Company profile – first half of 2016

# **VP Bank Group introduction**



### Good reasons for VP Bank

#### An especially compelling investment

We are VP Bank Group: anchored in Liechtenstein, present across the globe.

In the German-speaking region of Europe, VP Bank stands out for its clearly defined two-pillar business strategy (private banking and intermediaries), listing on a public stock exchange (SIX Swiss Exchange) and ranking by a renowned rating agency (Standard&Poor's "A-").

Our business model is sustainable, comprehensible and successful. And our strategic goal is to grow profitably as a Group whilst preserving our independence.

We are successful in our target markets because whatever we do, we do it excellently and with tremendous enthusiasm each and every day.

Your investment will enable you to participate in the success of VP Bank Group.

We offer our shareholders a secure investment alternative that offers an attractive return which is continuously adapted in order to master the challenges of an ever-changing market environment.

#### Convincing numbers and facts

- Solid shareholders' equity base and a tier 1 ratio in excess of 24%<sup>1</sup>
- Balanced shareholder structure stable, industry-independent shareholders and a public free float of 41.89% <sup>1</sup>
- Sustained profitability and an attractive payout ratio of currently about 40%<sup>2</sup>
- Open, independent investment architecture to the best advantage of our clients
- Highly motivated, excellently skilled employees
- Moderate yet continuously profitable growth organically as well as through targeted acquisitions

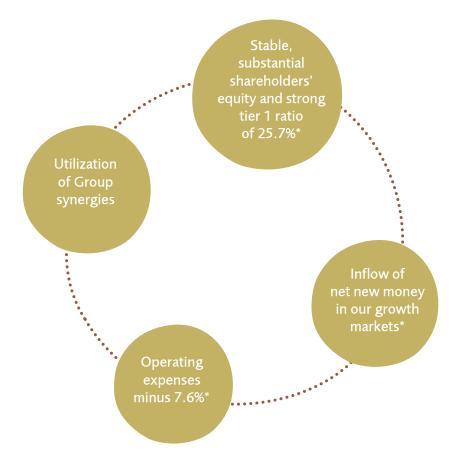


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Status as at 30 June 2016 <sup>2</sup>Status as at 31 December 2015

## VP Bank at a glance

#### Facts & figures

- Founded in 1956
- · Largest independent bank in Liechtenstein
- Client assets: CHF 39.8 billion \*
- Assets under management: CHF 34.0 billion \*
- Total assets: CHF 11.5 billion\*
- Shareholders' equity ratio: 7.7% \*
- Cost/income ratio: 68.9% \*
- Tier 1 ratio: 25.7% \*
- Leverage ratio: 7.4% \*
- 735 employees (full-time equivalents) \*
- Listed on SIX Swiss Exchange
- "A-" rating (stable) from Standard & Poor's
- Seven locations worldwide in key financial centres
- Focus on asset management for private individuals and intermediaries







## Locations and markets of VP Bank



Target markets Europe
Liechtenstein
Switzerland
Germany
Luxembourg
Russia
Ukraine

- Locations with bank status
- Asset management companies and representative offices



### **VP Bank's clients**

#### Direct client business

- VP Bank is focusing on three defined client segments:
- High Net Worth Individuals (HNWI) Liechtenstein, Switzerland and International (from CHF 1 million)
- Affluent Liechtenstein and Switzerland (from CHF 100'000 up to CHF 1 million) as well as Affluent International (from CHF 250'000)
- Retail Liechtenstein and Switzerland (up to CHF 100'000) as well as Retail International (up to CHF 250'000)

#### Fiduciary business

- Focusing on large fiduciaries with an international orientation
- Strategic partnerships
- Key account management approach

#### External asset managers

- Focusing on medium-sized managers
- Positioning as top-service bank
- Personal relationship with our clients



### **VP Bank's vision**

#### Clients are the focal point

We have prescribed for ourselves a clear vision:

We generate enthusiasm by offering our clients unique experiences – this is why they recommend us.

#### Client proximity and client trust

For us, that means:

- uncompromising orientation towards client satisfaction and service quality;
- a holistic approach to advising clients and offering them the advantages of open architecture;
- · professional client-feedback management;
- segmentation of our client base according to volumes, markets and investment profiles;
- resolute devotion to ethical values in all of our activities, this through the personal commitment of each and every employee.

The ambassadors of this vision are our employees, who benefit from ongoing professional training and a wide range of opportunities for personal development. We view motivated, skilled, service-oriented advisors as the decisive factor in our ability to engender and preserve the trust of all our clients.



### Goals and orientation of VP Bank

#### Qualitative goals

- Continual improvement of profitability
- Strengthening our marketing clout by closely dovetailing our worldwide competencies and Group-wide coordination of our client acquisition efforts
- Heightening efficiency and increasing enterprise value through the pooling of competencies
- Value-oriented management (KPIs: return on equity and C/I ratio); fostering management's strong bond with the company (Long-Term Incentive Plan)

#### Quantitative goals for the end of 2020

- Assets under management of CHF 50 billion (currently 34.0 billion<sup>1</sup>)
- Group net income of CHF 80 million (currently CHF 24.4 million<sup>1</sup>)
- Cost/income ratio under 70% (currently: 68.9%<sup>1</sup>)

#### Orientation

- Core business clearly positioned in two segments: private banking and the intermediaries business
- Growth exploiting opportunities for growth through acquisitions, further increasing the client base, and striving for organic growth
- Organisation client-oriented, leaner and more efficient management structure and short decision-making paths
- Market cultivation focus on defined markets and segments
- Efficiency enhanced cost efficiency (e.g. IT infrastructure, strategic partnerships and joint ventures)
- Synergies optimisation of the structures, services and processes of VP Bank Group; fostering Group-wide collaboration
- Offering optimisation of our range of products and services
- Dividend policy constantly maintained distribution of 40 to 60% of the consolidated net income (given a Tier 1 ratio in excess of 16%)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Status as at 30 June 2016



## VP Bank's strengths

#### First-class solutions

- Our open architecture approach means our clients are sure to receive independent advice from us. Working with our partners around the globe, we recommend the investment instruments best suited to our clients' needs or in special situations come up with our own innovative solutions.
- For many years we have been earning the top industry awards for the quality of our advice and services.

#### High degree of security

- VP Bank Group's capital base is much stronger than required by international standards.
- Our principal shareholders take a long-term view and thus ensure continuity, independence and sustainability.
- Our well-diversified business model and prudent business policy mean that we act with responsibility and diligence. For that reason, VP Bank does not engage in investment banking.

#### Service professionalism

- For all their financial matters, our clients have a trustworthy contact person they can depend on at all times and who can draw on the expertise of carefully selected specialists.
- Our global presence gives us a wide range of competencies that can be combined to produce customised solutions. As a result, we can always take into account country-specific conditions.



### **VP Bank shares**

#### Share capital

	Number of	31 Dec 2014 Par value in CHF 1,000	Number of	31 Dec 2015 Par value In CHF 1,000
Registered shares A <sup>3</sup> (CHF 10.00 par value)		53,144	6,015,000	60,150
Registered shares B <sup>3</sup> (CHF 1.00 par value)	6,004,167	6,004	6,004,167	6,004
Total share capital	11,318,514	59,148	12,019,167	66,154

#### Share segmentation <sup>3</sup>

#### Registered shares A

VP Bank's registered shares A are listed and freely tradable on SIX Swiss Exchange.

#### Registered shares B

The registered shares B are not listed but are distributed amongst the population of Liechtenstein.

#### Anchor shareholders 1

Shareholder	Proportion of voting rights	Proportion of share capital
Stiftung Fürstl. Kommerzienrat Guido Feger, Vaduz	46.6%	23.0%
U.M.M. Hilti-Stiftung, Schaan	10.0%	9.3%
Marxer Stiftung für Bank- und Unternehmenswerte, Vaduz	6.3%	11.4%



#### Share price (indexed) <sup>2</sup>



The largest shareholder, Stiftung Fürstl. Kommerzienrat Guido Feger (established in 1954 by the founder of VP Bank), supports social, charitable and cultural projects, thereby shaping the Bank's corporate culture and lending expression to its commitment to society as a whole.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Status as at 4 May 2016 <sup>2</sup> Status as at 30 August 2016

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> On 29 April 2016, the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of VP Bank AG approved a motion from the Board of Directors to convert the current bearer shares with a nominal value of CHF 10 per share into new registered shares A. The existing unlisted registered shares with a nominal value of CHF 1 per share were renamed as registered shares B.

## Key figures of VP Bank

	31.12.2013	31.12.2014	31.12.2015	30.06.2016
Consolidated net income per registered share A (in CHF)	6.58	3.45	10.17	4.04
Shareholders' equity per registered share A (in CHF)	153.37	149.98	154.01	147.48
Price per registered share A (in CHF)	97.50	85.00	82.00	89.30
Market capitalization (in CHF million)	569	503	542	591
Dividend per registered share A (in CHF)	3.50	3.00	4.00	n.a.
Dividend per registered share B (in CHF)	0.35	0.30	0.40	n.a.
Payout ratio (relative to consolidated net income)	53.2%	87.0 %	39.3%	n.a.
Dividend yield (net)	3.6%	3.5 %	4.9%	n.a.
Free float	68.7% <sup>1</sup>	53.1 % <sup>1</sup>	40.0% <sup>1</sup>	41.9% <sup>3</sup>
Rating: Standard & Poor's	«A» (A-/Stable/A-2)²	«A» (A-/Negative/A-2)²	«A» (A-/Negative/A-2) <sup>2</sup>	«A» (A-/Stable/A-2)²

#### Master Data

Bearer shares listed on SIX Swiss Stock Exchange | Symbol SIX: VPBN | Security number: 31 548 726 | ISIN number: LI0315487269 | Reuters Ticker: VPBN.S | Bloomberg Ticker: VPBN



 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}\,{\rm Shares}$  of Ethenea Independent Investors S.A. Luxembourg deducted

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Outlook as of 30 April 2014 'negative', reconfirmed as of 8 August 2014 with mention of the very strong capitalisation as well as a stable and granular customer deposit base, reconfirmed anew as of 20 August 2015, reconfirmed as of 26 July 2016 and 'stable' outlook.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> As of 31.05.2016

## Group Executive Management of VP Bank



Martin C. Beinhoff (COO) born1970 Since January 2016, member of Group Executive Management at VP Bank Group. His areas of responsibility encompass the Group Information Technology, Group Treasury&Execution and Group Operations business units. Martin C. Beinhoff holds a degree (lic. oec.) from the University of St. Gallen (HSG) and is a US-Certified Public Accountant (CPA) and Financial Risk Manager (FRM).

**Siegbert Näscher (COO)** born 1965 Since April 2012, member of Group Executive Management and Chief Financial Officer (CFO) of VP Bank Group. His areas of responsibility encompass the Group Finance and the Group Risk business units. Siegbert Näscher completed the Executive Programme of the Swiss Banking School; he is Swisscertified auditor and Swiss-certified expert in accounting and controlling. Siegbert Näscher is a member of various professional groups in the Liechtenstein financial centre.

Alfred W. Moeckli (CEO) born 1960 Since Mai 2013, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of VP Bank Group. His areas of responsibility encompass the Group Business Development, Group Communications & Marketing, Group Legal, Compliance & Tax as well as Group Human Resources Management business units. Alfred W. Moeckli is a Swiss-certified banking specialist and earned his Master of Business Administration degree from Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois/USA. Alfred W. Moeckli is member of the Board of the Liechtenstein Banker's Association.

Christoph Mauchle, Head of Client Business born 1961 Since October 2013, member of Group Executive Management at VP Bank Group. As Head of Client Business, he bears responsibility for the Group's Client Business Liechtenstein as well as the Client Business International segments. Christoph Mauchle earned his Master of Economics from the University of St. Gallen.



### **Board of Directors of VP Bank**



- 1 Dr Beat Graf, Board member, member of the Audit Committee
- Lic.iur. Ursula Lang, Board member, member of the Risk Committee
- Lic. oec. Markus Thomas Hilti, Vice Chairman of the Board, member of the Nomination & Compensation Committee
- Or Christian Camenzind, Board member, member of the Strategy & Digitalisation Committee
- Fredy Vogt, Chairman of the Board, chairman of the Nomination & Compensation Committee

- 6 Prof Dr Teodoro D. Cocca, Board member, chairman of the Strategy & Digitalisation Committee
- Or Gabriela Maria Payer, Board member, member of the Nomination & Compensation Committee and the Strategy & Digitalisation Committee
- 8 **Dr Daniel Sigg**, Board member, chairman of the Risk Committee and member of the Audit Committee
- Or Florian Marxer, Board member, member of the Strategy & Digitalisation Committe
- Michael Riesen, Board member, chairman of the Audit & Risk Management Committee and member of the Risk Committee



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#### Agenda

Annual results 2016, media and analysts conference: 07 March 2017
Annual general meeting of shareholders 2017
Ex-dividend date: 03 May 2017
Record date: 04 May 2017

• Dividend payment: 05 May 2017

Semi-annual results 2017:
 22 August 2017

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