

Fixed Income Clearing Corporation

Condensed Financial Statements
as of March 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016 and for the
three months ended March 31, 2017 and 2016

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FIXED INCOME CLEARING CORPORATION
CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION (UNAUDITED)

<u>(In thousands, except share data)</u>	<u>As of March 31, 2017</u>	<u>As of December 31, 2016</u>
ASSETS:		
CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 224,939	\$ 210,109
Accounts receivable	14,809	14,342
Clearing Fund:		
Cash deposits	8,981,568	9,660,414
Investments in marketable securities	25,000	25,000
Securities on deposit - at fair value	11,402,142	13,648,443
Other Participants' assets	984	867
Other current assets	1,727	2,265
Total current assets	<u>20,651,169</u>	<u>23,561,440</u>
NON-CURRENT ASSETS:		
Premises and equipment - net of accumulated depreciation of \$17,623 and \$17,617 as of March 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016, respectively	717	723
Intangible assets - net of accumulated amortization of \$69,192 and \$111,504 as of March 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016, respectively	15,086	15,443
Total non-current assets	<u>15,803</u>	<u>16,166</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>\$ 20,666,972</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 23,577,606</u></u>
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY:		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable	\$ 9,730	\$ 4,218
Clearing Fund:		
Cash deposits	9,006,568	9,685,414
Securities on deposit - at fair value	11,402,142	13,648,443
Payable to Participants	984	867
Other current liabilities	4,924	2,140
Total current liabilities	<u>20,424,348</u>	<u>23,341,082</u>
OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Other non-current liabilities	7,618	6,525
Total liabilities	<u>20,431,966</u>	<u>23,347,607</u>
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (Note 6)		
SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY:		
Common stock, \$0.50 par value - 105,000 shares authorized; 20,400 shares issued and outstanding	10	10
Paid-in capital	86,617	86,617
Retained earnings	148,379	143,372
Total shareholder's equity	<u>235,006</u>	<u>229,999</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY	<u><u>\$ 20,666,972</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 23,577,606</u></u>

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CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (UNAUDITED)

(In thousands)	For the three months ended March 31,	
	2017	2016
REVENUES:		
Clearing services	\$ 56,886	\$ 48,016
EXPENSES:		
Employee compensation and related benefits	19,131	18,515
Information technology	4,875	3,756
Professional and other services	20,419	16,766
Occupancy	1,328	2,435
Depreciation and amortization	2,219	3,856
General and administrative	804	1,394
Total expenses	48,776	46,722
Total operating income	8,110	1,294
NON-OPERATING INCOME (EXPENSE):		
Interest income	16,208	7,578
Refunds to Participants	(15,810)	(6,801)
Interest expense	—	(234)
Total non-operating income	398	543
Income before taxes	8,508	1,837
Provision for income taxes	3,501	859
Net income	\$ 5,007	\$ 978

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CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY (UNAUDITED)

<u>(In thousands)</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>Paid-In Capital</u>	<u>Retained Earnings</u>	<u>Total Shareholder's Equity</u>
BALANCE - January 1, 2016	\$ 10	\$ 86,617	\$ 127,524	\$ 214,151
Net income	—	—	15,848	15,848
BALANCE - December 31, 2016	10	86,617	143,372	229,999
Net income	—	—	5,007	5,007
BALANCE - March 31, 2017	<u>\$ 10</u>	<u>\$ 86,617</u>	<u>\$ 148,379</u>	<u>\$ 235,006</u>

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CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

(In thousands)	For the three months ended March 31,	
	2017	2016
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Net income	\$ 5,007	\$ 978
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	2,219	3,856
Net discount on Investments in marketable securities	(42)	61
Deferred income taxes	701	296
Net change in:		
Accounts receivable	(425)	(18,198)
Other assets	538	488
Accounts payable	5,512	1,117
Other liabilities	3,176	(118)
Net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities	<u>16,686</u>	<u>(11,520)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Purchases of Intangible assets	<u>(1,856)</u>	<u>(1,517)</u>
Net cash provided by/(used in) investing activities	<u>(1,856)</u>	<u>(1,517)</u>
Net increase/(decrease) in Cash and cash equivalents	14,830	(13,037)
Cash and cash equivalents - Beginning of period	<u>210,109</u>	<u>215,440</u>
Cash and cash equivalents - End of period	<u>\$ 224,939</u>	<u>\$ 202,403</u>
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE:		
Cash interest paid	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 219</u>

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NOTES TO CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

AS OF MARCH 31, 2017 AND DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2017 AND 2016

1. BUSINESS AND OWNERSHIP

Fixed Income Clearing Corporation (FICC or the Company), a clearing agency registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), provides central counterparty (CCP) services to firms that participate in the U.S. government and mortgage-backed securities markets (collectively referred to as Participants). Services provided by FICC consist principally of automated real-time trade comparison, netting, settlement, trade confirmation, risk management and electronic pool notification. FICC has two Divisions, the Government Securities Division (GSD) and the Mortgage-Backed-Securities Division (MBSD).

FICC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation (DTCC). Other subsidiaries of DTCC include The Depository Trust Company (DTC), National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC), Omgeo LLC, DTCC Deriv/SERV LLC, DTCC Solutions LLC and Business Entity Data, B.V..

FICC is designated as a Systematically Important Financial Market Utility (SIFMU) by the U.S. Financial Stability Oversight Council under Title VIII of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010.

2. BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND USE OF ESTIMATES

Basis of presentation. The accompanying Condensed Financial Statements are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP). The accompanying interim financial statements have not been audited. As such, these interim financial statements do not include all of the information and notes required by U.S. GAAP for complete financial statements and should be read in conjunction with FICC's Audited Financial Statements for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, which are located on the Company's website at <http://www.dtcc.com/legal/financial-statements>. See Notes 2 and 3 in FICC's Audited Financial Statements for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, for additional information on the Company's Summary of Significant Accounting Policies and Accounting and Reporting Developments, respectively.

The Condensed Financial Statements reflect all adjustments of a normal recurring nature that are, in the opinion of management, necessary for the fair presentation of the results for the interim period. The results of operations for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of results for the entire year.

Use of estimates. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the Condensed Financial Statements. Management makes estimates regarding, among other things, the collectability of receivables, the outcome of litigation, the realization of deferred taxes, unrecognized tax benefits, fair value measurements and other matters that affect the reported amounts. Estimates, by their nature, are based on judgment and available information as of March 31, 2017; therefore, actual results could differ materially from those estimates.

FIXED INCOME CLEARING CORPORATION**NOTES TO CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)****AS OF MARCH 31, 2017 AND DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2017 AND 2016****3. CLEARING FUND**

Details for the Clearing Fund deposits as of March 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016 follow (in thousands):

	2017			2016		
	GS Division	MBS Division	Total	GS Division	MBS Division	Total
Required deposits	\$ 9,273,049	\$ 4,971,183	\$ 14,244,232	\$ 11,734,745	\$ 6,553,783	\$ 18,288,528
Excess deposits	5,263,415	901,063	6,164,478	4,176,982	868,347	5,045,329
Total	<u>\$ 14,536,464</u>	<u>\$ 5,872,246</u>	<u>\$ 20,408,710</u>	<u>\$ 15,911,727</u>	<u>\$ 7,422,130</u>	<u>\$ 23,333,857</u>

Details for the Clearing Fund deposits as of March 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016 follow (in thousands):

	2017			2016		
	GS Division	MBS Division	Total	GS Division	MBS Division	Total
Cash deposits	\$ 5,478,900	\$ 3,502,668	\$ 8,981,568	\$ 6,001,717	\$ 3,658,697	\$ 9,660,414
Investments in marketable securities	—	25,000	25,000	—	25,000	25,000
Securities on deposit - at fair value	9,057,564	2,344,578	11,402,142	9,910,010	3,738,433	13,648,443
Total	<u>\$ 14,536,464</u>	<u>\$ 5,872,246</u>	<u>\$ 20,408,710</u>	<u>\$ 15,911,727</u>	<u>\$ 7,422,130</u>	<u>\$ 23,333,857</u>

Details for the Clearing Fund Cash deposits and Investments in marketable securities as of March 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016 follow (in thousands):

	2017	2016
Bank deposits	\$ 5,820,568	\$ 6,441,414
Money market fund investments	2,486,000	2,669,000
Reverse repurchase agreements	675,000	550,000
U.S. Treasury bills	25,000	25,000
Total	<u>\$ 9,006,568</u>	<u>\$ 9,685,414</u>

Cash deposits and Investments in marketable securities. Cash deposits and Investments in marketable securities of the Clearing Fund may be applied to satisfy obligations of the depositing Participants, as provided in FICC's rules.

Refunds to Participants. Interest income earned from the investment of Clearing Fund deposits is refunded to Participants and totaled \$15,810,000 and \$6,801,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively. The amounts refunded are included in Refunds to Participants in the accompanying Condensed Statements of Income.

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4. DEBT

During 2016, the Company repaid a loan from its parent, DTCC. Interest on the loan was \$0 and \$231,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively, and was included in Interest expense in the accompanying Condensed Statements of Income.

See Note 8 in FICC's Audited Financial Statements for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 for additional information.

Credit Ratings. The Company is rated by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (Moody's) and S&P Global Inc. (S&P). Details for senior debt ratings and ratings outlooks for the Company as of March 31, 2017 follow:

Moody's ⁽¹⁾			S&P		
Long-term	Short-term	Outlook	Long-term	Short-term	Outlook
Aaa	P-1	Stable	AA	A-1+	Stable

(1) Moody's categorizes the long-term issuer ratings of the Company as a clearing counterparty rating (CCR) under their new Clearing Houses Rating Methodology introduced in January 2016.

5. PENSION AND POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS

Eligible DTCC employees participate in DTCC's trustee non-contributory defined benefit pension plan, supplemental executive retirement plan and benefit restoration plan, which provide for certain benefits upon retirement. Eligible DTCC employees also participate in DTCC's life insurance program, which provides for the payment of death benefits to beneficiaries of eligible retired employees, and DTCC's healthcare program, which provides benefits to eligible retired employees.

Cost allocation. DTCC allocates the cost of these plans to its subsidiaries based primarily upon the proportion of each subsidiary's salary cost relative to DTCC's total salary cost. The benefit plan costs allocated to FICC were \$433,000 and \$609,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively. These costs are included in Employee compensation and related benefits in the accompanying Condensed Statements of Income.

6. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Litigation. The Company is involved in legal proceedings and litigation arising in the ordinary course of business. In the opinion of management, the outcome of such proceedings and litigation is not expected to have a material effect on the accompanying Condensed Statements of Financial Condition, Income or Cash Flows.

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7. GUARANTEES

FICC, through GSD and MBSD, provides CCP services, including clearing, settlement and risk management services. Acting as a CCP, FICC guarantees the settlement of trades in the event one or more of its Participants defaults. A Participant default is defined in each division's rules. In its guarantor role, FICC has equal claims to and from Participants on opposite sides of netted transactions. To cover its guarantee risk, FICC uses risk-based margining to collect cash and securities collateral through its Clearing Fund. FICC maintains separate Clearing Funds for each of GSD and MBSD.

Details for each Division's open positions for which a trade guarantee applied as of March 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016 follow (in billions):

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
GSD	\$ 881	\$ 890
MBSD	328	304

There were no defaults by Participants to these obligations.

See Note 15 in FICC's Audited Financial Statements for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 for additional information.

8. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company evaluated events and transactions occurring after March 31, 2017 through April 28, 2017, for potential recognition or disclosure in these accompanying Condensed Financial Statements. No events or transactions occurred during such period that would require recognition or disclosure in these accompanying Condensed Financial Statements.