108  | \$ 5,620,000 |
| Cash on hand                       | 1,744,189     | 1,348,768    |
| Notes and checks in clearing       | 722,632       | 729,108      |
|                                    | \$ 11,236,929 | \$ 7,697,876 |

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, negotiable certificates of deposit aggregating \$100,000 and \$200,000 had maturities over one year.

Under relevant regulations, negotiable certificates of deposit amounting to \$250,000 had been provided to the Central Trust Bureau as reserve—credit card receivables as of December 31, 2002.

To comply with the Central Bank's clearing system of Real-time Gross Settlement (RTGS), the Bank had provided negotiable certificates of deposit aggregating \$2,300,000 and \$2,570,000 as collateral for the day-time overdraft as of December 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively, and the pledged amount is adjustable anytime.

| 4. <u>DUE FROM BANKS</u>                     | December 31  |              |
|--|--------------|--------------|
|  | 2003         | 2002         |
| Due from other banks                         | \$ 1,398,196 | \$ 867,165   |
| Call loans to banks                          | 711,604      | 870,348      |
| Bank overdrafts                              | <u>-</u>     | 4            |
|  | \$ 2,109,800 | \$ 1,737,517 |
| 5. DUE FROM THE CENTRAL BANK                 | December 31  |              |
|  | 2003         | 2002         |
| Denominated required deposit reserve         | \$ 3,800,845 | \$ 3,282,317 |
| Denominated deposit reserve—checking account | 2,749,619    | 2,176,830    |
| Due from the Central Bank                    | 1,552,000    | 1,552,000    |
| Foreign currency—denominated deposit reserve | 13,599       | 4,869        |
|  | \$ 8,116,063 | \$ 7,016,016 |

The denominated required deposit reserve is determined monthly at prescribed rates on the average balances of customers' New Taiwan dollar-denominated deposits and are subject to withdrawal restrictions. The foreign currency deposit reserves and checking account may be withdrawn anytime and are non-interest earning.

| 6. <u>SECURITIES PURCHASED</u>              | December 31   |               |
|---|---------------|---------------|
|   | 2003          | 2002          |
| Listed and OTC traded                       |               |               |
| Government bonds                            | \$ 1,907,298  | \$ 5,355,675  |
| Stocks                                      | 320,856       | 121,439       |
|   | 2,228,154     | 5,477,114     |
| Beneficiary certificates                    | 2,305,240     | 2,367,497     |
| With no quoted market prices                |               |               |
| Commercial paper                            | 6,255,419     | 1,283,798     |
| Bank debentures                             | 800,000       | 801,700       |
| Overseas corporate bonds                    | 195,488       | 860,805       |
| Credit-linked notes                         | -             | 356,495       |
| Bank acceptances                            | <del>_</del>  | 9,208         |
|   | 7,250,907     | 3,312,006     |
|   | 11,784,301    | 11,156,617    |
| Less: Allowance for decline in market value | 64,171        | 333,874       |
|   |               |               |
| Net   | \$ 11,720,130 | \$ 10,822,743 |

The market values or reference prices of government bonds, listed and OTC stocks and beneficiary certificates as of December 31, 2003 and 2002 were as follows:

|                          | December 31  |              |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                          | 2003         | 2002         |
| Government bonds         | \$ 1,919,893 | \$ 5,425,080 |
| Stocks                   | 312,314      | 111,130      |
| Beneficiary certificates | 2,345,453    | 2,043,102    |

Securities purchased as of December 31, 2003 and 2002 included government bonds and bank debentures amounting to \$820,400 and \$991,200, respectively, which have been provided to the courts as guarantee deposits required for cases involving defaults on loans and other regulations, which result in the provisional seizure of debtors' properties used as collaterals. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, government bonds \$50,000 had been provided to the Central Bank as trust reserve. As of December 31, 2003, government bonds amounting to \$50,000 had been provided to the Central Bank as guarantee deposits for bills finance operations.

In addition, under relevant regulations, government bonds amounting to \$35,000 and \$26,500, respectively, had been placed with the Central Trust Bureau as reserve of credit card receivable as of December 31, 2003 and 2002.

| 7. RECEIVABLES                           | Decen         | nber 31       |
|--|---------------|---------------|
|  | 2003          | 2002          |
| Accounts receivable                      | \$ 27,317,673 | \$ 16,108,168 |
| Interest receivable                      | 1,073,475     | 1,415,827     |
| Forward exchange contract receivable—net | 322,372       | 14,590        |
| Acceptances receivable                   | 318,672       | 418,932       |
| Receivable from sale of assets           | 313,119       | 955,860       |
| Accrued revenue                          | 303,607       | 356,095       |
| Other                                    | 420,254       | 570,805       |
|  | 30,069,172    | 19,840,277    |
| Less: Allowance for credit losses        | 858,968       | 1,061,868     |
| Net                                      | \$ 29,210,204 | \$ 18,778,409 |
| 8. LOANS, DISCOUNTS AND BILLS PURCHASED  | Decen         | nber 31       |

| 8. <u>Loans, discounts and bills purchased</u> | Decer          | mber 31        |
|--|----------------|----------------|
|  | 2003           | 2002           |
| Discounts and overdraft                        | \$ 829,302     | \$ 681,554     |
| Loans  |                |                |
| Short-term —unsecured                          | 20,515,944     | 12,412,863     |
| —secured                                       | 6,194,683      | 9,355,912      |
| Midterm —unsecured                             | 16,360,641     | 16,790,863     |
| —secured                                       | 16,082,600     | 18,796,081     |
| Long-term —unsecured                           | 4,173,176      | 2,677,001      |
| —secured                                       | 52,060,734     | 42,629,481     |
| Bills purchased and import/export negotiations | 240,849        | 318,802        |
| Non-performing loans                           | 5,238,984      | 6,716,662      |
|  | 121,696,913    | 110,379,219    |
| Less: Allowance for credit losses              | 881,543        | 1,770,185      |
| Net  | \$ 120,815,370 | \$ 108,609,034 |

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the balances of non-accrual loans were \$5,238,984 and \$6,716,662, respectively. The unrecognized interest revenues on non-performing loans amounted to \$305,819 and \$423,095 for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

For the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002, credits written off had been subjected to legal proceedings before being written off.

The details and changes in allowance for credit losses of loans, discounts and bills purchased are summarized as follows:

|                                  | For the Year Ended December 31, 2003 |              |              |  |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--|
|                                  | Specific General                     |              |              |  |
|                                  | Provision                            | Provision    | Total        |  |
| Balance, beginning of year       | \$ 623,967                           | \$ 1,146,218 | \$ 1,770,185 |  |
| Provision                        | 442,750                              | -            | 442,750      |  |
| Write-off                        | (858,141)                            | -            | (858,141)    |  |
| Recovery of written-off credits  | 122,970                              | -            | 122,970      |  |
| Reclassifications                | 510,152                              | (1,104,939)  | (594,787)    |  |
| Effects of exchange rate changes | (1,434)                              |              | (1,434)      |  |
| Balance, end of year             | \$ 840,264                           | \$ 41,279    | \$ 881,543   |  |

|                                  | For the     | For the Year Ended December 31, 2002 |              |  |  |
|----------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|--|--|
|                                  | Specific    | Specific General                     |              |  |  |
|                                  | Provision   | Provision                            | Total        |  |  |
| Balance, beginning of year       | \$ 659,937  | \$ 556,824                           | \$ 1,216,761 |  |  |
| Provision                        | 2,177,498   | -                                    | 2,177,498    |  |  |
| Write-off                        | (1,344,253) | -                                    | (1,344,253)  |  |  |
| Recovery of written-off credits  | 50,223      | -                                    | 50,223       |  |  |
| Reclassifications                | (919,659)   | 589,394                              | (330,265)    |  |  |
| Effects of exchange rate changes | 221         | <u>-</u>                             | 221          |  |  |
| Balance, end of year             | \$ 623,967  | \$ 1,146,218                         | \$ 1,770,185 |  |  |

| . LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS                     | December 31  |         | ber 31       |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|
|   | 2003         | 3       | 2002         | 2       |
|   |              | Holding |              | Holding |
|   |              | Ratio   |              | Ratio   |
|   | Amount       | (%)     | Amount       | (%)     |
| Equity investments                          |              |         |              |         |
| Equity method                               |              |         |              |         |
| Union Bills Finance Corporation             | \$ 1,282,534 | 42.76   | \$ 1,055,988 | 42.76   |
| Union Finance and Leasing International     |              |         |              |         |
| Corporation                                 | 743,402      | 99.99   | 668,616      | 99.99   |
| Union Bank Futures Corporation              | 599,652      | 99.07   | 631,710      | 99.07   |
| Union Finance International (H.K.) Limited  | 195,543      | 99.99   | 185,995      | 99.99   |
| Union Information Technology Corporation    | 141,211      | 99.92   | 94,345       | 99.92   |
| Union Security Investment Trust Corporation | 118,620      | 35.00   | 109,292      | 35.00   |
| Union Insurance Broker Company              | 60,971       | 90.07   | 48,380       | 90.07   |
| Union Real-Estate Management Corporation    | 26,990       | 40.00   | 20,313       | 40.00   |
| Morgan Stanley Union Bank Asset             |              |         |              |         |
| Management Corporation                      | 13,730       | 49.00   | -            | -       |
| Union Securities Investment Consulting      |              |         |              |         |
| Company                                     | 9,026        | 99.40   | 8,293        | 99.40   |
|   | 3,191,679    |         | 2,822,932    |         |
| Cost method                                 |              |         |              |         |
| Entie Securities Finance Company            | 622,188      | 12.15   | 622,188      | 12.15   |
| Taiwan Asset Management Corporation         | 100,000      | 0.57    | 100,000      | 0.57    |
| Universal Venture Fund Inc.                 | 80,000       | 4.76    | 80,000       | 4.76    |
| Taiwan Financial Asset Service Corporation  | 50,000       | 2.94    | 50,000       | 2.94    |
| Financial Information Service Company       | 45,500       | 1.14    | 45,500       | 1.14    |
| Euroc III Venture Capital COT.              | 30,000       | 5.00    | 30,000       | 5.00    |
| NCTU Spring I Technology Venture Capital    |              |         |              |         |
| Investment Corporation                      | 21,615       | 5.00    | 21,615       | 5.00    |
| Debt Instrument Depository and Clearing     |              |         |              |         |
| Co., Taiwan                                 | 20,000       | 1.00    | -            | -       |
| Taiwan Future Exchange Corporation          | 10,250       | 0.51    | 10,250       | 0.51    |
| Taipei Forex Inc.                           | 800          | 0.40    | 800          | 0.40    |
|   | 980,353      |         | 960,353      | -       |
| Bond investments                            | 628,453      |         | -            |         |
|   | \$ 4,800,485 |         | \$ 3,783,285 |         |

The equity in net gain and net loss of investees accounted for by the equity method for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002 were \$390,359 and \$70,265, respectively, were based on the investees' 2003 and 2002 financial statements audited by auditors.

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the unrealized losses on equity-method investments due to decline in the market value of listed stocks held by the investees amounted to \$22,931 and \$42,670, respectively. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the cumulative translation adjustments amounted to \$31,580 and \$39,973 were resulted from the investee accounted for by the equity method, respectively.

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the Bank recognized \$535 as its equity in an investee's net loss not recognized as pension cost

The total assets or total operating revenues of the Bank's subsidiaries were individually less than 10% and collectively less than 30% of those of the Bank. Accordingly, the accounts of these subsidiaries were not included in consolidated financial statement.

| 10. PROPERTIES AND EQUIPMENT                    | Decem         | ber 31        |
|---|---------------|---------------|
|   | 2003          | 2002          |
| Cost  | \$ 3,908,584  | \$ 4,375,123  |
| Accumulated depreciation                        |               |               |
| Buildings and improvements                      | 97,652        | 83,662        |
| Office equipment                                | 845,484       | 749,494       |
| Transportation equipment                        | 105,065       | 96,199        |
| Leasehold improvements                          | 148,776       | 546,061       |
|   | 1,196,977     | 1,475,416     |
| Prepayments for equipment                       | 49,270        | 17,701        |
| Net   | \$ 2,760,877  | \$ 2,917,408  |
| 11. OTHER ASSETS                                | Decem         | ber 31        |
|   | 2003          | 2002          |
| Deferred loss from sale of non-performing loans | \$ 8,987,269  | \$ 7,522,042  |
| Collaterals assumed—net                         | 2,407,274     | 4,063,814     |
| Guarantee deposits                              | 1,281,370     | 1,345,124     |
| Deferred charges                                | 208,369       | 223,292       |
| Deferred tax assets—net                         | 314,511       | 382,179       |
|   | \$ 13,198,793 | \$ 13,536,451 |

In 2002, the Bank sold non-performing loans amounting to with carrying value of \$8,831,652 at the contract price of \$1,050, 000 to Taiwan Asset Management Corporation and recognized losses of \$7,781,652.

In 2003, the Bank sold non-performing loans amounting to with carrying value of \$3,449,041 at the contract price of \$117,069 to Morgan Stanley Union Bank Asset Management Corporation and recognized losses of \$3,331,972.

The above losses have been deferred and amortized over 60 months in accordance with the Financial Institution Consolidation Law. The remaining unamortized balance was recorded as other assets.

Had the above loss not been deferred, the net income would have decreased by \$1,470,328 for the year ended December 31, 2003, and the balances of the other assets and unappropriated earnings would have decreased by \$8,987,269 as of December 31, 2003. As of December 31, 2003, the total contract price \$87,802 had not been paid.

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| 12. CALL LOANS AND DUE TO BANKS                | Decem          | ber 31         |
|--|----------------|----------------|
|  | 2003           | 2002           |
| Call loans from banks                          | \$ 3,944,382   | \$ 374,833     |
| Due to the Central Bank and other banks        | 1,786,482      | 1,098,373      |
| Overdraft                                      | 101,271        | 126,459        |
|  | \$ 5,832,135   | \$ 1,599,665   |
| 13. PAYABLES AND ADVANCE RECEIPTS              | Decem          | ber 31         |
|  | 2003           | 2002           |
| Advance receipts                               | \$ 953,792     | \$ 560,557     |
| Notes and checks in clearing                   | 722,632        | 729,108        |
| Interest payable                               | 679,877        | 973,316        |
| Accrued expenses                               | 387,023        | 306,132        |
| Bank acceptances payable                       | 320,068        | 423,419        |
| Notes and checks in clearing—branches          | 235,255        | 609,693        |
| Other  | 916,260        | 866,078        |
|  | \$ 4,214,907   | \$ 4,468,303   |
| 14. DEPOSITS AND REMITTANCES                   | Decem          | ber 31         |
|  | 2003           | 2002           |
| Savings  | \$ 90,875,581  | \$ 83,044,922  |
| Time   | 38,822,595     | 32,400,869     |
| Due to the Postal Remittances and Savings Bank | 19,390,822     | 18,481,185     |
| Demand   | 15,569,431     | 12,405,038     |
| Negotiable certificates of deposit             | 7,013,400      | 2,018,700      |
| Checking                                       | 1,831,971      | 1,597,352      |
| Inward and outward remittances                 | 15,039         | 10,755         |
|  | \$ 173,518,839 | \$ 149,958,821 |

#### 15. BANK DEBENTURES

On November 14, 2002, the Bank made a first issue of 5-year debentures with a total face amount of \$3,500,000 bearing 3.8% fixed annual interest rate. The debentures were traded on the OTC exchange. Interest is payable semiannually and the principal is repayable on the maturity date.

#### 16. STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

#### a. Capital surplus

Under the Company Law, capital surplus from the issuance of shares in excess of par value and donation may be transferred to common stock with the stockholders' approval.

Capital surplus from the issuance of shares in excess of par value may except in the year it arises, be distributed as stock dividends. Such distribution can be made within specified limits each year. These restrictions are based on regulations issued by the Securities and Futures Commission (the SFC).

Capital surplus from equity-method investments may not be distributed for any purpose.

#### b. Retained earnings

The Bank's Articles of Incorporation provide that annual net income less any prior years' deficit should be appropriated as follows:

- 1) 30% as legal reserve;
- 2) Special reserve, as deemed proper;
- 3) Dividends;
- 4) The remainder:
- a) Employees bonus of at least 10%;
- b) Retained earnings, as deemed proper;
- c) The remainder, together with prior year's unappropriated earnings: 95% as bonus to stockholders and 5% as bonus to directors and supervisors.

These appropriations should be resolved by the stockholders in the following year and given effect to in the financial statements of that year.

The board of directors (BOD) decides the appropriation and distribution of cash and stock dividends, taking into account the Bank's overall financial and economic condition, future profitability and capital expenditure requirements. In view of the Bank's needs for capital to expand its operations and in order to meet capital adequacy ratios, primarily cash dividends will be declared in the next three years, with the related proposal to be submitted for approval in the stockholders' meeting. After the stockholders' approval, the declaration of stock dividend needs further approval by the SFC.

In their June 17, 2002 meeting, the stockholders approved to appropriate a legal reserve (\$20,924) from the 2001 earnings and reserved the remainder for future appropriation.

In their May 27, 2003 meeting, the stockholders approved the offset of a deficit of \$1,304,491 against legal reserve. Such deficit reimbursement is not available for distribution of employees bonus and remunerations to directors and supervisors. Information on appropriations may be accessed online through the Market Observation Post System (M.O.P.S.) Web site of the Taiwan Stock Exchange.

Under a SFC directive, a special reserve is appropriated from retained earnings at an amount equal to the debit balance of an account in stockholders' equity, such as unrealized loss on long-term equity investments and cumulative translation adjustment but excluding treasury stock. The balance of the special reserve is adjusted to reflect any changes in the debit balances of the related account.

Under the Company Law, legal reserve should be appropriated until the reserve equals the Bank's paid-in capital. This reserve is only used to offset deficit. When the reserve reaches 50% of the Bank's paid-in capital, up to 50% thereof may be capitalized. In addition, the Banking Law provides that, the balance of legal reserve is less than the Bank's paid-in capital stock, annual cash dividends and bonuses to directors, bonus to supervisors and employees should not exceed 15% of the Bank's paid-in capital.

Under the Integrated Income Tax System, non-corporate and ROC-resident stockholders are allowed tax credits for the income tax paid by the Bank on earnings generated from 1998.

(Shares in Thousands)

#### 17. TREASURY STOCK

|                         | Beginning |          |          | End of |
|-------------------------|-----------|----------|----------|--------|
| Reasons for Redemption  | of Year   | Increase | Decrease | Year   |
| 2003                    |           |          |          |        |
| Reissuance to employees | 45,237    | -        | 26,146   | 19,091 |
| 2002                    |           |          |          |        |
| Reissuance to employees | 45,237    | -        | -        | 45,237 |

Under the Securities and Exchange Law, the Bank should not acquire treasury stock in excess of 10% of the total shares issued and the total acquisition cost should not exceed the sum of the retained earnings, paid-in capital in excess of par value, and capital surplus arising from gains on disposal of properties and donated capital. The Bank is prohibited from using the treasury stock to secure any of its obligations and to exercise stockholder's rights on those stocks.

For each of the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002, the highest number of treasury shares held by the Bank was 45,237, 000 shares, and the highest balance of treasury stock was \$295,262.

Of the shares repurchased, 26,146,000 shares were reissued to employees in November 2003.

#### 18. PENSION

The Bank has a defined benefit non-contributory pension plan covering all regular employees. The Bank makes monthly contributions to the pension fund, which is managed by the employees' pension fund administrative committee and the supervisory committee of labor retirement reserve.

The changes in the pension fund are summarized as follows:

|                            | For the Year Ended December 31 |            |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|
|                            | 2003                           | 2002       |
| Balance, beginning of year | \$ 313,779                     | \$ 274,159 |
| Contributions              | 40,535                         | 34,671     |
| Interest income            | 4,495                          | 6,693      |
| Benefits paid              | (9,788)                        | (1,744)    |
| Balance, end of year       | \$ 349,021                     | \$ 313,779 |

a. Net pension costs for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002 are summarized below:



|                                | For the Year Ended December 31 |           |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|
|                                | 2003                           | 2002      |
| Service cost                   | \$ 42,507                      | \$ 39,115 |
| Interest cost                  | 11,636                         | 13,381    |
| Actual return on assets        | (\$7,662)                      | (\$3,439) |
| Deferred assets gains          | (5,146)                        | (11,064)  |
| Expected return on plan assets | ( 12,808 )                     | (14,503)  |
| Net amortization and deferral  | (519)                          | (519)     |
| Net pension cost               | \$ 40,816                      | \$ 37,474 |

b. The reconciliation of the funded status of the plan and accrued pension cost as of December 31, 2003 and 2002 is as follows:

|  | D           | December 31 |
|--|-------------|-------------|
|  | 2003        | 2002        |
| Benefit obligation                               |             |             |
| Vested benefit obligation                        | \$ 40,431   | \$ 31,113   |
| Non-vested benefit obligation                    | 211,287     | 167,040     |
| Accumulated benefit obligation                   | 251,718     | 198,153     |
| Additional benefits based on future salaries     | 100,065     | 98,652      |
| Projected benefit obligation                     | 351,783     | 296,805     |
| Fair value of plan assets                        | ( 346,503 ) | (311,014)   |
| Funded status                                    | 5,280       | ( 14,209 )  |
| Unrecognized net transitional obligation         | -           | -           |
| Unrecognized prior service cost                  | 8,556       | 9,075       |
| Unrecognized pension gain (loss)                 | (7,838)     | 10,914      |
| Accrued pension cost                             | \$ 5,998    | \$ 5,780    |
|  |             |             |
| c. Vested benefits obligation                    | \$ 45,261   | \$ 35,751   |
|  |             |             |
| d. Actuarial assumptions                         |             |             |
| Discount rate used in determining present values | 3.5%        | 4.0%        |
| Future salary increase rate                      | 0-2.5%      | 0-3.0%      |
| Expected rate of return on plan assets           | 3.5%        | 4.0%        |

19. OPERATING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES For the Year Ended December 31 2003 2002 Personnel expenses \$ 1,274,797 \$ 1,103,272 Salaries and wages 399,278 314,619 89,938 Bonus and rewards 111,421 Labor insurance and national health insurance 40,815 34,870 Pension 10,738 10,877 Other Rental 415,742 414,207 Advertisement 338,838 272,965 Promotion 282,599 191,982 Taxes other than income tax 233,337 245,505 Depreciation 211,438 216,269 Postage 210,790 169,969 Repair and maintenance 81,236 66,369 Insurance 76,561 58,009 Amortization 60,417 59,730 Professional service charges 10,906 14,273 Other 1,150,990 952,630 \$ 4,925,438 \$ 4,199,949

#### 20. INCOME TAX

a. The components of income tax were as follows:

| ·  | For the Year Ended December 31 |             |  |
|--|--------------------------------|-------------|--|
|  | 2003                           | 2002        |  |
| Income tax on income (loss) before income tax at 25% |                                |             |  |
| statutory rate                                       | \$ 367,508                     | (\$357,179) |  |
| Separate tax on interest income on short-term bills  | (3,484)                        | (12,189)    |  |
| Loss (income) on sale of securities                  | ( 38,783 )                     | 966         |  |
| Tax on unappropriated retained earnings (10%)        | 40,981                         | -           |  |
| Investment tax credit                                | ( 20,490 )                     | (13,377)    |  |
| Loss carryforward                                    | -                              | (38,116)    |  |
| Other  | ( 325,241 )                    | 419,895     |  |
| Current tax payable                                  | 20,491                         | -           |  |
| Change in deferred income tax                        | 67,668                         | (80,709)    |  |
| Prior year's income tax                              | 47,029                         | (35,482)    |  |
| Separate tax on interest income on short-term bills  | 13,937                         | 48,758      |  |
|  | \$ 149,125                     | (\$67,433)  |  |

b. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, net deferred income tax consisted of the tax effects of the following:

|   | Decem      | ber 31     |
|---|------------|------------|
|   | 2003       | 2002       |
| Provision for credit losses                               | \$ 62,407  | \$ 383,008 |
| Loss carryforwards  | 512,017    | 283,585    |
| Unrealized loss on collaterals assumed                    | 69,996     | 89,996     |
| Unrealized foreign exchange loss (gain)                   | (72,156)   | 10,646     |
| Provision for default reserve                             | 7,471      | 6,797      |
| Investment tax credit                                     | 14,143     | 3,052      |
| Equity in net income of equity-method investee            | ( 15,461 ) | (12,726)   |
|   | 578,417    | 764,358    |
| Allowance for valuation of deferred income tax assets     | 263,906    | 382,179    |
|   |            |            |
| Net deferred income tax assets (included in other assets) | \$ 314,511 | \$ 382,179 |

The loss carryforwards and investment tax credits as of December 31, 2003 may be used to reduce the Bank's taxable income until 2008.

c. The related information under the Integrated Income Tax System is as follows:

|   | Decemb     | er 31      |
|---|------------|------------|
|   | 2003       | 2002       |
| Balances of the imputation credit account | \$ 325,647 | \$ 296,046 |

As of December 31, 2003, the Bank had no earnings available for distribution, thus a creditable tax ratio was not estimated. The Bank's income tax returns through 2000 had been examined and cleared by the tax authorities.

In December 2003, the tax authorities and the Bank reached a compromise on a certain lawsuit about withholding tax. Under the compromise agreement, the Bank will get a 65% refund on the withholding tax for the years before 2002. Thus the Bank recognized an income tax expense \$46,804 for the unrefunded 35% of the tax. The Bank also accrued a related income tax expense for 2003.

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#### 21. EARNINGS (LOSS) PER SHARE

The numerators and denominators used in computing earnings (loss) per share are summarized as follows:

|                      | Numerator (Amounts) |               | Denominator<br>(Shares in | Earnings (Loss) Per Share (NT\$) |           |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|
|                      | Pretax              | After Tax     | Thousands)                | Pretax                           | After Tax |
| For the year ended   |                     |               |                           |                                  |           |
| December 31, 2003    |                     |               |                           |                                  |           |
| Basic EPS            |                     |               |                           |                                  |           |
| Net income of common |                     |               |                           |                                  |           |
| stockholders         | \$ 1,470,073        | \$ 1,320,948  | 1,447,128                 | \$ 1.02                          | \$ 0.91   |
| For the year ended   |                     |               |                           |                                  |           |
| December 31, 2002    |                     |               |                           |                                  |           |
| Basic EPS            |                     |               |                           |                                  |           |
| Net loss of common   |                     |               |                           |                                  |           |
| stockholders         | (\$1,428,718)       | (\$1,361,285) | 1,443,689                 | (\$0.99)                         | (\$0.94)  |

#### 22. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Bank's related parties were as follows:

a. Related parties

| Name   | Relationship with the Bank                     |
|--|--|
| Yu-Pang Co., Ltd. (Yu-Pang)                                | A director                                     |
| Yong-Xuan Co., Ltd. (Yong-Xuan)                            | Its chairman is the representative of the Bank |
| Hung-Kou Construction Inc., Ltd. (Hung-Kou)                | Its chairman is a second-degree relative of    |
| Union Enterprise Construction Co., Ltd.                    | the Bank's director                            |
| (UECC)   | Its chairman is the representative of the Bank |
| Union Bills Finance Corporation (UBF)                      | Equity-method investee                         |
| Union Finance and Leasing International Corporation(UFLIC) | Subsidiary                                     |
| Morgan Stanley Union Bank Assets                           | Equity-method investee                         |
| Management Corporation (MSUB AMC)                          |  |
| Union Securities Investment Trust Corporation (USITC)      | Equity-method investee                         |
| Other  | Directors, supervisors, managers, their        |
|  | relatives and affiliates. Related parties      |
|  | with the Bank had no transactions in 2003      |
|  | and 2002 are shown in Table 5 (attached).      |

#### b. Significant transactions with related parties:

1) Loans

|             | Decemb       | er 31 | Int          | erest Revenue  |      |
|-------------|--------------|-------|--------------|----------------|------|
|             | Amount       | %     | Rate         | Amount         | %    |
| 2003        | \$ 4,401,190 | 3.62  | 0-11.75%     | \$ 78,028      | 0.89 |
| 2002        | 2,293,281    | 2.08  | 2.45%-11.75% | 38,540         | 0.45 |
| 2) Deposits | Decemb       | er 31 | Int          | terest Expense |      |
|             | Amount       | %     | Rate         | Amount         | %    |
| 2003        | \$ 3,720,361 | 3.80  | 0-7.40%      | \$ 52,262      | 1.98 |
| 2002        | 3,776,580    | 2.52  | 0-13.00%     | 98,617         | 2.46 |

#### 3) Guarantees and letters of credit

|      | Decem      | per 31 |
|------|------------|--------|
|      | Amount     | %      |
| 2003 | \$ 218,944 | 2.72   |
| 2002 | 447,336    | 4.80   |

#### 4) Due from banks—UBF

|      | Highest Balance | Balance as of |             | Interest |
|------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|----------|
|      | During the Year | December 31   | Rate        | Revenue  |
| 2003 | \$ 500,000      | \$ -          | 0.70%-1.50% | \$ 621   |
| 2002 | 300,000         | -             | 1.45%-2.40% | 472      |

#### 5) Call loans—UBF

|      | Highest Balance | Balance as of |             | Interest |
|------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|----------|
|      | During the Year | December 31   | Rate        | Expense  |
| 2003 | \$ 628,000      | \$ 57,000     | 0.68%-1.20% | \$ 435   |
| 2002 | 1,018,000       | _             | 1.35%-2.30% | 1,012    |

#### 6) Securities purchased/sold under agreements to resell/repurchase

|                            | December 31 |              |              |             |  |
|----------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--|
|                            | 2003        |              | 2            | 002         |  |
|                            | Amount      | Rate         | Amount       | Rate        |  |
| Securities purchased under |             |              |              |             |  |
| agreements to resell       | \$ 376,788  | 1.05%-1.085% | \$ 8,466,183 | 1.275%-2.0% |  |
| Securities sold under      |             |              |              |             |  |
| agreements to repurchase   | -           | -            | 24,756       | 1.2%        |  |

#### 7) Securities brokerage fees

|      | For the Years Ended December 31 |         |  |
|------|---------------------------------|---------|--|
|      | Amount                          | <u></u> |  |
| 2003 | \$ 4,062                        | 3.77    |  |
| 2002 | 4,414                           | 3.06    |  |

#### 8) Property transaction

The Bank's Board of Directors resolved to sell to Yong-Xuan the land located in Taipei's Neihu District for \$243,243 and recognized a gain of \$62,759. The Bank had been fully paid and the transfer process was completed in March 2003.

#### 9) Consulting and advisory contract

The Bank and UFLIC entered into a consulting and advisory contract, expiring in 2004. UFLIC's services under this contract are consulting on car loan operations, marketing, car loan management, collection of overdue loans, etc. The consulting fees and related expenses paid for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002 were \$399,944 and \$313,411, respectively, and the accrued expenses as of December 31, 2003 and 2002 were \$40,275 and \$30,842, respectively.

#### 10) Leases

#### a) The Bank as lessee

Under operating lease agreements with terms between one year and seven years, the Bank rents from related parties office spaces for the Head Office, Trust, International Banking, Consumer Banking Dept., Security Finance Dept., Credit Card Dept. and four branches. Rentals are payable quarterly, with some contracts allowing placement with the lessor of lease deposits with the lessor in lieu of rental payments. Rental expenses were as follows:

|             | Lease Deposit |       | Rental Ex  | pense |
|-------------|---------------|-------|------------|-------|
|             | Amount        | %     | Amount     | %     |
| <u>2003</u> |               |       |            |       |
| Hung-Kuo    | \$ 231,775    | 26.55 | \$ 127,587 | 30.69 |
| Yu-Pang     | 454,220       | 52.02 | 15,287     | 3.68  |
| UECC        | 3,684         | 0.42  | 7,787      | 1.82  |
| Yong-Xuan   | 414           | 0.05  | 1,745      | 0.42  |
| UFLIC       | 66            | 0.01  | 265        | 0.06  |
| 2002        |               |       |            |       |
| Hung-Kuo    | 231,775       | 17.23 | 128,777    | 36.21 |
| Yu-Pang     | 454,355       | 33.78 | 15,909     | 4.47  |
| UECC        | 3,684         | 0.27  | 7,801      | 2.19  |
| Yong-Xuan   | 414           | 0.03  | 728        | 0.20  |
| UFLIC       | 66            | -     | 55         | 0.02  |

#### b) The Bank as lessor

The Bank's Tauring Branch has leased part of its office premises to UFLIC since December 1999. The lease term is five years, with a monthly rental of \$75. The leasing revenues received for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002 were \$913 and \$923, respectively.

#### 11) Other receivable

The Bank bought the Bao-Xiang Company's \$12,306 debt from UBF to strengthen the creditor's right on this debt. The Bank also assumed the related collateral, with appraisal value of \$15,000. As of December 31, 2003, the Bank had received \$6,382 from the disposal of part of this collateral.

#### 12) The sale of non-performing loans and assuming of related collateral

The Bank sold to MSUB AMC part of its non-performing loans and related collateral assumed, which amounted to \$205, 849. Of this amount, \$154,387 had not been paid as of December 31, 2003.

#### 13) Securities purchased

For the year ended December 31, 2003, the Bank bought 29,158,548 units of beneficiary certificates amounting to \$241, 251, which was collected by USITC.

Under the Banking Law, except for customer loans, credits extended by the Bank to any related party should be fully secured, and the terms of credits extended to related parties should be similar to those for third parties.

The terms of transactions with related parties are similar to those for third parties, except for the more favorable interest rate for employees' savings within a prescribed limit.

#### 23. PLEDGED ASSETS

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, negotiable certificates of deposit, government bonds and bank debentures, which amounted to \$955,400 and \$1,317,700, respectively, had been provided to the courts, the Central Trust Bureau and the Central Bank as guarantee deposits on provisional seizures against the debtors' properties, as reserve of credit card receivables, as guarantee deposits on bills finance operations, and as trust reserve. In addition, negotiable certificates of deposit aggregating \$2,300,000 and 2,570,000 had been provided to the Central Bank as collateral for the day-time overdraft as of December 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

#### 24. CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

Financial instruments, contingencies and commitments of the Bank, in addition to those disclosed in Note 28, are summarized as follows:

#### a. Operating leases

The Bank rents several office premises for its branches under operating leases ranging from 2 to 10 years. Rentals are payable monthly, quarterly or annually. For the Nanking E. Rd., San Chung, Tainan and Nankan branches, lease deposits are made in lieu of lease payments, and rental expenses are recognized at imputed interests of 1.4%. Future minimum

| Year | Amount     |
|------|------------|
| 2004 | \$ 290,476 |
| 2005 | 201,503    |
| 2006 | 76,605     |
| 2007 | 45,642     |
| 2008 | 17,890     |

lease payments are as follows:

Total rentals beyond 2008 amounting to \$7,300, the present value of which is about \$6,740 as discounted at the Bank's one-year time deposit interest rate of 1.4% on January 1, 2004.

#### b. Computer equipment purchase contracts

The Bank has entered into contracts to buy computer equipment and software for \$144,867, of which \$93,299 had been paid as of December 31, 2003.

- c. Short-term bills and bonds sold under agreements to repurchase
  - As of December 31, 2003, short-term bills and bonds with a total cost of \$3,304,600 were sold under agreements to repurchase at \$3,902,246 between January and May of 2004.
- d. Short-term bills and bonds purchased under agreements to resell
  - As of December 31, 2003, short-term bills and bonds with a total cost of \$6,644,200 were purchased under agreements to resell at \$6,678,170 around January 2004.
- e. As of December 31, 2003, the Bank had issued a US\$3,800 standby letter of credit to guarantee the credit line of Union Finance International (H.K.) Limited, an equity-method investee.
- f. Balance sheet and trust properties of trust accounts

# Balance Sheet of Trust Accounts December 31, 2003

| Trust Assets      | Amount       | Trust Liabilities       | Amount       |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| Bank deposits     | \$ 10,091    | Trust capital           | \$ 9,351,869 |
| Mutual funds      | 9,313,194    | Net income              | 158          |
| Real estate—land  | 28,742       |                         |              |
| Total trust assts | \$ 9,352,027 | Total trust liabilities | \$ 9,352,027 |

# Trust Properties of Trust Accounts December 31, 2003

| Investment Portfolio                | Amount       |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| Demand deposits                     | \$ 10,091    |
| Short-term investments—mutual funds | 9,313,194    |
| Real estate—land                    | 28,742       |
|                                     | \$ 9,352,027 |

#### 25. CAPITAL ADEQUACY RATIO

The Banking law and related regulations require that the Bank maintains a capital adequacy ratio (CAR) of at least 8%. If the Bank's CAR falls below 8%, the MOF may impose certain restrictions on the cash dividends that the Bank may declare or, in certain conditions, totally prohibit the Bank from declaring cash dividends.

As of December 31, 2003, the Bank's stand-alone and consolidated CARS were 10.29% and 11.76%, respectively.

As of December 31, 2002, the Bank's stand-alone and consolidated CARS were 12.62% and 13.01%, respectively.

26. AVERAGE AMOUNT AND AVERAGE INTEREST RATE OF INTEREST-EARNING ASSETS AND INTEREST-BEARING LIABILITIES Average balance is calculated by the daily average balance of interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities.

|  | For the Year Ended December 31 |          |              |                 |  |
|--|--------------------------------|----------|--------------|-----------------|--|
|  | 200                            | 03       | 200          | 02              |  |
|  | Average                        | Average  | Average      | Average         |  |
|  | Amount                         | Rate (%) | Amount       | <b>Rate (%)</b> |  |
| <u>Assets</u>                              |                                |          |              |                 |  |
| Cash—negotiable certificates of deposit    | \$ 6,752,226                   | 1.35     | \$ 4,513,954 | 1.95            |  |
| Due from banks                             | 2,420,480                      | 1.36     | 2,602,681    | 2.08            |  |
| Due from the Central Bank                  | 6,596,184                      | 1.31     | 6,546,687    | 1.29            |  |
| Securities purchased                       | 10,941,251                     | 3.50     | 13,901,135   | 0.97            |  |
| Loans, discounts and bills purchased       | 113,582,214                    | 4.97     | 120,030,969  | 5.55            |  |
| <u>Liabilities</u>                         |                                |          |              |                 |  |
| Call loans and due to banks                | 4,048,795                      | 1.24     | 4,175,965    | 2.45            |  |
| Demand                                     | 12,300,579                     | 0.34     | 10,044,301   | 0.86            |  |
| Savings                                    | 27,757,857                     | 0.84     | 24,653,437   | 1.89            |  |
| Time                                       | 32,336,924                     | 1.52     | 34,516,449   | 2.42            |  |
| Due to postal remittances and savings bank | 18,516,098                     | 1.82     | 18,145,183   | 2.83            |  |
| Time-savings                               | 58,745,809                     | 2.03     | 57,814,803   | 3.12            |  |
| Negotiable certificates of deposit         | 4,403,667                      | 1.12     | 4,402,083    | 3.02            |  |
| Bank debentures                            | 3,500,000                      | 3.80     | 3,500,000    | 3.80            |  |
| Darik acpentares                           | 3,300,000                      | 3.00     | 3,300,000    | 5.00            |  |

#### 27. MATURITY ANALYSIS OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The maturity of assets and liabilities of the Bank is based on the remaining period from balance sheet dates. The remaining period to maturity is based on maturity dates specified under agreements, and, if there are no specified maturity dates, on expected dates of collection.

|                                      | December 31, 2003 |            |    |              |    |             |                   |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|------------|----|--------------|----|-------------|-------------------|
|                                      |                   |            | D  | ue Between   |    |             |                   |
|                                      |                   | Due in     | C  | One Year and |    | Due After   |                   |
|                                      |                   | One Year   | ;  | Seven Years  |    | Seven Years | <br>Total         |
| <u>Assets</u>                        |                   |            |    |              |    |             |                   |
| Cash                                 | \$                | 11,236,929 | \$ | -            | \$ | -           | \$<br>11,236,929  |
| Due from banks                       |                   | 2,109,800  |    | -            |    | -           | 2,109,800         |
| Due from the Central Bank            |                   | 8,116,063  |    | -            |    | -           | 8,116,063         |
| Securities purchased                 |                   | 11,784,301 |    | -            |    | -           | 11,784,301        |
| Receivables                          |                   | 30,069,172 |    | -            |    | -           | 30,069,172        |
| Loans, discounts and bills purchased |                   | 33,378,549 |    | 34,127,970   |    | 54,190,394  | 121,696,913       |
|                                      | \$                | 96,694,814 | \$ | 34,127,970   | \$ | 54,190,394  | \$<br>185,013,178 |

|                               | December 31, 2003 |             |    |             |      |          |    |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|----|-------------|------|----------|----|-------------|
|                               |                   | Due Between |    |             |      |          |    |             |
|                               |                   | Due in      | О  | ne Year and | Du   | e After  |    |             |
|                               |                   | One Year    | S  | even Years  | Seve | en Years |    | Total       |
| <u>Liabilities</u>            |                   |             |    |             |      |          |    | _           |
| Call loans and due to banks   | \$                | 5,832,135   | \$ | -           | \$   | -        | \$ | 5,832,135   |
| Payables and advance receipts |                   | 4,214,907   |    | -           |      | -        |    | 4,214,907   |
| Deposits and remittances      |                   | 167,513,165 |    | 6,005,674   |      | -        |    | 173,518,839 |
| Bank debentures               |                   | -           | _  | 3,500,000   |      | -        |    | 3,500,000   |
|                               | \$                | 177,560,207 | \$ | 9,505,674   | \$   | -        | \$ | 187,065,881 |
|                               |                   |             |    |             |      |          |    |             |

|                                      | December 31, 2002 |             |    |              |                  |    |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|----|--------------|------------------|----|-------------|
|                                      |                   |             |    | Due Between  |                  |    |             |
|                                      |                   | Due in      | C  | One Year and | Due After        |    |             |
|                                      |                   | One Year    |    | Seven Years  | Seven Years      |    | Total       |
| <u>Assets</u>                        |                   |             |    |              |                  |    |             |
| Cash                                 | \$                | 7,697,876   | \$ | -            | \$<br>-          | \$ | 7,697,876   |
| Due from banks                       |                   | 1,737,517   |    | -            | -                |    | 1,737,517   |
| Due from the Central Bank            |                   | 7,016,016   |    | -            | -                |    | 7,016,016   |
| Securities purchased                 |                   | 11,156,617  |    | -            | -                |    | 11,156,617  |
| Receivables                          |                   | 19,840,277  |    | -            | -                |    | 19,840,277  |
| Loans, discounts and bills purchased |                   | 31,239,037  |    | 35,846,923   | 43,293,259       |    | 110,379,219 |
|                                      | \$                | 78,687,340  | \$ | 35,846,923   | \$<br>43,293,259 | \$ | 157,827,522 |
| <u>Liabilities</u>                   |                   |             |    |              |                  |    |             |
| Call loans and due to banks          | \$                | 1,599,665   | \$ | -            | \$<br>-          | \$ | 1,599,665   |
| Payables and advance receipts        |                   | 4,468,303   |    | -            | -                |    | 4,468,303   |
| Deposits and remittances             |                   | 145,154,195 |    | 4,804,626    | -                |    | 149,958,821 |
| Bank debentures                      |                   | -           |    | 3,500,000    | -                |    | 3,500,000   |
|                                      | \$                | 151,222,163 | \$ | 8,304,626    | \$<br>-          | \$ | 159,526,789 |

#### 28. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

#### a. Derivative financial instruments

The Bank engages in derivative transactions mainly to accommodate customers' needs and to manage its own exposures. It also enters into derivative transactions to hedge the effects of foreign exchange or interest rate fluctuations on its foreign-currency net assets, net liabilities or commitments. The Bank's strategy is to hedge most of its market risk exposures, using hedging instruments with changes in market value having a highly negative correlation with the changes in the market value of the hedged items. The Bank also assesses the hedging effectiveness of the instruments periodically.

The Bank is exposed to credit risk from counter-parties' default on contracts. The Bank enters into contracts with customers that pass the credit approval process and provide the necessary collateral. Guarantee deposits may also be required, depending on the customer's credit standing. The transactions are then made within each customer's credit limit. Transactions with other banks are made within the trading limit prescribed for each bank based on the bank's credit rating and its worldwide ranking. Thus, no significant losses resulting from counter-parties' defaults are anticipated.

The contract (notional) amounts, credit risk and fair values of open contracts were as follows:

|                               | December 31, 2003   |             |            | December 31, 2002      |             |             |  |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|-------------|------------|------------------------|-------------|-------------|--|
|                               | Contract (Notional) |             |            | Contract<br>(Notional) |             |             |  |
| Financial Instruments         | Amount              | Credit Risk | Fair Value | Amount                 | Credit Risk | Fair Value  |  |
| For nontrading purposes:      |                     |             |            |                        |             |             |  |
| Asset swap contracts          | \$ 93,495           | \$ 18,539   | \$ 18,536  | \$ 582,565             | \$ 11,317   | (\$124,271) |  |
| Interest rate swap contracts  | -                   | -           | -          | 173,900                | -           | (65,647)    |  |
| For accommodating customers'  |                     |             |            |                        |             |             |  |
| needs and managing the Bank's |                     |             |            |                        |             |             |  |
| exposures:                    |                     |             |            |                        |             |             |  |
| Forward contracts             | 9,199,343           | 550         | (1,094)    | 5,045,718              | 1,679       | (22,175)    |  |
| Currency swap contracts       | 9,007,278           | 66,589      | 50,411     | 5,047,335              | 41,733      | 35,250      |  |

The fair value of each contract is determined using the quotation from Reuters or the Telerate Information system.

The principal mounts in certain derivative contracts are only notional amounts, i.e., used solely as a basis for calculating the receivable and payable on the contracts and are not exchanged at the start or end of a contract. Thus, the notional amount does not represent potential cash inflows or outflows. The possibility that derivative financial instruments held or issued by the Bank cannot be sold at a reasonable price is minimal, thus, no significant cash demand is expected.

The gains and losses on derivative financial instruments for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002 were not significant.

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#### b. Fair values of nonderivative financial instruments

|  | December 31, 2003 |                | Decembe        | er 31, 2002    |
|--|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|  | Carrying          |                | Carrying       |                |
|  | Amount            | Fair Value     | Amount         | Fair Value     |
| <u>Assets</u>                          |                   |                |                |                |
| Financial assets—with fair values      |                   |                |                |                |
| approximating carrying amounts         | \$ 177,570,221    | \$ 177,570,221 | \$ 148,967,261 | \$ 148,967,261 |
| Securities purchased—net               | 11,720,130        | 11,720,130     | 10,822,743     | 10,822,743     |
| <u>Liabilities</u>                     |                   |                |                |                |
| Financial liabilities—with fair values |                   |                |                |                |
| approximating carrying amounts         | 182,813,822       | 182,813,822    | 155,626,481    | 155,626,481    |
| Bank debentures                        | 3,500,000         | 3,575,786      | 3,500,000      | 3,499,965      |

Methods and assumptions applied in estimating the fair values of nonderivative financial instruments are as follows:

- 1) The carrying amounts of cash, due from banks, due from the Central Bank, receivables, call loans and due to banks and payables approximate their fair values because of the short maturities of these instruments.
- 2) The fair values of securities purchased, bond investments and bank debentures issued are based on their market prices if market prices are available. Otherwise, fair values are estimated at carrying amounts.
- 3) The fair values of long-term equity investments are based on their quoted market prices if these prices are available and on carrying amounts if market prices are not available.
- 4) Loans, discounts and bills purchased, deposits and remittances and loan fund liabilities are interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities. Thus, their carrying amounts represent fair values. Fair value of nonperforming loans is based on carrying amounts net of allowance for credit losses.
- 5) Fair values of refundable deposits and guarantee deposits are based on their carrying amounts because these deposits do not have specific due dates.

Certain financial instruments and all nonfinancial instruments are excluded from disclosure of fair value. Accordingly, the aggregate fair values presented above are not the underlying value of the Bank.

#### c. Off-balance-sheet credit risks

The Bank has significant credit commitments principally relating to credit cards issued and credit facilities extended. The terms of most of the credit commitments range from one year to seven years. For the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2002, the loan interest rates ranged from 3.33% to 15.11% and 0.18% to 17.02%, respectively, and the highest interest rate for credit cards was 19.71%. The Bank also provided guarantees on customers' loans and letters of credit obtained from third parties. The maturity dates of these commitments are not concentrated in a particular period.

The amounts of financial contracts with off-balance-sheet credit risks as of December 31, 2003 and 2002 were as follows:

|  | December 31 |             |  |    |             |
|--|-------------|-------------|--|----|-------------|
|  |             | 2003        |  |    | 2002        |
| Irrevocable loan commitments                 | \$          | 153,000     |  | \$ | 201,245     |
| Credit commitments for credit cards          | !           | 535,569,632 |  | 2  | 229,335,524 |
| Guarantees and issuance of letters of credit |             | 8.040.725   |  |    | 9.310.954   |

Since most of the commitments are expected to expire without being drawn upon, the total commitment amounts do not necessarily represent future cash requirements. The Bank's maximum credit risk on these commitments is the amount of the commitment assuming that the customer uses the full amount of the commitment and the related collateral or other security turns out to be worthless.

The Bank makes credit commitments and issues financial guarantees and standby letters of credit only after careful evaluation of customers' credit worthiness. On the basis of the result of the credit evaluation, the Bank may require collateral before allowing drawings to be made against the credit facilities. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, secured loans amounted to about 64.66% and 68.92%, respectively, of the total loans. In addition, the coverage ratios of guarantees and standby letters of credit secured by collaterals were 43.43% and 48.70% as of December 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively. Collaterals held vary but may include real estate, cash, inventory, marketable securities, and other property.

If the customers default, the Bank will, as required by circumstances, foreclose the collateral or execute other rights on the guarantees given. For credit card facilities, no collateral is required but the credit status of each credit cardholder is closely monitored.

Depending on the results of the credit status monitoring, appropriate measures are adopted, which include amending the credit limit and, if necessary, canceling the facility.

#### 29. CREDIT RISK CONCENTRATION

Credit risk concentrations exist when the financial instrument counter-parties are individuals or groups engaged in similar activities or activities in the same region, which would cause their ability to meet contractual obligations to be similarly affected by changes in economic or other conditions. Credit risk concentration involved individuals and certain industries, which accounted for 8% or more of the outstanding loans, discounts and bills purchased as of December 31, 2003 and 2002, as follows:

|                        | 2003          | 2003  |               |       |
|------------------------|---------------|-------|---------------|-------|
|                        | Amount        | %     | Amount        | %     |
| Individuals            | \$ 75,742,301 | 62.24 | \$ 63,886,468 | 57.88 |
| Manufacturing industry | 8,813,922     | 7.24  | 9,506,831     | 8.60  |

The net positions on the major foreign-currency transactions as of December 31, 2003 and 2002 were as follows:

| 20               | 2003 200       |                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|
|                  | New Taiwan     |                  | New Taiwan     |
| Foreign-currency | Dollar         | Foreign-currency | Dollar         |
| Amounts          | Amounts        | Amounts          | Amounts        |
| (in Thousands)   | (in Thousands) | (in Thousands)   | (in Thousands) |
| 1. US\$ 71,228   | \$ 2,421,609   | 1. US\$ 9,828    | \$ 341,817     |
| 2. EUR 48,875    | 2,088,697      | 2. JPY 462,372   | 135,752        |
| 3. JPY 3,552,090 | 1,129,209      | 3. EUR 3,579     | 130,452        |
| 4. CHF 1,018     | 27,900         | 4. GBP 800       | 44,629         |
| 5. AUD 200       | 5,096          | 5. CHF 886       | 22,217         |

#### 30. ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES

- a. Following are the additional disclosures required by the Securities and Futures Commission for the Bank and its affiliates: There are no other significant transactions or investment related information except the following:
  - 1) Marketable securities held: Table 1 (attached);
  - 2) Marketable securities acquired and disposed of, at costs or prices of at least NT\$100 million or 20% of the paid-in capital: Table 2 (attached);
  - 3) Acquisition of individual real estates at prices of at least NT\$100 million or 20% of the paid-in capital: Table 3 (attached);
  - 4) Disposal of individual real estates at prices of at least NT\$100 million or 20% of the paid-in capital: Table 4 (attached);
  - 5) Names, locations, and related information of investees on which the Company exercises, significant influence: Table 5 (attached);
  - 6) Derivative financial transactions: For the Bank's related information, please see Note 28. The investees' related information is as follows:

#### Union Bank Futures Corporation (UBFC)

The financial and nonfinancial instruments used in managing UBFC's exposure as well as trading activities are stated at fair value on the balance sheet. The change in realized or unrealized fair value is accounted for as gain or loss during the period the value changes. Interest revenue from and interest expense for transactions for trading purposes is recognized as interest revenue and expense during the period but not as gain or loss on such transaction.

a) The notional amount and credit risk

|                                    | December   | 31, 2003 |
|------------------------------------|------------|----------|
|                                    | Notional   | Credit   |
| Financial Instruments              | Amounts    | Risk     |
| TAIEX Futures—for trading purposes | \$ 644,590 | (Note)   |
| Option—call, for trading purposes  | 285        | (Note)   |
| Option—put, for trading purposes   | 3,765      | (Note)   |

Note: The counter-parties of UBFC are large financial institutions and domestic clearing member futures brokers with high credit ratings. Thus, no significant credit risk is anticipated.

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#### b) Market price risk

UBFC engages in futures trading for trading purposes, in which price risk results from futures buying and selling. Every futures contract has a reasonable fair market value. Thus, the possibility that the futures contract cannot be sold at fair value is quite low.

#### **Derivatives**

|                           | Decembe   | er 31, 2003 | Decembe   | er 31, 2002 |
|---------------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
|                           | Book      | Fair        | Book      | Fair        |
| Financial Instruments     | Value     | Value       | Value     | Value       |
| Asset                     |           |             |           |             |
| TAIEX futures             | \$ 85,784 | \$ 85,784   | \$ 63,097 | \$ 63,097   |
| Options—buy, non-hedging  | 261       | 261         | -         | -           |
| Liability                 |           |             |           |             |
| Options—sell, non-hedging | 2,062     | 2,062       | -         | -           |

Methods and assumptions applied in estimating the fair values of financial instruments are as follows:

The fair value of derivative financial instrument is the amount that UBFC must pay or is expected to receive to terminate contracts at the balance sheet date.

Generally, the fair value includes the unrealized gain or loss on unsettled contracts.

The fair value of UBFC's derivatives is calculated on the basis of quotations from financial institutions.

- c) Liquidity risk, cash flow risk and the uncertainty of the amount and period of future cash flow
  - i. Liquidity risk: None.
  - ii. Cash flow risk: None.
  - iii. Uncertainty of the amount and period of future cash flow:

UBFC trades derivatives having contract (notional) amounts. In addition, the initial margin deposit on the stock index contract is higher than its maintenance margin deposit. Thus, there are no additional future cash requirement and risk on uncertainty.

d) The presentation of derivatives in the financial statements

As of December 31, 2003, the gains on futures transactions were as follows

|  | For the Year Ended |  |
|--|--------------------|--|
|  | December 31, 2003  |  |
| Realized gain on futures contracts     | \$ 40,335          |  |
| Unrealized gain on futures contracts   | 772                |  |
| Realized gain on option transactions   | 4,912              |  |
| Unrealized gain on option transactions | 1,680              |  |

b. Information related to investment in Mainland China: None.

#### 31. SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Bank engages only in banking activities allowed under the Banking Law and operates entirely in the Republic of China. The Bank has no single customer that accounts for 10% or more of the Bank's operating revenues. Thus no geographic and customer information is required to be disclosed.

MARKETABLE SECURITIES HELD
DECEMBER 31, 2003
(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars and Foreign Currency, Unless Otherwise Stated)

|                      |   |                        |                                |                                      | Decembe        | December 31, 2003          |   |        |
|----------------------|---|------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|---|--------|
| Held Company Name    | Type and Name of Marketable<br>Securities | Relationship           | Financial Statement<br>Account | Shares/Piece/Units<br>(In Thousands) | Carrying Value | Percentage of<br>Ownership | Market Value or<br>Net Asset Value<br>(Notes 3 and 4) | Note   |
| Union Bank of Taiwan | Stock                                     |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Union Bills Finance Corporation           | Equity-method investee | Long-term equity investments   | 126,576                              | \$ 1,282,534   | 42.76%                     | \$ 1,282,534  | Note 1 |
|                      | Union Finance and Leasing                 | Subsidiary             | Long-term equity investments   | 100,000                              | 743,402        | %66'66                     | 743,402   |        |
|                      | International Corporation                 | 1                      |                                | 6                                    | 0              | ò                          | 000   |        |
|                      | Union Bank Futures Corporation            | Subsidiary             | Long-term equity investments   | 30,000                               | 599,652        | %10.66<br>%00.00           | 599,652   |        |
|                      | Limited                                   | ( Bibliograph          |                                |                                      |                | 2,7,7,7                    |   |        |
|                      | Union Information Technology              | Subsidiary             | Long-term equity investments   | 12,950                               | 141,211        | 99.92%                     | 137,748   |        |
|                      | Corporation                               |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Union Security Investment Trust           | Equity-method investee | Long-term equity investments   | 10,500                               | 118,620        | 35.00%                     | 118,620   |        |
|                      | Corporation                               |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Union Insurance Broker Company            | Subsidiary             | Long-term equity investments   | 2,522                                | 60,971         | %20.06                     | 9/1/19  |        |
|                      | Union Real-Estate Management              | Equity-method investee | Long-term equity investments   | 2,000                                | 26,990         | 40.00%                     | 26,990  |        |
|                      | Corporation                               |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Morgan Stanley Union Bank Asset           | Equity-method investee | Long-term equity investments   | 1,323                                | 13,730         | 49.00%                     | 13,730  |        |
|                      | Management Corporation                    |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Union Security Investment                 | Subsidiary             | Long-term equity investments   | 966                                  | 9,026          | 99.40%                     | 9,026   |        |
|                      | Consulting Company                        |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Entie Securities Finance Company          |                        | Long-term equity investments   | 92,206                               | 622,188        | 12.15%                     | 657,931   |        |
|                      | Taiwan Asset Management                   | •                      | Long-term equity investments   | 10,000                               | 100,000        | 0.57%                      | 106,600   |        |
|                      | Corporation                               |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Universal Venture Fund Inc                |                        | Long-term equity investments   | 8,000                                | 000'08         | 4.76%                      | 67,520  |        |
|                      | Taiwan Financial Asset Service            |                        | Long-term equity investments   | 2,000                                | 20,000         | 2.94%                      | 20,700  |        |
|                      | Corporation                               |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Financial Information Service             |                        | Long-term equity investments   | 4,550                                | 45,500         | 1.14%                      | 290'29  |        |
|                      | Company                                   |                        |                                | 6                                    | 4              | 6                          |   |        |
|                      | Euroc III Venture Capital COT             |                        | Long-term equity investments   | 3,000                                | 30,000         | 2.00%                      | 30,480  |        |
|                      | NCTU Spring I Technology Venture          | 1                      | Long-term equity investments   | 2,130                                | 21,615         | 2.00%                      | 16,571  |        |
|                      | Capital Investment Corporation            |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Debt Instrument Depository and            |                        | Long-term equity investments   | 2,000                                | 20,000         | 1.00%                      | 19,680  |        |
|                      | Clearing Co., Taiwan                      |                        |                                |                                      |                |                            |   |        |
|                      | Taiwan Future Exchange                    | •                      | Long-term equity investments   | 1,025                                | 10,250         | 0.51%                      | 15,672  |        |
|                      | Corporation                               |                        |                                | Č                                    | 0              | ò                          |   |        |
|                      | Taipei Forex Inc.                         | -                      | Long-term equity investments   | 80                                   | 800            | 0.40%                      | 1,226   |        |

|   |   |                         |  |                                      | December 31, 2003           | r 31, 2003                 |   |             |
|---|---|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---|-------------|
| Held Company Name   | Type and Name of Marketable<br>Securities   | Relationship            | Financial Statement<br>Account   | Shares/Piece/Units<br>(In Thousands) | Carrying Value              | Percentage of<br>Ownership | Market Value or<br>Net Asset Value<br>(Notes 3 and 4) | Note        |
|   | Bond<br>Pacific Construction Co., Ltd.  | ,                       | Long-term bond investments   | 000'E \$SN                           | \$ 86,695                   |                            | \$ 86,695   |             |
|   | European Convertible Bond<br>China Petrochemical European   |                         | Long-term bond investments   | US\$ 5,000                           | 134,292                     |                            | 134,292   |             |
|   | Convertible Bond Taishin Financial Holding Company  |                         | Long-term bond investments   | US\$ 2,000                           | 966'19                      |                            | 966'19  |             |
|   | Asset swap<br>Ginnie Mae CMO  | ·                       | Long-term bond investments   | US\$ 10,000                          | 339,470                     |                            | 339,980   |             |
| Union Finance and Leasing Stock International Corporation | Stock China Chemical Corporation Formosa International Hotel  |                         | Long-term equity investments<br>Long-term equity investments                                 | 300<br>1,527                         | 16,338<br>55,439            | 0.12%                      | 3,075<br>55,768                                       |             |
|   | Corporation Union Capital (Cayman) Corp. Union Bills Finance Corporation Photonics Semiconductor Mask | Subsidiary<br>Affiliate | Long-term equity investments<br>Long-term equity investments<br>Long-term equity investments | 50<br>2,100<br>536                   | 241,300<br>26,250<br>14,909 | 100.00%<br>0.71%<br>0.52%  | 241,499<br>21,296<br>4,937                            |             |
|   | Union Semi-Conductors Technology<br>Corp.   |                         | Long-term equity investments   | 1,600                                | 548                         | 2.65%                      | ( 23,904)   |             |
| Union Bank Futures<br>Corporation                         | <u>Stock</u><br>Taiwan Future Exchange<br>Comogration   | ·                       | Long-term equity investments   | 3,050                                | 30,500                      | 1.53%                      | 46,635  |             |
|   | China Motor Corporation Ltd.<br>Fuhwa Financial Holding Co., Ltd.                                     |                         | Short-term investments<br>Short-term investments   | 10 70                                | 636<br>771                  | 1 1                        | 605<br>748  |             |
| Union Bills Finance<br>Corporation                        | <u>Stock</u><br>Debt Instrument Depository and<br>Clearing Co., Taiwan                                |                         | Long-term equity investments   | 4,000                                | 40,000                      | 2.00%                      | 39,360  |             |
|   | Bank debenture<br>Taishin Financial Holding Co., Ltd.,<br>2003  |                         | Short-term investments   | 10 pieces                            | 100,000                     |                            | 100,000   |             |
|   | Beneficiary certificate<br>CITC Cash Reserves Fund<br>Union Bond Fund                                 |                         | Long-term investments<br>Long-term investments   | 2,685                                | 30,000                      |                            | 30,066<br>20,028                                      |             |
|   | TLAM Harvest Bond Fund  | ı                       | Long-term investments  | 9,626                                | 100,000                     |                            | 100,141   |             |
|   | PITC Home Run Bond Fund   |                         | Long-term investments  | 3,718                                | 50,000                      |                            | 50,030  |             |
|   | Sneng Hua 1699 Bond Fund  |                         | Long-term investments  | 3,305                                | 40,000                      | ·                          | 40,016  | (Continucd) |

|  |   |   |   |  | December 31, 2003  | 1, 2003                    |  |                  |
|--|---|---|---|--|--|----------------------------|--|------------------|
| Held Company Name                              | Type and Name of Marketable<br>Securities   | Relationship  | Financial Statement<br>Account  | Shares/Piece/Units<br>(In Thousands)                           | Carrying Value   | Percentage of<br>Ownership | Market Value or<br>Net Asset Value<br>(Notes 3 and 4)                                | Note             |
| Union Security Investment<br>Trust Corporation | t Beneficiary certificate Union Bond Fund Union Yo-Li Bond Fund CITC Safe Income Fund NITC Bond Fund NITC Taiwan Bond Fund NITHigh Yield Fund Sheng Hua 5599 Bond Fund CITC Cash Reserves Union China Fund          | Beneficiary certificate issuer Beneficiary certificate issuer   | Short-term investments | 1,114<br>1,227<br>848<br>57<br>926<br>188<br>372<br>316<br>950 | \$ 13,000<br>13,000<br>12,000<br>9,000<br>12,500<br>3,000<br>4,000<br>3,500<br>10,000<br>5,000 |                            | \$ 13,003<br>13,003<br>12,003<br>9,002<br>12,503<br>3,001<br>4,001<br>9,976<br>5,007 |                  |
| Union Information<br>Technology Corp.          | Stock ELTA Technology Co., Ltd. eBizServe, Inc. Summit Computer Technology Co., Ltd. Ltd. Ltd. Ltd. CITC Safe Income Fund President Pao-An Balance Fund Truswell Bond Fund Union Balance Fund Union Yo-Li Bond Fund | Equity method investee  The beneficiary certificate issuer is an affiliate of Union Information Technology Corp. The beneficiary certificate issuer is an affiliate of Union Information Technology Corp. The beneficiary certificate issuer is an affiliate of Union Information Technology Corp. The beneficiary certificate issuer is an affiliate of Union Information Technology Corp. |   | 2,000<br>1,650<br>118<br>1,476<br>2,730<br>1,385<br>247<br>978 | 13,452<br>3,066<br>9,600<br>13,000<br>10,000<br>10,000<br>11,000                               | 21.05%<br>16.02%<br>0.14%  | 10,020<br>6,353<br>818<br>11<br>1<br>20,889<br>27,307<br>16,957<br>2,888<br>9,996    | Note 4           |
|  | ABN-AMRO Aggressive Taiwan<br>Bond Fund<br>ABN-AMRO Global Balanced Fund<br>Preferred stock   |   | Short-term investments Short-term investments   | 2,935  | 30,000   |                            | 30,907   | -<br>-<br>-<br>- |
|  | Log-on Data Corp.   |   | Long-term equity investments  | 15   | 3,439  |                            | '  | Note 2           |

|   | Ting of Manual Mississipping                   |   |                                |                                   | December 31, 2003 | 31, 2003                   | Market Milita                      |      |
|---|--|---|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|------|
| Held Company Name                               | iype and Name of iviarketable<br>Securities    | Relationship  | rinanciai statement<br>Account | Shares/Piece/Units (In Thousands) | Carrying Value    | Percentage of<br>Ownership | Net Asset Value<br>(Notes 3 and 4) | Note |
| Jnion Security Investment<br>Consulting Company | Beneficiary certificate<br>Union Bond Fund     | The beneficiary certificate issuer an affiliate of Union Security Investment Consulting Cornoration | Short-term investments         | 224                               | \$ 2,500          |                            | \$ 2,619                           |      |
| International                                   | Bond   |   | Long-term investments          | 1,960 pieces                      | US\$ 1,960        |                            |                                    |      |
| (HK) Limited                                    | China Petrochemical Euro                       |   |                                |                                   |                   |                            |                                    |      |
|   | Convertible Bond of DLJ<br>Emerging Market LDC |   |                                |                                   |                   |                            |                                    |      |
|   | MBNA Corp. Floating Rate Notes                 |   | Long-term investments          | 2,000 pieces                      | US\$ 1,988        |                            | •                                  |      |
|   | Capital One Bank Senior Notes                  |   | Long-term investments          | 1,900 pieces                      | US\$ 1,918        | •                          | •                                  |      |
|   | FCE Bank Plc. Floating Rate Notes              |   | Long-term investments          | 2,000 pieces                      | US\$ 1,970        | •                          | •                                  |      |
|   | Federal Home Loan Government                   |   | Long-term investments          | 20,000 pieces                     | US\$ 1,997        |                            | 1                                  |      |
|   | Bond   |   |                                |                                   |                   |                            |                                    |      |
| Union Insurance Broker                          | ET Intement Technology                         | ı   | Short-term investments         | 100                               | 1,737             | 1                          | 1,536                              |      |
|   | Corporation                                    |   |                                |                                   |                   |                            |                                    |      |
|   | Hung Sheng Construction Ltd.                   |   | Short-term investments         | 20                                | 402               |                            | 089                                |      |
|   | Yieh Phui Enterprise Co., Ltd.                 |   | Short-term investments         | 20                                | 1,262             | ı                          | 1,168                              |      |
|   | Hold-Key Electric Wire & Cable                 |   | Short-term investments         | 100                               | 2,963             |                            | 2,881                              |      |
|   | Co., Ltd.                                      |   |                                |                                   |                   |                            |                                    |      |
|   |  |   |                                |                                   |                   |                            |                                    |      |

Note 1: Book value is translation adjustments and net of allowance for decline in market value of long-term investment.

Note 2: The securities are preferred stock, thus, no net asset value is available.

Note 3: The net asset values of the Bank's equity-method investees are based on the audited 2003 financial statements. Except for the net asset values of the Taiwan Futures Exchange Corporation, Entie Securities Finance Company, Taipei Forex Inc., and Debt Instrument Depository and Clearing Co., Taiwan, which were based on the 2003 audited financial statements, the net asset values of the rest cost-method investees were based on 2003 unaudited financial statements.

Note 4: The Bank's investees had investments in companies with shares having no quoted market prices. The net asset values of these companies were based on the following:

a. Union Capital (Cayman) Corp.,—the audited stockholders equity as of December 31, 2003.

b. ELTA Technology Co., Ltd. and eBizServe, Inc.,—the audited stockholders equity as of December 31, 2002.

c. Other companies—unaudited statement of stockholders' equity as of December 31, 2003.

The market value of the listed and OTC stocks were based on the average daily closing prices in December 2003. Beneficiary certificates were based on net asset values as of the balance sheet date.

MARKETABLE SECURITIES ACCUIRED AND DISPOSED OF AT COSTS OR PRICES OF AT LEAST NT\$100 MILLION OR 20% OF THE PAID-IN CAPITAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 (Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

|   | A desired of the control of the cont | Picture Charles       |               |  | Beginning Balance           | alance      | Acquisition                 | ion         |  | Disposal              | sal               |                            | Ending Balance              | alance       |
|---|--|-----------------------|---------------|--|-----------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------|--|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Company Name  | Marketable Securities Type<br>and Name   | Account               | Counter-Party | Counter-Party Nature of Relationship Shares/Units/<br>Face Value | Shares/Units/<br>Face Value | Amount      | Shares/Units/<br>Face Value | Amount      | shares/Units/ Amount Shares/Units/ Amount Face Value Fa | Amount                | Carrying<br>Value | Gain (Loss)<br>on Disposal | Shares/Units/<br>Face Value | Amount       |
| Union Bank of Taiwan                                    | <u>Bond</u><br>Ginnie Mae CMO  | Long-term investments |               |  |                             |             | ,                           | US\$ 10,000 |  | ·<br>•                |                   | •                          | ,                           | US\$ 10,000  |
| Union Finance International Note (HK) Limited Credit Le | Note<br>Credit Linked Notes of<br>Lehman Brothers Treasury<br>Co., B.V.  | Long-term investments |               |  | -                           | 000'8 3'000 | r                           |             | -  | US\$ 3,000 US\$ 3,000 | 3,000             | •                          | ,                           | <del>'</del> |

| ACCUISITION OF INDIVIDUAL REAL ESTATES AT PRICES OF AT LEAST IN \$100 MILLION OR 20% OF THE PAID-IN |
|---|
| FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003  |
| (Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)  |

| Company Namo         | trough   | Transaction Transaction | Transaction | Daymont Torm                              | Counterparty         | nidarojtelo0       | Prior Trans | saction Data wi | Prior Transaction Data with Related Counterparty | nterparty | Drice Deference     | Purpose of  | , the  |
|----------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------|---|----------------------|--------------------|-------------|-----------------|--|-----------|---------------------|-------------|--------|
| Company Manie        | S ladou  | Date                    | Amount      | aymon to                                  | Council party        | relationship       | Owner       | Relationship    | Relationship Transfer Date Amount                | Amount    | בווכם אפופו פווכם   | Acquisition | 5      |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           |                     |             |        |
| Jnion Bank of Taiwan | Union Bank of Taiwan   Collaterl assumed—parcels of land | 2003.02.20              | \$ 210,000  | Seizure of collateral if                  | Kang-He Construction | Debtor of the Bank |             |                 |  |           | According to Fan    | For sale    |        |
|                      | in Taipei City   |                         |             | loan is unpaid                            | Corp.                |                    |             |                 |  |           | Asia's and Tai-Yi   |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | Real Estate         |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | Management          |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | Corporation's       |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | appraisal and       |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | negotiation with    |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | seller              |             |        |
|                      | Collateral assumed—buildings and                         | 2003.02.24              | 124,050     | Pay to court by check Yu-Gao Construction | Yu-Gao Construction  | Debtor of the Bank |             | ,               |  |           | Court auction price | For sale    |        |
|                      | parcels of lands in Taipei County                        |                         |             |   | Corp.                |                    |             |                 |  |           |                     |             |        |
|                      | Collateral assumed—buildings and                         | 2003.04.24              | 161,808     | Pay to court by check                     | Xin-Rong             | Debtor of the Bank |             | ,               |  |           | Court auction price | For sale    | (Note) |
|                      | parcels of land in Yilan County                          |                         |             |   | Construction Corp.   |                    |             |                 |  |           |                     |             |        |
|                      | Collateral assumed—buildings and                         | 2003.05.06              | 189,380     | Pay to court by check                     | Yu-Gao Construction  | Debtor of the Bank |             | ,               |  |           | Court auction price | For sale    |        |
|                      | parcels of land in Taipei County                         |                         |             |   | Corp.                |                    |             |                 |  |           |                     |             |        |
|                      | Collateral assumed—parcels of land                       | 2003.12.30              | 252,981     | Seizure of collateral if                  | Hong-Guo             | Debtor of the Bank |             | ,               | ,  |           | According to DTZ    | For sale    |        |
|                      | in Taoyuan County  |                         |             | loan is unpaid                            | Development Corp.    |                    |             |                 |  |           | Pebenham Tie        |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | Leung's appraisal   |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | and negotiation     |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           | with seller         |             |        |
|                      |  |                         |             |   |                      |                    |             |                 |  |           |                     |             |        |

Note: The auction date is on April 2, 2003.

DISPOSAL OF INDIVIDUAL REAL ESTATE AT PRICES OF AT LEAST NT\$100 MILLION OR 20% OF THE PAID-IN CAPITAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 (Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

| Company Name         | Types of Properties   | Disposal Date<br>or Transaction<br>Happened Date | Acquisition Date | Book Value   |   | Transaction<br>Amount | Payment Terms       | Gain (Loss) on<br>Disposal | Trade With                    | Relationship Disposal | Purpose of<br>Disposal | Price Reference   | Other Terms |
|----------------------|---|--|------------------|--------------|---|-----------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---|-------------|
| Jnion Bank of Taiwan | Union Bank of Taiwan Collateral assumed—parcels 2003.01.23                            | 2003.01.23                                       | 2002.08.20       | \$ 1,254,859 | ↔ | 1,250,000             | Installment payment | (\$ 4,859)                 | 4,859) An individual          | None                  |                        | According to Pan Asia's and   |             |
|                      | of land in Danshuei<br>Township   |  |                  |              |   |                       |                     |                            |                               |                       |                        | lai-YI Real Estate Management Corporation's appraisal and negotiation                         |             |
|                      | Collateral assumed—parcels 2003.04.11 of land and buildings in (the contra            | 2003.04.11<br>(the contract date)                | 2003.04.24       | 161,808      |   | 144,125               | Installment payment | $\smile$                   | 17,683) Luo Dong Stell Co.    | None                  |                        | with buyer According to YiLan Chamber of Commerce's appraisal                                 | Note 1      |
|                      | Yilan County Collateral assumed—parcels 2003.06.17 of land in Taipei City (transfer d | 2003.06.17<br>(transfer date)                    | 2003.02.20       | 210,351      |   | 10,670                | Installment payment | 315                        | 319 An individual             | None                  |                        | and negotiation with buyer<br>According to Pan Asia's and<br>Tai-Yi Real Estate               |             |
|                      | Collateral assumed—parcels 2003.12.26   | 2003.12.26                                       | 2002.09.04       | 157,630      |   | 217,059               | Installment payment | 59,429                     | 59,429 An individual          |                       |                        | Management Corporation's appraisal and negotiation with buyer                                 |             |
|                      | _   |  | 1999.08.20       | 534,553      |   | 535,000               | Installment payment | 44.7                       | 447 Tzu Chi Foundation        | None                  |                        | According to market quotation and negotiation with buyer                                      |             |
|                      | and buildings in Taipei<br>City   | (the contract date)                              |                  |              |   |                       |                     |                            | Buddnist<br>Compassion Relief | None                  |                        | According to Xie-He keal Estate Management Corporation's appraisal and negotiation with buyer | Note 2      |

Note1: The auction date is April 2, 2003. Note2: Transfer of the asset was completed on January 13, 2004, and a gain was recognized on this transaction.

NAMES, LOCATIONS, AND OTHER INFORMATION OF INVESTEES ON WHICH THE COMPANY EXERCISES SIGNIFICANT INFLUENCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars and Foreign Currency, Unless Otherwise Stated)

|                             |  |   |  | Original Investment Amount | ment Amount   | Balance as | Balance as of December 31, 2003 Net Income      | 31, 2003           | Net Income    |             | L,       |
|-----------------------------|--|---|--|----------------------------|---------------|------------|---|--------------------|---------------|-------------|----------|
| Investor Company            | Investee Company   | Location  | Main Businesses and Products                           | 21 2002                    | 21 2002       | Shares (in | Shares (in Percentage of Carrying (Loss) of the | Carrying           | (Loss) of the | Gain (Loss) | Note     |
|                             | -  |   |  | Dec. 31, 2003              | Dec. 31, 2002 | Thousands) | Ownership                                       | Value              | Investee      | Galli (EUS  | •        |
| Ilnion Bank of Taiwan       | Union Bills Einance Corporation  | 15th Floor 100 Sec 3 Min-Shang F Boad                             | 1 Brokerage and short term bills dealing               | 1 238 450                  | ¢ 1 238 450   | 126 576    | 70 7 K%   | 42 76% \$1 382 534 | ¢ 520 808     | \$ 226 546  | ,        |
|                             |  | Taipei, Taiwan  | 2. Notes underwriting, licensing and                   |                            |               | 200        | 2001.31   | 2000               |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | endorsing (as guarantor)                               |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | 3. Brokerage and government bond dealing               |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | 4. Licensing, underwriting, brokerage and              |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | bank debenture dealing                                 |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | 5. Corporate bond dealing                              |                            |               | 0          | 000   | 0                  |               |             |          |
|                             | Onion Financing and Leasing International  | 8th Floor, 109, sec. 3 Min-Sheng E. Road,<br>Tainei Taiwan        | Installment, leasing and accounts receivable factoring | 000'000'1                  | l'onn'nona    | 000,001    | 44.44%  | 743,402            | 03,440        | 03,440      | ,        |
|                             | Union Bank Futures Corporation   | 3F-1, 137, Sec.2 Nanking E. Road,                                 | Futures brokerage                                      | 594,397                    | 594,397       | 59,440     | %10'66  | 599,652            | (8,359        | ( 8,282     |          |
|                             | -  | Taipei, Taiwan  | )  | -                          | :             |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             | Union Finance International (HK) Limited   | Unit C and D, 8F, Entertainment Building,                         | Import and export accommodation                        | 106,589                    | 106,589       | 30,000     | %66'66  | 195,543            | 10,926        | 10,926      | ,        |
|                             | and an analysis Toolean Company of the control of t | 4   | Decembered not concern to the chiral                   | 00                         | 00 450        | 010 010    | /00000  | 141 011            | L71 LF        | 770 74      |          |
|                             | Union information Technology Corporation   |   | Distribution of computer nardware and                  | 90,A630                    | 000,09        | 066,21     | 94.42%  | 117,141            | 47,107        | 40,0        | ,        |
|                             |  | Taipei, Taiwan  | software, development of system                        |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | program in sourcing of system                          |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | construction, design of web pages and                  |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | web sites and e-commerce                               |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             | Union Security Investment Trust  | 14th Floor, 101, Fuhsing N. Road, Taipei,                         | Securities investment trust                            | 105,000                    | 105,000       | 10,500     | 32.00%  | 118,620            | 35,944        | 12,478      |          |
|                             | Corporation  | laiwan  |  |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             | Union Insurance Broker Company   | 21, Alley 6, Lane 113, Sec. 3 Min-Sheng E.<br>Road Taipei, Taiwan | Personal insurance agency                              | 25,220                     | 25,220        | 2,522      | %20.04%   | 126'09             | 35,560        | 30,475      | - 2      |
|                             | Union Real Estate Management Corporation 6th Floor, 10, Sec. 3 Chong-Xin Road,   | 6th Floor, 10, Sec. 3 Chong-Xin Road,                             | Construction plan review and consulting                | 20,000                     | 20,000        | 2,000      | 40:00%  | 26,990             | 16,694        | 119'9       |          |
|                             |  | Sanchong, Taipei, Taiwan  |  |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             | Morgan Stanley Union Bank Asset  | 8th Floor, 109, Sec. 3 Min-Sheng E. Road,                         | Purchase, sell and manage nonperforming                | 13,230                     |               | 1,323      | 49.00%  | 13,730             | 1,021         | ZS.         | 200      |
|                             | Management Corporation   | Taipei, Taiwan  | loans from financial institution; does                 |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   | accounts receivable factoring                          | 4                          | 4             | į          |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             | Union security investment Consulting<br>Company  | 8F-7, 101, Funsing IN. Koad Talpet, Talwan                        | securities investment consulting                       | 9,940                      | 940,          | 994        | 99.40%  | 970'6              | 131           | `           |          |
| Union Financing and Leasing | Union Capital (Cayman) Corp.   | P.O. Box 1034. George Town Grand Cayman.                          | Foreign trade and general leasing                      | 1.644                      | 493.241       | 20         | 100.00%   | 241.300            | ( US\$ 5.212  | ( 178.269   | 9 Note 1 |
| International Corporation   |  | Cayman Islands, British West Inies                                |  |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
| on Information Technology   | Union Information Technology ELTA Technology Co., Ltd.   | 8th Floor, 2, Sec. 2. Ren-Ai Road, Taipei,<br>Taiwan              | Software and hardware product retail and               | 22,500                     | 22,500        | 2,000      | 21.05%  | 13,452             | ( 14,928      | ( 4,452     | 2 Note 2 |
|                             |  | ITRACII   |  |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |
|                             |  |   |  |                            |               |            |   |                    |               |             |          |

Note 1: Union Capital (Cayman) Corp. had completed a capital reduction process in 2002, and Union Financing and Leasing International Corporation received \$491,597.

Note 2: The equity of Union Information Technology Corporation in the net gain and loss of its equity-accounted investee, ELIA Technology Co., Ltd., was based on the investees' 2002 audited financial statements.

#### V. CPA-Audited Consolidated Financial Statements for the Past Year: None

#### VI. Review and Analysis of Financial Conditions and Operating Results

- 1. Review and Analysis of Capital Expenditures and Sources of Capital
  - a. Major Capital Expenditures and Sources of Capital:

Unit: NT\$ in thousands

|                  | Real or     | Real or     | Total       |            |                                  |            |           |            |           |            |
|------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------------------------------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|
|                  | Anticipated | Anticipated | Amount of   |            | Real or Anticipated Use of Funds |            |           |            |           |            |
|                  | Source of   | Date of     | Funds       |            |                                  |            |           |            |           |            |
| Items            | Funds       | Completion  | Required    | 1998       | 1999                             | 2000       | 2001      | 2002       | 2003      | 2004       |
| Machineries      | Working     |             |             |            |                                  |            |           |            |           |            |
| and<br>Equipment | Capital     | 2004.12     | \$1,354,301 | \$ 138,765 | \$ 232,877                       | \$ 108,685 | \$ 89,400 | \$ 162,918 | \$ 76,328 | \$ 545,328 |
| Transportation   | Working     |             |             |            |                                  |            |           |            |           |            |
| Equipment        | Capital     | 2004.12     | 186,963     | 12,426     | 21,757                           | 11,463     | 7,027     | 9,129      | 21,653    | 103,508    |
| Other            | Working     |             | 400/00=     |            |                                  |            | 05.000    | 05.047     | 000 / 70  | 2/2/5/     |
| Equipment        | Capital     | 2004.12     | 1086,207    | 295,709    | 117,617                          | 74,143     | 85,988    | 35,916     | 208,678   | 268,156    |
|                  | Working     |             |             |            |                                  |            |           |            |           |            |
| Land             | Capital     | 2004.12     | 1,136,511   | 41,219     | 130,342                          | 758,589    | -         | -          | 38,663    | 167,698    |
|                  | Working     |             |             |            |                                  | 05.504     |           |            |           |            |
| Premises         | Capital     | 2004.12     | 402,462     | 52,844     | 199,834                          | 25,591     | 1         | 682        | 54,149    | 69,362     |

#### b. Anticipated Benefits

- (1) Expected increase in production, sales, and gross margins: Not applicable.
- (2) Other expected benefits:
  - i. Computerization of business operations: raise the efficiency of computer-processed operations, simplify processing procedures, and increase service quality.
  - ii. Building new client base and developing new financial services: develop new kinds of consumer finance, trust, and foreign exchange products and services while improving operating efficiency and profits. Moreover, the voice banking system will be enhanced and a customer-oriented management information system will be established to provide a stable infrastructure for information processing, enabling the implementation of customer-differentiated services by exploiting our extensive client database.

#### 2. Liquidity Analysis

#### Liquidity Analysis for the Past Two Years

| Item Year                    | 2003  | 2002   | Change in % |
|------------------------------|-------|--------|-------------|
| Cash Flow Ratio (%)          | _     | 65.23  | -           |
| Cash Flow Adequacy Ratio (%) | 33.84 | 375.85 | (91.00)     |
| Cash Reinvestment Ratio (%)  | _     | 6.35   | -           |

Analysis of ratio fluctuation:

Thanks to the increase of cash transactions in 2003, the net cash outflow of business activities increased. This caused the cash flow adequacy ratio decreased drastically, if compared with 2002.

#### Cash Flow Analysis for the forthcoming year

Unit: NT\$ in thousands

| Beginning    | Estimated Net                           | Estimated Cash   | Estimated Cash    | Remedies for In | nsufficient Cash |
|--------------|---|------------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Cash Balance | Cash Flows from<br>Operating Activities | Inflow/(Outflow) | Surplus (Deficit) | Investment      | Financing        |
| 1            | 2                                       | 3                | 1+2+3             | Activities      | Activities       |
| 11,236,929   | (1,936,105)                             | ( 206,026 )      | 9,094,798         | -               | -                |

## Financial Highlights

# 3. Analysis of Operating Performance Analysis of Operating Performance for past two years

Unit: NT\$ in thousands

|                         | 2003                | 2002                   | Increase (Decrease) | Change (%) |
|-------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Operating Revenue       | \$ 11,510,045       | \$ 10,853,661          | \$ 656,384          | 6.05       |
| Operating Expense       | 10,531,138          | 11,948,864             | (1,417,726)         | ( 11.86)   |
| Operating Income (Loss) | 978,907             | (1,095,203)            | 2,074,110           | (189.38)   |
| Non-Operating Income    | 1,078,294           | 193,061                | 885,233             | 458.53     |
| Non-Operating Expense   | 587,128             | 526,576                | 60,552              | 11.50      |
| Earnings Before Income  |                     |                        |                     |            |
| Tax (Loss)              | 1,470,073           | (1,428,718)            | 2,898,791           | ( 202.89)  |
| Income Tax Gain         | ( 149,125)          | 67,433                 | (216,558)           | ( 321.15)  |
| Net Income (Loss)       | <u>\$ 1,320,948</u> | <u>(\$ 1,361,285 )</u> | \$ 2,682,233        | ( 197.04)  |

#### Notes on changes:

Thanks to the decrease of interest expense and loss reserve as well as the increase of long term equity investment profits in 2003, the operating profit in 2003 was increased. Thanks to the increased profits through the sale of collateral taken over by the bank and the reallocated profits from the NPL sold, the other income in 2003 was increased, if compared with 2002.

#### VII. Independent Auditors and Audit Opinions for the Past Five Years

| Year        | CPA Firm          | Auditors                            | Audit Opinion       |
|-------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1999 & 2000 | T N Soong & Co.   | Mr. Eli C. Wang and Ms. Joannie Lee | Unqualified         |
| 2001        | T N Soong & Co.   | Ms. Joannie Lee and Mr. Ray Chang   | Revised Unqualified |
| 2002        | T N Soong & Co.   | Ms. Joannie Lee and Mr. Ray Chang   | Qualified (note)    |
| 2003        | Deloitte & Touche | Mr. Terence Huang and Mr. Ray Chang | Qualified (note)    |

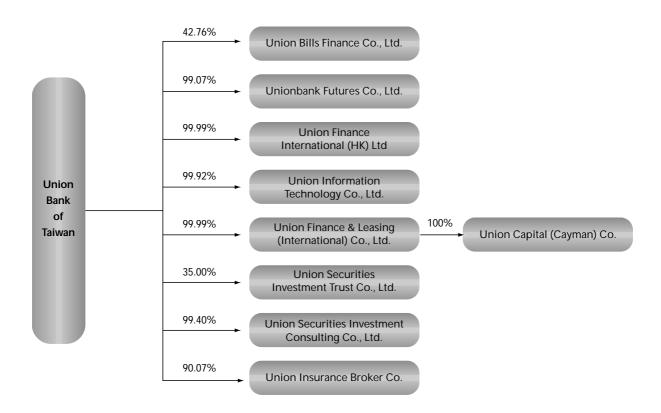
Note: The qualified opinion is issued against our loss derived from the sales of non-performing loans, which will be carried forward over 60 months as stipulated by the Law Governing Merger of Financial Institutions.

## **Special Disclosures**

#### I. Information on Affiliated Enterprises

A. Organization Chart of Affiliated Enterprises (as of December 31, 2003)

#### Holding Percentage:



## **Special Disclosures**

#### **B. Profiles of Affiliated Enterprises**

Unit: NTD in thousands (as of 2003.12.31.)

|   | Date of       |  |   | (as OI 2003.12.31.,  |
|---|---------------|--|---|--|
| Enterprise  | Establishment | Address  | Paid-in Capital                         | Scope of Business  |
| Union Bills<br>Finance<br>Company                         | 1995.7.19.    | 15F, 109, Sec. 3,<br>Minsheng E. Rd.,<br>Taipei, Taiwan                                | 2,960,000                               | <ol> <li>Brokerage and dealing of<br/>short-term bills.</li> <li>Underwriting, certifying,<br/>and endorsing (as guarantor)<br/>of commercial notes.</li> <li>Brokerage and dealing of<br/>government bonds.</li> <li>Certification, underwriting,<br/>brokerage and dealing of<br/>financial debentures.</li> </ol> |
| Union<br>Finance &<br>Leasing<br>(International)<br>Corp. | 1996.11.11.   | 8F, 109, Sec. 3,<br>Minsheng E. Rd.,<br>Taipei, Taiwan                                 | 1,000,100                               | 1. Leasing and dealership of machineries and transportation equiment. 2. Leasing and re-leasing of VCRs and refrigerators, etc. 3. Leasing of artworks. 4. Factoring (FX business excluded).   |
| Unionbank<br>Futures<br>Corporation                       | 1994.7.3.     | 3F-1, 137, Sec. 2,<br>Nanking E. Rd.,<br>Taipei, Taiwan                                | 600,000                                 | Commodity futures trading  |
| Union<br>Finance<br>International<br>(HK) Ltd.            | 1996.4.23.    | Unit C & D, 8F,<br>Entertainment Building,<br>30, Queen's Road<br>Central, Hong Kong   | HKD 30,000,002<br>(2002.12.31,R=4.4595) | Trade finance  |
| Union Securities Investment Trust Corporation             | 1998.12.22.   | 14F, 101, Fuhsing N.<br>Road, Taipei, Taiwan   | 300,000                                 | Securities investment trust  |
| Union Securities Investment Consulting Corporation        | 1999.12.14.   | 8F-7, 101, Fuhsing N.<br>Road, Taipei, Taiwan  | 10,000                                  | Securities investment consulting   |
| Union<br>Insurance<br>Broker Corp.                        | 1997.8.4.     | 1F, 21, Alley 6, Lane 113,<br>Sec. 3, Minsheng E. Road,<br>Taipei, Taiwan              | 28,000                                  | Life insurance agency service  |
| Union<br>Information<br>Technology Corp.                  | 1998.8.20.    | 8F, 109, Sec. 3,<br>Minsheng E. Rd.,<br>Taipei, Taiwan                                 | 129,600                                 | Systems development and computer software and hardware dealership  |
| Union Capital<br>(Cayman) Corp.                           | 1997.7.23.    | P.O.Box 1034,<br>George Town, Grand<br>Cayman, Cayman<br>Islands, British West Indies. | 1,644                                   | Installement and Leasing business  |

- C. Relationships between Business Operations of Affiliated Enterprises None
- D. Chairmen, Directors, Supervisors, and Presidents of Affiliated Companies

Unit : Shares, % (as of 2003.12.31.)

|                    |                      |  | Shares Held  |                         |  |  |
|--------------------|----------------------|--|--------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| Enterprise         | Title                | Name (Representative)  | No of Shares |                         |  |  |
|                    | Chairman             | C C Huang  |              | <b>Holding %</b> 0.069% |  |  |
|                    | Chairman             | C.C. Huang   | 1,020,247    | 0.069%                  |  |  |
|                    | Managing<br>Director | Zhen-Xong Jiang  | 3,969,367    | 0.267%                  |  |  |
|                    |                      |  |              |                         |  |  |
|                    | Managing<br>Director | Yu-Pang Co., Ltd. (Representative: Jia-Yi Wang)                        | 16,373,448   | 1.100%                  |  |  |
|                    | Director &           | + -  |              |                         |  |  |
|                    | President            | Shiang-Chang Lee   | 994,207      | 0.067%                  |  |  |
| Union Bank         | Tresident            |  |              |                         |  |  |
| of Taiwan          | Director             | Union Enterprise Construction Co., Ltd. (Representative: Jeff Lin)     | 61,896,601   | 4.157%                  |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Chung-Li Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Jin-Fu Liu)             |              |                         |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Chung-Li Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Yao-Nan Lai)            | 30,613,388   | 2.056%                  |  |  |
|                    |                      | Union Entertainment Enterprise Co., Ltd.                               |              |                         |  |  |
|                    | Director             | (Representative: Sue-ere C. Lin)                                       | 22,948,877   | 1.541%                  |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Si-Yong Lin  | 14,622,349   | 0.982%                  |  |  |
|                    | Supervisor           | Yu-Quan Development Co., Ltd. (Representative: Yu-Quan Lee)            | 8,682,889    | 0.583%                  |  |  |
|                    | Supervisor           | Zhen-Lu Lin  | 248,080      | 0.017%                  |  |  |
|                    | Supervisor           | Ming Hsing Ho  | 1,814        | -                       |  |  |
|                    | Chairman             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Kuo- Chang Lee)                  | 126,576,000  | 42.760%                 |  |  |
|                    | Managing             |  |              |                         |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Jeff Lin)                        | 126,576,000  | 42.760%                 |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Shiang-Chang Lee)                | 126,576,000  | 42.760%                 |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Hao- Sen Lee)                    | 126,576,000  | 42.760%                 |  |  |
|                    | Supervisor           | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Zhen- Xong Jiang)                | 126,576,000  | 42.760%                 |  |  |
| Union Bills        | Supervisor           | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Chung-Chieh Huang)               | 126,576,000  | 42.760%                 |  |  |
| Finance<br>Company | Managing<br>Director | EnTie Commercial Bank (Representative: Zhen-Shiang Chan)               | 63,288,000   | 21.380%                 |  |  |
|                    | Director             | EnTie Commercial Bank (Representative: Bao-Yong Chen)                  | 63,288,000   | 21.380%                 |  |  |
|                    | Director             | EnTie Commercial Bank (Representative: Gen-Teng Chang)                 | 63,288,000   | 21.380%                 |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Enterprise Construction Co., Ltd. (Representative: Hong-Yao Lin) | 12,404,448   | 4.190%                  |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Hong-kuo Construction Co., Ltd. (Representative: Ya-Jean Lin)          | 12,404,448   | 4.190%                  |  |  |
|                    | Supervisor           | Yu-Pang Co., Ltd.(Representative: Wen-Ming Lee)                        | 12,404,448   | 4.190%                  |  |  |
|                    | President            | Ming Hsing Ho  | 88,000       | 0.030%                  |  |  |
|                    | Chairman             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Yi- Ben Liao)                    |              |                         |  |  |
| Union Finance      | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Jeff Lin)                        |              |                         |  |  |
| & Leasing          | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Shiang-Chang Lee)                | 100 000 000  |                         |  |  |
| (International)    | Supervisor           | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Hao- Sen Lee)                    | 100,000,000  | 99.990%                 |  |  |
| Corp.              | President            | Yi-Ben Liao  |              |                         |  |  |
|                    | Chairman             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Chi- Chang Chen)                 |              |                         |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Jeff Lin)                        | 1,000        | 0.001%                  |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Sue-ere C. Lin)                  |              |                         |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Yao- Nan Lai)                    |              |                         |  |  |
| Unionbank          | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Shiang-Chang Lee)                |              |                         |  |  |
| Futures            | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Jin-Fu Liu )                     |              |                         |  |  |
| Corporation        | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Zhen- Xong Jiang)                | 59,439,650   | 99.070%                 |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Si- Yong Lin)                    | _            |                         |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Zhen- Lu Lin)                    | _            |                         |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Chung-Chieh Huang)               | _            |                         |  |  |
|                    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Tarsicio Tong)                   |              |                         |  |  |

## Special Disclosures

Unit : Shares, % (as of 2003.12.31.)

| Ft               | Title                | Name (Danner and Alice)  | Shares Held  |            |  |  |
|------------------|----------------------|--|--------------|------------|--|--|
| Enterprise       | Title                | Name (Representative)  | No of Shares | Holding %  |  |  |
|                  | Supervisor           | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Chuan-Zhong Chang)         |              |            |  |  |
|                  | Supervisor           | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Yu- Quan Lee)              |              |            |  |  |
|                  | President            | Yuei-Kuei Wei  | 100,000      | 0.170%     |  |  |
|                  | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Jeff Lin)                  |              |            |  |  |
| Union Finance    | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Roger Wang)                | 30,000,000   | 99.999994% |  |  |
|                  | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Patrick Jean)              |              |            |  |  |
| International    | Director             | Shiang-Chang Lee   | 1            | 0.000003%  |  |  |
| (HK) Ltd.        | Director &           | i  | _            |            |  |  |
|                  | President            | Huo-shan Dai   | 1            | 0.000003%  |  |  |
|                  | Chairman             | Kuen-jer Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Cheng-Zhu Hsieh)  |              |            |  |  |
|                  | Director             | Kuen-jer Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Hsiao-Yi Tsai)    |              |            |  |  |
|                  | Director             | Kuen-jer Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Wen-Min Lee)      | 2 500 000    | 0.2000/    |  |  |
| Union Securities | Director             | Kuen-jer Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Chi-Hao Yuei)     | 2,500,000    | 8.300%     |  |  |
| Investment       | Supervisor           | Kuen-jer Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Yi-Ben Liao)      |              |            |  |  |
| Trust Corp.      | Supervisor           | Kuen-jer Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Chiao-Chuan Tsai) |              |            |  |  |
|                  | Director             | Hong-Yi Investment Co., Ltd. (Representative: Min-Yi Lo)         | 1,500,000    | 5.000%     |  |  |
|                  |                      | Goldsun Computer Communication Co., Ltd.                         |              |            |  |  |
|                  | Director             | (Representative: Hong-Min Hsiao)                                 | 3,000,000    | 10.00%     |  |  |
|                  | President            | Chin-Shuan Hsu   | -            | -          |  |  |
|                  | Chairman &           |  |              |            |  |  |
| Union Securities | President            | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Victor Chu)                |              |            |  |  |
| Investment       | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Tsai- Lin Liao)            | 994,000      | 99.40%     |  |  |
| Consulting Corp. | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Yu- Lin Kuo)               |              |            |  |  |
|                  | Supervisor           | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Cynthia Shu)               |              |            |  |  |
|                  | Chairman & President | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: William Kuei)              |              |            |  |  |
| Union Insurance  | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Shiang-Chang Lee)          | 2,522,000    | 90.07%     |  |  |
| Broker Co., Ltd. | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Chung-Chieh Huang)         |              |            |  |  |
|                  | Supervisor           | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Hao- Sen Lee)              |              |            |  |  |
|                  | President            | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Willam Kuei)               | 14,000       | 0.50%      |  |  |
|                  | Chairman &           |  |              |            |  |  |
| 1.6              | President            | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative:Qin- Ming Huang)            |              |            |  |  |
| Information      | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Hao- Sen Lee)              | 2,950,000    | 99.920%    |  |  |
| Technology       | Director             | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: John Lee)                  |              |            |  |  |
| Corp.            | Supervisor           | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Yan-Nian Chen)             |              |            |  |  |
|                  | President            | Union Bank of Taiwan (Representative: Chin-Ming Huang)           | 2,000        | 0.01%      |  |  |
|                  | 5                    | Union Finance & Leasing (International) Corp.                    |              |            |  |  |
| Union Capital    | Director             | (Representative: Yi-Ben Liao)                                    |              |            |  |  |
| (Cayman) Corp.   | 5: .                 | Union Finance & Leasing (International) Corp.                    | 50,000       | 100.00%    |  |  |
| •                | Director             | (Representative: Shiang-Chang Lee)                               |              |            |  |  |

#### **E. Operating Performance of Affiliated Enterprises**

Unit: NT\$ in thousands

|                                  | Paid-in   | Total     | Total       |           | Operating | Operating | Net         | Earnings per   |  |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|----------------|--|
| Enterprise                       | Capital   | Assets    | Liabilities | Net Value | Revenue   | Profit    | Earnings    | Share (dollar) | Notes  |
|                                  | Сарітаі   | Assets    | Liabilities |           | Revenue   | FIOIIL    | (after tax) | (after tax)    |  |
|                                  | 2,960,000 | 8,213,370 | 5,213,993   | 2,999,377 | 887,683   | 574,580   | 529,808     | 1.79           |  |
| Union Bills Finance Co., Ltd.    | 1,000,100 | 5,020,724 | 4,277,248   | 743,476   | 668,678   | 292,250   | 63,446      | 0.63           |  |
| Union Finance & Leasing          | 1,000,100 | 3,020,724 | 4,277,240   | 743,470   | 000,070   | 292,230   | 03,440      | 0.03           |  |
| (International) Co., Ltd.        | 600,000   | 1,012,782 | 407,501     | 605,281   | 201,202   | (19,683)  | (8,359)     | (0.14)         |  |
| Unionbank Futures Co., Ltd.      |           |           |             |           |           |           |             |                | HKD exchange rate was 4.                     |
|                                  | 106,589   | 735,235   | 539,673     | 195,562   | 37,536    | 9,375     | 10,926      |                | 3705 on Dec 31 2003: HKD                     |
| Union Finance International      | 100,307   | 733,233   | 337,073     | 175,502   | 37,330    | 7,373     | 10,720      |                | annual average<br>exchange rate was 4.4198   |
| (HK) Ltd.                        |           |           |             |           |           |           |             |                | g  |
|                                  | 300,000   | 375,814   | 36,898      | 338,916   | 128,586   | 42,120    | 35,944      | 1.20           |  |
| Union Securities Investment      |           |           |             |           |           |           |             |                |  |
| Trust Co., Ltd.                  | 10,000    | 10,120    | 1,040       | 9,080     | 5,703     | 1,139     | 737         | 0.74           |  |
| Union Securities Investment      |           |           |             |           |           |           |             |                |  |
| Consulting Co., Ltd.             | 28,000    | 85,357    | 16,771      | 68,586    | 187,788   | 46,436    | 35,560      | 12.70          |  |
| Union Insurance Broker Co., Ltd. | 129,600   | 248,176   | 110,318     | 137,858   | 260,231   | 68,504    | 47.167      | 3.64           |  |
| Union Information Technology     | 127,000   | 240,170   | 110,310     | 137,030   | 200,231   | 00,304    | 47,107      | 3.04           |  |
| Co., Ltd.                        |           |           |             |           |           |           |             |                | USD exchange rate was 33.                    |
|                                  | 1,644     | 758,684   | 517,185     | 241,499   | 21.880    | 13,949    | (179,366)   | (2 E07 22)     | 998 on Dec. 31, 2003;                        |
| Union Capital (Cayman) Carr      | 1,044     | 700,004   | 017,100     | 2,.,,     | 21,000    | 10,717    | (177,000)   | , ,            | USD annual average exchange rate was 34.4133 |
| Union Capital (Cayman) Corp.     |           |           |             |           |           |           |             |                | J  |

F. Consolidated Financial Statement for Affiliated Enterprises: None

G. Enterprise Relationship Report: None

#### II. Dividend Policy and Status of Implementation

#### A. Dividend policy:

Any earnings posted at the end of the fiscal year will be subject to income tax submissions as required by relevant laws, followed by compensations to recover any loses occurred in previous years. Thirty percent of the remaining earnings will then be allocated to legal reserves of retained earnings with another portion allocated to special reserves of retained earnings. The dividend will be determined after all of the above allocations have been assigned. If there are any residual earnings after dividend distribution, 10% or more of which will be paid as employee bonuses with the rest added to the retained earnings accrued from previous years and paid to the following parties in proportions indicated below:

- (1) 95% as bonuses to shareholders
- (2) 5% as commissions to directors and supervisors

The cash dividend distribution shall not exceed 15% of the bank's total capital unless the amount of legal reserves of retained earnings has reached total capital.

Special reserves of retained earnings shall be allocated from the after-tax earnings of the current year and retained earnings accrued over previous years for an amount equivalent to any subtractions to owners' equity (such as unrealized losses from long term equity investments or translation adjustment, etc.) recorded during the current year.

The above-mentioned special reserves of retained earnings shall not be applied towards dividend payout unless there is a reversion to any previous subtractions to owners' equity where the reverted amount is available for dividend payout.

Dividend distribution and the kinds of shareholder bonuses are determined at the discretion of the board of directors who will take into account the current financial conditions, future profitability prospects and our capital budgeting plans in their determination of cash and stock dividends and their respective proportions. Our bank is presently undergoing the "start-up" and "growth" period and thus most dividends are likely to be paid out in the form of cash for the next three years with stock dividend as the minor option. Any dividend payout will be subject to the approval from General Meeting of Shareholders. Cash dividends will be paid out after such approval is granted whereas the stock dividends will be paid out after relevant approvals are also obtained from regulatory authorities.

## **Special Disclosures**

B. Influence of Stock and Cash Dividends Distribution on Operating Performance, Earnings per Share, and Rate of Return on Owners' Equity for the Year.

Unit: NT\$ in thousand

|                                | Year  | 2004 (estimated)                           |   |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| Item                           |   | , ,  |   |  |  |  |
| Paid-in Capital at             | year-start  |  | - |  |  |  |
|                                | Cash Dividend per Share   |  | - |  |  |  |
| Stock or Cash                  | Stock Dividend per Share from Ca  | pitalization of                            |   |  |  |  |
| Dividend Paid                  | Retained Earnings   |  | - |  |  |  |
| Dividend Paid                  | Stock Dividend per Share from   |  |   |  |  |  |
|                                | Capitalization of Capital Surplus   |  | - |  |  |  |
|                                | Operating Income  |  | - |  |  |  |
|                                | % Increase (Decrease) in Operating  | ng Income                                  | - |  |  |  |
| Changes in                     | After-Tax Earnings  |  | - |  |  |  |
| Operating                      | % Increase (Decrease) in After-Tax  | Earnings                                   | - |  |  |  |
| Performance                    | Earnings per Share (NT\$)   | -  |   |  |  |  |
| Performance                    | % Increase (Decrease) in EPS  |  |   |  |  |  |
|                                | Average Annual Rate of Return (Re   |  |   |  |  |  |
|                                | Average Annual Price Earnings Rat   | -  |   |  |  |  |
|                                | If stock dividends from capitalization of retained  | Pro forma EPS (NT\$)                       | - |  |  |  |
|                                | earnings were replaced by cash dividends  | Pro forma Average<br>Annual Rate of Return | - |  |  |  |
|                                | If capitalization of capital  | Pro forma EPS (NT\$)                       | - |  |  |  |
| Pro forma EPS<br>and P/E ratio | surplus were not executed   | Pro forma Average<br>Annual Rate of Return | - |  |  |  |
|                                | If capitalization of capital surplus were not executed  | Pro forma EPS (NT\$)                       | - |  |  |  |
|                                | and stock dividends from<br>capitalization of retained<br>earnings were replaced by<br>cash dividends | Pro forma Average<br>Annual Rate of Return | - |  |  |  |

#### Note:

- 1. The basis used for the estimation and statement of pro forma information should be elaborated and consulted with auditors for opinions.
- 2. Pro forma Earnings per Share if capitalization of retained earnings were replaced by cash dividends = [After-Tax Earnings Estimated Interest Expense for Cash Dividend\* x (1 Tax Rate)] / (Weighted Average Number of Shares Shares distributed for Capitalization of Retained Earnings\*\*)
  - \*Estimated Interest Expense for Cash Dividend = Shares distributed for Capitalization of Retained Earnings x 1 year loan interest rate
  - \*\*Shares distributed for Capitalization of Retained Earnings: the issuance of shares as a result of stock dividend payout for capitalization of retained earnings in previous year.
- 3. Average Annual Price Earnings Ratio = Average Annual Stock Price per Share / Earnings per Share as stated on annual financial report.

Chairman: C.C. Huang Oxford President: Shiang-Chang Lee 5. C. Lee Vice President & GM: Hann Tsau Tsai Hann Tsau

#### III. Statement of Internal Control

#### Union Bank of Taiwan Co., Ltd. Statement of Internal Control

Date: March 25, 2004

According to self evaluation of the internal control system of Union Bank of Taiwan Co., Ltd. for the period from January 1, 2003 to December 31, 2003, we declare the following statements:

- 1. We acknowledge that the board of directors and management are solely responsible for the establishment, implementation, and maintenance of the internal control system. We stated herein that we have established and implemented such internal control system. The intention of the internal control system is to reasonably ensure the effectiveness and efficiency of business operations (including profits, performance and safequard of assets), integrity of financial statements, and compliance with relevant laws and regulations.
- 2. Internal control system has its inherent limitations. No matter how well designed, an effective internal control system can only provide reasonable assurance for the accomplishment of the above three objectives. Moreover, with variations in the external environment and circumstances, the effectiveness of the internal control system may also vary accordingly. Nevertheless, our internal control system is incorporated with self-monitoring measures so that whenever errors or faults are identified, corresponding rectifications will be made immediately.
- 3. We evaluated the effectiveness of the design and execution of our internal control system based on the respective evaluation criteria set forth in the "Guidelines for Establishment of Internal Control Systems by Public Companies" and "Guidelines for Establishment of Internal Control Systems in Securities and Futures Service Enterprises" (referred to as "quidelines" hereafter) promulgated by Securities and Futures Commission of the Ministry of Finance. The evaluation criteria as stipulated under the guidelines are categorized into five major components to reflect the process of management control, namely: (1) control environment, (2) risk assessment, (3) control activities, (4) information and communications, and (5) monitoring. Each component in turn consists of a number of sub items as specified in the guidelines.
- 4. We have conducted self-evaluation on the effectiveness of the design and execution of our internal control system pursuant to the above mentioned internal control evaluation criteria.
- 5. Based on the results of self-evaluation, we consider the design and execution of our internal control system, including the effectiveness and efficiency of business operations, integrity of financial statements, and compliance with relevant laws and regulations, was effective for the period stated above. Our internal control system was able to reasonably ensure the accomplishment of above-mentioned objectives.
- 6. This statement will constitute a major part of our Annual Report and Prospectus, and will be published for public information. If the above mentioned public information contains misrepresentations, fraud, illegal omissions, or other violations, such will be subject to liabilities specified in Articles 20, 32, 171, and 174 of the Securities and Exchange Law.
- 7. This statement was unanimously approved by the three directors present in the Board of Directors meeting held on March 19, 2003.

UNION BANK OF TAIWAN

Chairman: C. C. Huang

Commy President: Shiang-Chang Lee 5 . C . Lee

### **Special Disclosures**

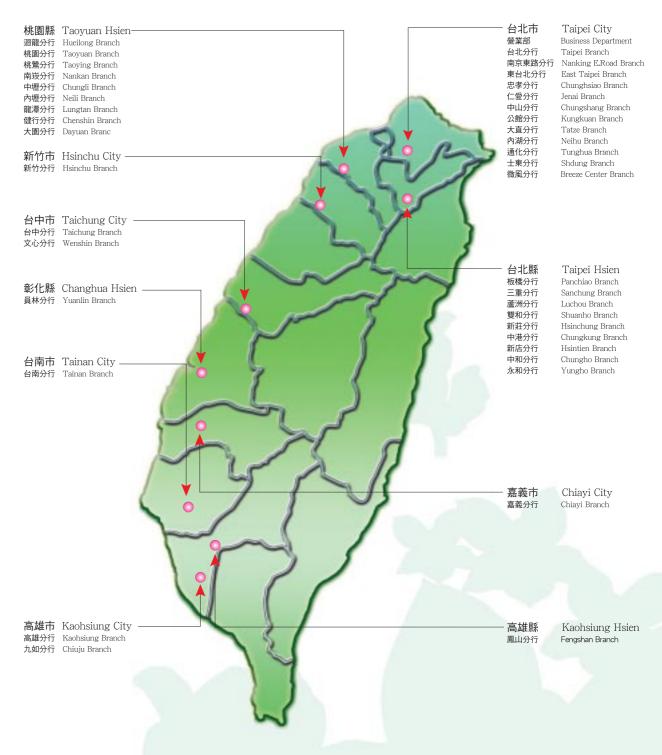
# IV. Penalties Resulted from Infliction of Laws and Regulations & Major Acts of Negligence and Respective Rectifications in Last Two Years

| Regulations Concerned  | Major Acts of Negligence  | Respective Rectifications   |
|--|---|---|
| Any criminal charges pressed by prosecutors against the Chairman or employees during the past two years.   | None  |   |
| Any penalties and fines resulted from violating the Banking Law during the past two years.   | None  |   |
| Any major acts of negligence during the past two years for which MOF issued instructions for corrective actions.   | Collaterals acquired from clients Lai Chun-Chong and Taidin Ltd. through foreclosure of mortgage or pledge were not disposed of within four years of the date of acquisition as required by Article 76 of the Banking Law and application for granting an extension was not filed within the allowed time period. A statement requesting rectifications was issued by regulatory authorities. | At present collaterals acquired from client "La Chun-Chong" have been disposed of and collaterals acquired from "Taidin Ltd." were granted an extension period for disposed . |
| Any occurrence of fraud, significant events (robbery, burglary, fire disaster, or damages by other detrimental forces), or losses as a result of failure to meet with safety standards set forth in financial institutions safety regulations during the past two years, and relevant annual aggregate loss in damages reaching NTD50 million or over. | None  |   |
| Other disclosures as requested by MOF  | None  |   |

#### V. Important Resolutions:

- A. Important resolutions of the general meeting of shareholders for 2002:
  - 1. Approve the surplus distribution for 2001.
  - 2. Modify part of the articles & regulations of the company.
- B. Important resolutions of the general meeting of shareholders for 2003:
  - 1. Approve the remedial measures for the loss in 2002.
  - 2. Modify part of the articles & regulations of the company.
  - 3. Establish the rules for director's conference.
  - ${\it 4. Modify the handling process for asset obtainment or disposal.}\\$

#### VI. Other Necessary Supplementary Statements: None



#### 越南辦事處

Ho Chi Minh Representative Office

#### 香港辦事處

Hong Kong Representative Office

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| Office                    | 2,Taipei, Taiwan                             | T-L/000)/0\0771 0000       | Taipei Branch               | 109, Minsheng E. Rd., Sec. 3,   | Fax:(886)(2)2713-7506   |
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| Branch                    | Taipei, Taiwan                               | T-L/006)/2\2070 2200       | ű                           | 2F, 109, Minsheng E. Rd.,       | Fax:(886)(2)2713-7515   |
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| Securities                | Kaohsiung, Taiwan                            | 1 43.11(0.00)(1.7220 01.10 | Straingriolas Stainer       | E. Rd., Sec. 4, Taipei, Taiwan  |                         |
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| Kungkuan Branch                              | 272, Roosevelt Rd., Sec. 3,               | Fax:(886)(2)2369-2679                       | Chungkung Branch                             | 308, Chungkung Rd.,                     | Fax:(886)(2)2276-9982 |
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|  |   |   |  | Taipei Hsien, Taiwan                    |                       |
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