#### Schedule 2 FORM ECSRC - OR

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[ ] QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT for the period ended DECEMBER 31, 2017 Pursuant to Section 98(2) of the Securities Act, 2001

OR

[] TRANSITION REPORT

for the transition period from

Pursuant to Section 98(2) of the Securities Act, 2001 (Applicable where there is a change in reporting issuer's financial year)

# Issuer Registration Number: BON 290855KN

## THE BANK OF NEVIS LIMITED

(Exact name of reporting issuer as specified in its charter)

## **ST. KITTS & NEVIS**

(Territory or jurisdiction of incorporation)

### P.O. BOX 450, MAIN STREET, CHARLESTOWN, NEVIS

(Address of principal executive Offices)

(Reporting issuer's:

Telephone number (including area code):

Fax number:

Email address:

1-869-469-5564 1-869-469-1039 info@thebankofnevis.com

(Former name, former address and former financial year, if changed since last report)

(Provide information stipulated in paragraphs 1 to 8 hereunder)

Indicate the number of outstanding shares of each of the reporting issuer's classes of common stock, as of the date of completion of this report.

CLASS	NUMBER
ORDINARY	18,098,054

#### SIGNATURES

A Director, the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of the company shall sign this Annual Report on behalf of the company. By so doing each certifies that he has made diligent efforts to verify the material accuracy and completeness of the information herein contained.

The Chief Financial Officer by signing this form is hereby certifying that the financial statements submitted fairly state the company's financial position and results of operations, or receipts and disbursements, as of the dates and period(s) indicated. The Chief Financial Officer further certifies that all financial statements submitted herewith are prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standards consistently applied (except as stated in the notes thereto) and (with respect to year-end figures) including all adjustments necessary for fair presentation under the circumstances.

Name of Chief Executive Officer:	Name of Director:		
L. Everette Martin	Laurie Lawrence		
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Signature	Signature		
1/31/2018	1/31/2018		
Date	Date		
Name of Chief Eineneiel Officer			

Name of Chief Financial Officer: Petal Parry

Signature

1/31/2018

Date

#### **INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN FORM ECSRC-OR**

#### 1. Financial Statements

Provide Financial Statements for the period being reported in accordance with International Accounting Standards. The format of the financial statements should be similar to those provided with the registration statement. Include the following:

- (a) Condensed Balance Sheet as of the end of the most recent financial year and just concluded reporting period.
- (b) Condensed Statement of Income for the just concluded reporting period and the corresponding period in the previous financial year along with interim three, six and nine months of the current financial year and corresponding period in the previous financial year.
- (c) Condensed Statement of Cash Flows for the just concluded reporting period and the corresponding period in the previous financial year along with the interim three, six and nine months of the current financial year and the corresponding period in the previous financial year.
- (d) By way of *Notes to Condensed Financial Statements*, provide explanation of items in the financial statements and indicate any deviations from generally accepted accounting practices.

# 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operation.

Discuss the reporting issuer's financial condition covering aspects such as liquidity, capital resources, changes in financial condition and results of operations during the reporting period. Discussions of liquidity and capital resources may be combined whenever the two topics are interrelated. Discussion of material changes should be from the end of the preceding financial year to the date of the most recent interim report.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis should disclose sufficient information to enable investors to judge:

- 1. The quality of earnings;
- 2. The likelihood that past performance is indicative of future performance; and
- 3. The issuer's general financial condition and outlook.

It should disclose information over and above that which is provided in the management accounts and should not be merely a description of the movements in the financial statements in narrative form or an otherwise uninformative series of technical responses. It should provide management's perspective of the company that enables investors to view the business from the vantage point of management.

The discussion should focus on aspects such as liquidity; capital resources; changes in financial condition; results of operations; material trends and uncertainties and measures

taken or to be taken to address unfavourable trends; key performance indicators; and nonfinancial indicators.

#### General Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition

As at December 31, 2017, The Bank of Nevis Ltd (The Bank) recorded total assets in the amount of \$579.90 million. This amount represents a net decline of \$10.6 million from the total reported at September 30, 2017. The net decrease during the quarter under review is primarily attributed to the utilization of liquid funds to satisfy customer withdrawal and drawdown requests via the deposits as well as the loans and advances portfolio.

When compared to the audited position at June 30, 2017, total assets has increased by a marginal \$1.7 million or 0.3%.

Total loans and advances increased by \$9.6 million during the quarter, bringing the total at the end of the reporting period to \$226.5 million. The net increase over the three month period is as a result of increased credit which was extended to the local government.

At December 31, 2017, total deposits held on behalf of customers stood at \$335.9 million, a net decrease of \$9.1 million when compared to the amount which was recorded at September 30, 2017. The US Dollar Demand and US Dollar Savings categories are the most significant contributors to the quarter's decrease.

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

Provide a narrative explanation of the following (but not limited to):

- i) The reporting issuer's financial condition covering aspects such as liquidity, capital resources, changes in financial condition and results of operations.
- ii) Any known trends, demands, commitments, events or uncertainties that will result in, or that are reasonably likely to result in, the issuer's liquidity increasing or decreasing in any material way. If a deficiency is identified, indicate the course of action that the reporting issuer has taken or proposes to take to remedy the deficiency.
- iii) The issuer's internal and external sources of liquidity and any material unused sources of liquid assets.
- iv) Provisions contained in financial guarantees or commitments, debt or lease agreements or other arrangements that could trigger a requirement for an early payment, additional collateral support, changes in terms, acceleration of maturity, or the creation of an additional financial obligation such as adverse changes in the issuer's financial ratios, earnings, cash flows or stock price or changes in the value of underlying, linked or indexed assets.

- v) Circumstances that could impair the issuer's ability to continue to engage in transactions that have been integral to historical operations or are financially or operationally essential or that could render that activity commercially impracticable such as the inability to maintain a specified level of earnings, earnings per share, financial ratios or collateral.
- vi) Factors specific to the issuer and its markets that the issuer expects will affect its ability to raise short-term and long-term financing, guarantees of debt or other commitment to third parties, and written options on non-financial assets.
- vii) The relevant maturity grouping of assets and liabilities based on the remaining period at the balance sheet date to the contractual maturity date. Commentary should provide information about effective periods and the way the risks associated with different maturity and interest profiles are managed and controlled.
- viii) The issuer's material commitments for capital expenditures as of the end of the latest fiscal period, and indicate the general purposes of such commitments and the anticipated source of funds needed to fulfil such commitments.
- ix) Any known material trends, favorable or unfavorable, in the issuer's capital resources, including any expected material changes in the mix and relative cost of capital resources, considering changes between debt, equity and any off-balance sheet financing arrangements.

#### Discussion of Liquidity and Capital Resources

The Bank's liquidity remained stable throughout the three month period ending December 31, 2017. At the end of the reporting period, the Bank's portfolio of liquid assets was recorded at EC\$121.6 million or 21.0% of the total asset base. Liquid assets comprise primarily of correspondent accounts, short term deposits with regional and international financial institutions as well as short-term treasury bill investments via local and regional government bodies. The loans to deposit ratio at December 31, 2017 was 67.44%.

The Bank's liquidity position is constantly monitored, and the executive management meets on a weekly basis to discuss the position as well as recent trends and projections.

#### Off Balance Sheet Arrangements

Provide a narrative explanation of the following (but not limited to):

- i) Disclosures concerning transactions, arrangements and other relationships with unconsolidated entities or other persons that are reasonably likely to materially affect liquidity or the availability of, or requirements for capital resources.
- ii) The extent of the issuer's reliance on off-balance sheet arrangements should be described fully and clearly where those entities provide financing, liquidity, market or credit risk support, or expose the issuer to liability that is not reflected on the face of the financial statements.
- iii) Off-balance sheet arrangements such as their business purposes and activities, their economic substance, the key terms and conditions of any commitments, the initial on-going relationship with the issuer and its affiliates and the potential risk exposures resulting from its contractual or other commitments involving the offbalance sheet arrangements.
- iv) The effects on the issuer's business and financial condition of the entity's termination if it has a finite life or it is reasonably likely that the issuer's arrangements with the entity may be discontinued in the foreseeable future.



#### **Results of Operations**

In discussing results of operations, issuers should highlight the company's products and services, facilities and future direction. There should be a discussion of operating considerations and unusual events, which have influenced results for the reporting period. Additionally, any trends or uncertainties that might materially affect operating results in the future should be discussed.

Provide a narrative explanation of the following (but not limited to):

- i) Any unusual or infrequent events or transactions or any significant economic changes that materially affected the amount of reported income from continuing operations and, in each case, the extent to which income was so affected.
- ii) Significant components of revenues or expenses that should, in the company's judgment, be described in order to understand the issuer's results of operations.
- iii) Known trends or uncertainties that have had or that the issuer reasonably expects will have a material favorable or unfavorable impact on net sales or revenues or income from continuing operations.
- iv) Known events that will cause a material change in the relationship between costs and revenues (such as price increases, costs of labour or materials), and changes in relationships should be disclosed.
- v) The extent to which material increases in net sales or revenues are attributable to increases in prices or to increases in the volume or amount of goods or services being sold or to the introduction of new products or services.
- vi) Matters that will have an impact on future operations and have not had an impact in the past.
- vii) Matters that have had an impact on reported operations and are not expected to have an impact upon future operations
- viii) Off-balance sheet transactions, arrangements, obligations (including contingent obligations), and other relationships that have or are reasonably likely to have a current or future effect on the registrant's financial condition, changes in financial condition, revenues or expenses, results of operations, liquidity, capital expenditures or capital resources.
- ix) Performance goals, systems and, controls.

#### **Overview of Results of Operations**

For the three month period ending December 31, 2017, The Bank recorded net profits in the amount of \$3.0 million. When compared to the cumulative earnings of the previous year, this amount represents a net improvement of \$2.0 million.

During the quarter under review, a total of \$4.4 in interest income was earned. Of this total, \$3.4 million was contributed via the loans and advances portfolio.

Total interest expense for the three months ending December 31, 2017 is \$1.7 million, to increase the cumulative total for the financial year-to-date to \$3.5 million. When compared to the similar performance in the prior year total interest expense declined by \$321,974 or 8.5%. The comparative net decline is mainly attributed to the continued reduction of interest rates offered on fixed deposit accounts at maturity.

Total operating income for the second quarter of the financial year was reported at \$7.1 million, a net increase of \$3.5 million over the September 30, 2017 total. Notwithstanding the net performance for the quarter just ended, operating income declined by \$2.0 million or 22.2% in comparison to the similar performance one year ago.

A total of \$2.9 million in operating expenses was recorded during the second quarter of the financial year. The resulting total at December 31, 2017 stood at \$5.2 million. The main component of expenses within this category is the general and administrative expense category which contributed \$4.04 million or 77.7% of the cumulative total.

#### 3. Disclosure about Risk Factors.

Provide a discussion of the risk factors that may have an impact on the results from operations or on the financial conditions. Avoid generalised statements. Typical risk factors include untested products, cash flow and liquidity problems, dependence on a key supplier or customer, management inexperience, nature of business, absence of a trading market (specific to the securities of the reporting issuer), etc. Indicate if any risk factors have increased or decreased in the time interval between the previous and current filing.

The Bank is faced with diverse risks in the conduct of its daily operations. Risk is defined as the possibility of losses of profits foregone, which may be caused by internal or external factors. Some of the major risks facing the Bank are outlined below Credit Risk: The most predominant risk factor within the Bank's servironment is Credit Risk. It is the risk of incurring a financial loss in the event that any of the Bank's customers or counterparties fails to fulfill their contractual obligations to the Bank. The Bank's credit risk arises mainly from the loans and advances portfolio which constituted 39.1% of the Banks total assets at December 31, 2017. The Bank is also exposed to other credit risks arising from investments in debt securities and other exposures from its trading activities. Foreign Exchange Risk: Also affecting the Bank is the effects of fluctuations in the prevailing foreign currency exchange rates (foreign exchange risk). The majority of the Bank's assets and labilities are held in Eastern Caribbean dollars which is the local currency. Most of the assets in foreign currencies are held in United States dollars. The exchange rate of the Eastern Caribbean dollar to the United States dollar has been formally pegged at EC52.70 = US\$1.00 since 1976. Assets and fabilities are also held in Eastern Caribbean dollar to the United States dollar has been formally pegged at EC52.70 = US\$1.00 since 1976. Assets and fabilities are also held in Euro, Pound Sterling, Canadian and Barbados currencies, the exposure to which is not material to the Bank's financial position. Market fixek Market fixe is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market prices. This exposure arises via select assets within the investment portfolio, which at December 31, 2017 amounted to EC\$73.75 million or 12.49% of the total asset base. The market risks arising from the investment portfolio are continuously monitored by the investment and Risk Management Committees and by Management. Liquidity Risk Liquidity risk is the risk that the Bank will be unable to meet its obligations when they fall due. The liquidity position of the Bank is closely monitored on a daily basis, and the executive management meets on a weekly basis to discuss the position as well as recent trends and projections. At December 31, 2017, the Bank 's portfolio of liquid assets amounted to EC\$121.6 million or 21.0% of total assets. The loans to deposit ratio at December 31, 2017 was 67.44%.

#### 4. Legal Proceedings.

A legal proceeding need only be reported in the ECSRC – OR filed for the period in which it first became a reportable event and in subsequent interim reports in which there have been material developments. Subsequent Form ECSRC – OR filings in the same financial year in which a legal proceeding or a material development is reported should reference any previous reports in that year. Where proceedings have been terminated during the period covered by the report, provide similar information, including the date of termination and a description of the disposition thereof with respect to the reporting issuer and its subsidiaries.

N/A

### 5. Changes in Securities and Use of Proceeds.

(a) Where the rights of the holders of any class of registered securities have been materially modified, give the title of the class of securities involved. State briefly the general effect of such modification upon the rights of holders of such securities.

- (a) Where the use of proceeds of a security issue is different from that which is stated in the registration statement, provide the following:
  - Offer opening date (provide explanation if different from date disclosed in the registration statement)
     N/A
  - Offer closing date (provide explanation if different from date disclosed in the registration statement)
     N/A
  - Name and address of underwriter(s) N/A
  - Amount of expenses incurred in connection with the offer  $\frac{N/A}{N}$
  - Net proceeds of the issue and a schedule of its use N/A
  - Payments to associated persons and the purpose for such payments N/A
- (c) Report any working capital restrictions and other limitations upon the payment of dividends.

#### 6. Defaults upon Senior Securities.

(a) If there has been any material default in the payment of principal, interest, a sinking or purchase fund instalment, or any other material default not satisfied within 30 days, with respect to any indebtedness of the reporting issuer or any of its significant subsidiaries exceeding 5 per cent of the total assets of the reporting issuer and its consolidated subsidiaries, identify the indebtedness. Indicate the nature of the default. In the case of default in the payment of principal, interest, or a sinking or purchase fund instalment, state the amount of the default and the total arrears on the date of filing this report.

N/A

(b) If any material arrears in the payment of dividends have occurred or if there has been any other material delinquency not satisfied within 30 days, give the title of the class and state the amount and nature of the arrears or delinquency.

N/A

#### 7. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

If any matter was submitted to a vote of security holders through the solicitation of proxies or otherwise during the financial year covered by this report, furnish the following information:

(a) The date of the meeting and whether it was an annual or special meeting.

The Bark's Annual General Meeting was held on Decembr 20, 2017 and the following matter was submitted for a vote by securityholders:
A. The Blackin of three (3) non-independent directors:
I.H. Ron Daniel Insteed by troation and being egilable offered himself for m-election
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(b) If the meeting involved the election of directors, the name of each director elected at the meeting and the name of each other director whose term of office as a director continued after the meeting.

N/A	
(c)	A brief description of each other matter voted upon at the meeting and a statement of the number of votes cast for or against as well as the number of abstentions as to each such matter, including a separate tabulation with respect to each nominee for office.
N/A	

(d) A description of the terms of any settlement between the registrant and any other participant.

N/A

(e) Relevant details of any matter where a decision was taken otherwise than at a meeting of such security holders.

#### 8. Other Information.

The reporting issuer may, at its option, report under this item any information, not previously reported in a Form ECSRC – MC report (used to report material changes), with respect to which information is not otherwise called for by this form, provided that the material change occurred within seven days of the due date of the Form ECSRC-OR report. If disclosure of such information is made under this item, it need not be repeated in a Form ECSRC – MC report which would otherwise be required to be filed with respect to such information or in a subsequent Form ECSRC – OR report.

### The Bank of Nevis Limited Consolidated Balance Sheet As at December 31, 2017 (expressed in Eastern Caribbean dollars)

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#### Consolidated Statement of Income

For the six months ended December 31, 2017 (expressed in Eastern Caribbean dollars)

(expressed in Eastern Carlobean dollars)	Unaudited December 2017 S	Unaudited September 2017 \$	Audited June 2017 S	Unaudited March 2017 \$	Unaudited December 2016 S
Interest income	4	•	φ	<i>•</i>	9
Income from loans and advances	6,579,708	3,167,410	13,695,576	9,548,108	6,428,342
Income from deposits with other banks	1.026.782	066 472		5 1 42 (12	
and investments	1,926,782	966,472	3,806,580	5,142,612	3,316,893
	8,506,490	4,133,882	17,502,156	14,690,720	9,745,235
Interest expense					
Savings accounts	1,135,938	561,958	2,208,987	2,078,891	1,422,084
Time deposits	2,263,763	1,140,590	4,251,869	3,227,764	2,218,938
Current accounts	63,196	31,431	126,381	211,706	143,849
	3,462,897	1,733,979	6,587,237	5,518,361	3,784,871
Net interest income	5,043,593	2,399,903	10,914,919	9,172,359	5,960,364
Gains from sale of investment securities	-	-	287,729	744,889	388,809
Impairment losses on investment securities	2,048,078	1,153,064	3,048,746	4,333,549	2 7 (8 207
Other operating income					2,768,397
Operating Income	7,091,671	3,552,967	4,527,492	14,250,797	9,117,570
Operating expenses					
General and administrative expenses	4,041,440	1,702,266	8,260,457	6,963,357	4,340,442
Provision for loan impairment	150,000	75,000	542,762	225,000	150,000
Directors' fees and expenses	269,578	135,847	474,946	470,481	311,233
Depreciation and amortization expenses	582,000	291,000	974,194	923,807	619,871
Audit fees	135,504	67,752	311,432	322,506	188,055
Correspondent bank charges	19,503	11,719	450,209	518,106	319,666
	5,198,025	2,283,584	9,928,476	9,423,257	5,929,267
Operating Income for the year	1,893,646	1,269,383	4,035,189	4,827,540	3,188,303
Taxation					
Current tax expense	638,152	433,121	2,669,961	661,205	446,856
Prior year tax expense	-	-	(772,665)	-	-
Deferred tax (credit) / expense	-	-	(291,604)	-	-
	638,152	433,121	1,605,692	661,205	446,856
Net profit for the year from continuing operations	1,255,494	836,262	2,429,497	4,166,335	2,741,447
Net profit for the year from discontinued operations	3,575,793	1,025,478	4,619,326	-	_,,,,
Net profit for the year	4,831,287	1,861,740	7,048,823	4,166,335	2,741,447
	0.54	0.42	0.70	0.59	0.61
Earnings per share (annualized)	0.54	0.42	0.70	0.59	0.01

#### 1. Financial Statements...continued

#### Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows For the six months to December 31, 2017

(expressed on Eastern Caribbean dollars)

	Unaudited December 2017	Unaudited September 2017	Audited June 2017	Unaudited March 2017	Unaudited December 2016
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cash flows from operating activities		4 (50 000	0.515.650		
Operating income / (loss) for the year	5,587,212	1,672,939	8,715,678	4,827,540	3,188,303
Items not affecting cash	(150,000)	(75,000)	(820,802)	225.000	150,000
Provision for loan impairment	(150,000)	(75,000)	(839,802)	225,000	150,000
Realized gains on investment securities Losses from movement in foreign currency exchange rates	(582,082)	(287,729)	(386,008) 68,145	(744,889)	(388,809)
Depreciation and amortization	607,871	312,936	1,083,292	923,807	619,871
Interest income	(10,288,309)	(4,690,885)	(20,943,737)	(14,690,720)	(9,745,235)
Interest expense	3,867,896	1,932,307	7,413,337	5,518,361	3,784,871
Cash flows generated from operating income before changes in					
operating assets and liabilities	(957,412)	(985,432)	(4,889,095)	(3,940,901)	(2,390,999)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities					
(Decrease) / Increase in mandatory deposits held with Central Bank	(1,159,779)	1,932,334	(5,202,756)	(7,047,469)	6,159,527
(Increase) / Decrease in other assets	(2,238,585)	(733,610)	(2,493,925)	(2,383,421)	(5,659,553)
Increase in loans and advances, net of payments received	(14,064,313)	(5,655,443)	(11,236,755)	(6,208,148)	(4,274,638)
(Decrease) / Increase in customers' deposits	(16,592,615)	(2,935,403)	(39,961,348)	(48,759,044)	(35,898,800)
Increase / (Decrease) in other liabilities and accrued expenses	2,647,483	(681,497)	425,885	(934,763)	(2,901,882)
Net cash from operations before interest and tax	(32,365,221)	(9,059,051)	(63,357,994)	(69,273,747)	(44,966,345)
Interest paid	(3,650,229)	(1,921,291)	(795,837)	(5,835,334)	(3,950,000)
Interest paid	11,243,692	5,894,706	20,843,083	15,334,386	10,362,180
Income tax (paid) / received	(248,625)	(22,934)	(7,429,604)	(1,018,751)	(747,683)
Net cash used in operating activities	(25,020,383)	(5,108,570)	50,740,352	(60,793,446)	(39,301,848)
Cash flows from investing activities	(165,629)	(24)	(200 571)	(101.426)	(120.256)
Purchase of property, plant, equipment, and intangible assets Increase in Other Deposits	(165,628) (5,324,322)	(24) (13,060,399)	(300,571) 2,156,122	(191,436) (14,073,471)	(120,356) (24,200,858)
Increase in Fixed Deposits	(19,667,996)	(6,051,070)	2,149,855	1,002,611	2,963,610
Purchase of investment securities	(6,208,301)	(5,666,563)	(11,078,512)	(3,031,111)	2,715,065
Net cash used in investing activities	(31,366,247)	(24,801,692)	(7,108,288)	(16,293,407)	(18,642,539)
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Cash Flows from financing activities					
Issuance of shares	10,554,560	-	4,460,892	-	-
Dividends paid	(2,714,708)	-	(1,402,145)	(1,402,153)	(1,402,153)
Net cash from financing activities	7,839,852	-	3,058,747	(1,402,153)	(1,402,153)
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(48,546,778)	(29,910,262)	(54,789,893)	(78,489,006)	(59,346,540)
Net foreign currency rate movements on amounts from banks	-	-	(115,923)	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	120,130,047	175,035,863	175,035,863	175,035,863	175,035,863
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year	71,583,269	145,125,601	120,130,047	96,546,857	115,689,323
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Cash and balances due from other banks	51,680,053	112,905,551	50,810,014	66,844,638	76,681,161
Cash and cash equivalents – assets of subsidiary held for sale Investment securities	- 19,903,216	32,220,050	42,264,562 27,055,471	- 29,702,219	39,008,162
investment securities	71,583,269	145,125,601	120,130,047	<u>96,547,857</u>	115,689,323
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