



For the period ended September 30, 2020

MANAGEMENT’S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The following discussion should be read in conjunction with the unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the three and six months ended September 30, 2020 and 2019 (consolidated interim financial statements) and the notes thereto. Historical results should not be taken as indicative of future operations. The information in this report is up to date as of November 8, 2020.

The unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements (Interim Financial Statements) of the Company have been prepared in compliance with International Accounting Standards (“IAS”) 34 Interim Financial Reporting (“IAS 34”) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) and adopted by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada (“CPA”).

The Company’s website is [www.rifco.net] and all previous public Company filings are available through SEDAR [www.sedar.com].

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Cautionary Statement

Additional information relating to the Company is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com. This Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) report may contain certain forward-looking statements, including statements regarding the business and anticipated financial performance of Rifco. The users of forward-looking statements are cautioned that actual results may vary from the forward-looking information. The Company is subject to material risk factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements. The Company is subject to two main material risks, these being loan performance and continued access to capital. All future looking statements are made with the assumption that loans will perform as modelled and that the Company will continue to have access to reasonably priced capital in amounts sufficient to execute its business plan. When future looking statements are made, they will be updated within the normal course of quarterly and annual financial statements.

Description of Non-IFRS Measures

Throughout this MD&A, management uses terms and ratios which do not have a standardized meaning under IFRS and are unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers; therefore, descriptions have been provided in the MD&A. For clarity, specifically defined non-IFRS measures are capitalized throughout this document, as are other terms as defined in the Glossary of Other terms and Measures.

Management believes that some non-IFRS measures are useful for investors to use to evaluate the performance of the Company without certain IFRS requirements that some investors may consider to be unrelated to the underlying economic performance of the Company. **Management uses these non-IFRS measures to evaluate the performance of the Company.**

Specifically, management presents an Adjusted Net Income before tax measure, along with related adjusted sub-totals. Adjusted Net Income before tax Per Common Share, Adjusted Return Pre-Tax on Adjusted Equity Ratio and Adjusted Return Pre-Tax on Earning Assets Ratios are presented where Adjusted Net Income is used in the calculation in place of Net Income. Adjusted Operating expenses do not include expenses associated with the Strategic review process. **These measures do not have any standardized meaning under IFRS and are therefore unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers.**

For the Description of Non-IFRS Measures please refer to the section "Description of Non-IFRS Measures".

Rifco Overview

Rifco is focused on being the best alternative auto finance provider through its wholly owned subsidiary Rifco National Auto Finance Corporation. Our mission is to help deserving Canadians own automobiles. Rifco is Canada's largest publicly traded alternative auto finance company.

Rifco seeks to create sustainable long-term competitive advantages through personalized partnerships with dealers, innovative products, the use of industry-leading data and analytics, and leading collections practices. Rifco's corporate culture fosters employees that are highly engaged, innovative, and performance driven.

Rifco is committed to creating value for all stakeholders through profitable growth and predictable credit performance, while pursuing its long-term vision of \$500M in annual loan originations.

The Company operates in all provinces except Quebec. The Company and its subsidiary are incorporated under the laws of Alberta with its head office situated in Red Deer, Alberta.

Rifco trades its common shares on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol "RFC" and is a tier 1 issuer. Since commencing lending operations in February of 2002, the Company has lent over \$1.1 billion.

Strategic Perspective

As market conditions dictate, management makes strategic decisions to exploit various segments of the credit spectrum. The anticipated Credit Spread, or the difference between expected yield and forecasted net credit losses, is the most important piece

of information in making these decisions. The analysis and forecasting of the Credit Spread Rate allows management to target those credit segments which have the highest returns.

The Company manages two main strategic risk factors. First, the Company must possess competencies that drive acceptable credit performance. Second, the Company must maintain access to reasonably priced and appropriately structured capital and borrowings in order to fund its lending operations.

Rifco remains steadfast in originating finance receivables that it believes can achieve acceptable credit performance levels and profit margins. As margins are affected by funding rates and expected credit performance, the Company adjusts targeted origination levels, credit requirements, and lending rates while maintaining market continuity. Rifco will not pursue a strategy of seeking to increase its market share at the expense of unsustainable credit performance. Rifco management believes that its Credit Model will continue to produce sustainable loan performance results over normal economic cycles.

The Company funds its originated finance receivables through bank borrowing, securitization and the issuance of unsecured debentures. Rifco maintains strong funding relationships and has been able to receive increased levels of funding capacity as needed.

COVID-19

The outbreak of COVID-19 and associated lock-downs and government interventions are a rapidly evolving situation without historical precedent for comparison and prediction purposes.

Rifco was identified as an essential service in Alberta and continued to operate each business day since the start of the outbreak.

The Company has undertaken a number of initiatives:

- Rifco's entire team has been operationally tested to work from home with full access to all necessary systems and tools
- Implemented extraordinary cleaning and hygiene practices, signage, and supplies
- Reduced office, workspace and meeting room density limits
- From June 2020 to September 2020, via a workshare program and layoffs, Rifco reduced its human resources expenses
- Credit tightening increased proof of income thresholds, prohibited lending to borrowers employed in certain industries and tightened business rules deliberately reduced originations. All restrictions have not yet been unwound
- From March to June 2020, adapted existing payment deferral and modification tools to accommodate affected borrowers

In an effort to improve liquidity, Rifco has maintained a higher than typical amount of cash. Rifco has been in constant contact with existing funding partners and remains confident in its ability to access capital for funding new loans as needed. Rifco's liquidity position remains strong.

Rifco's increased credit restrictions and documentation requirements have had a meaningful effect on near term origination levels. Rifco was growing monthly loan originations and the trend line was positive, prior to the impact of COVID. All restrictions have not yet been unwound.

Management's initial expectation was that the lockdowns would result in immediate delinquency and loan losses. As such, in the quarter ended March 31, 2020, the company significantly increased its provision for loan losses, associated with otherwise unimpaired loans. The Company has maintained these elevated provision ratios for unimpaired loans. To date, delinquency and loan losses have not increased versus the pre-COVID periods.

While many financial services providers offered 6-months 'no-payment' loan deferrals, Rifco focused on 1 to 3-months 'reduced-payment' deferrals. The COVID deferrals and loan payment modifications, that were previously granted, are now resolved. At the April 2020 peak, 10.9% of our loans had some degree of payment deferral in the month. In aggregate, Rifco granted COVID deferrals to about 12% of its accounts. Since the end of July, only 1% of accounts were remaining in some sort of temporary modified payment arrangement. This is comparable to the February 2020 (pre-COVID) ratio of modified loans. The accounts that did receive COVID deferrals, are now, since August, reporting as having full scheduled payments due. As such, these accounts are either paying as scheduled, or are reported as delinquent.

Market Perspective

The majority of Canadians finance their vehicle purchases. A significant portion of Canadians will require near-prime or non-prime financing for these purchases.

Rifco's major competitors include two large Canadian banks that currently control a large portion of the near-prime ("B" & "C" credit) market in Canada. In addition, a number of mid-sized and smaller competitors exist throughout the near-prime and non-prime credit spectrum. Prior competitive behavior, which management had thought to be unprofitable and ultimately unsustainable appears to be negatively impacting some players in the industry. Management is seeing rationalization within the industry as competitors consolidate, sell assets and cease operations.

Rifco believes there is a possibility that the rationalization of the industry may accelerate in the current environment.

Strategic Review

On February 3, 2020 Rifco Inc. announced that they had entered into a definitive arrangement agreement pursuant to which CanCap Management Inc. (CanCap) would acquire all of the issued and outstanding common shares of Rifco. The agreement was subject to approval of 66 2/3% of the votes to be cast by Rifco shareholders at a special meeting of Rifco shareholders that was held on April 3, 2020. The motion passed.

CanCap delivered written notice to Rifco on March 27, 2020 alleging termination of the arrangement agreement among the Parties dated February 2, 2020 in respect of a statutory plan of arrangement under the *Business Corporations Act* of Alberta. CanCap alleged that what it described as "recent events" constituted a "Material Adverse Effect" on the business of Rifco under the terms of the Arrangement Agreement. As such, the Purchaser communicated that it did not intend to close the Arrangement.

Rifco subsequently filed a Statement of Claim that named both ACC Holdings Inc. (ACC) and CanCap as a defendant, and asserted that ACC and CanCap breached the terms of the arrangement agreement by failing to attend at closing and fund the transaction contemplated by the Arrangement Agreement, and by actively opposing the issuance of a final order. Rifco sought specific performance of the Arrangement Agreement as a remedy.

CanCap filed a Statement of Claim that sought an amount of "no less than" \$1 million as an "Expense Reimbursement Payment" as a result of what the Purchaser said was a breach of the Arrangement Agreement, which was that Rifco failed to warn the Purchaser about COVID-19 and a decline in oil prices which the Purchaser said constituted a "Material Adverse Effect" on Rifco.

The parties entered into a full and final mutual release and settlement agreement dated July 29, 2020, whereby the parties have, inter alia, released each other from all claims in connection with the Arrangement Agreement in exchange for a payment by CanCap and ACC Holdings Inc. of an aggregate of \$1.5M (the "Settlement Amount") to Rifco. The Settlement Amount was paid to Rifco on July 30, 2020. The income is netted against the strategic review process expenses.

Results of Operations

The results of operations and cash flows for the period ended September 30, 2020 are presented in accordance with IFRS except for the adjusted line items.

The Company is reporting the following results over the comparable period:

	As at		
	Sep 30, 2020	Mar 31, 2020	Sep 30, 2019
(\$,000's)			
Finance receivables	205,174	228,959	229,787
Total assets	210,406	228,328	232,324
Total liabilities	180,370	202,270	203,503
Adjusted Equity ¹	40,250	37,321	37,507
Equity	30,036	26,058	28,821
Delinquency Rate	3.43%	5.55%	6.15%

	For the three months ended		For the six months ended	
	Sep 30, 2020	Sep 30, 2019	Sep 30, 2020	Sep 30, 2019
(\$,000's except per share and ratios)				
Financial revenue	8,947	9,926	17,994	19,811
Credit losses	1,660	4,372	4,593	8,101
Credit Spread	7,287	5,554	13,401	11,710
Adjusted Operating Expenses ^{1,2}	2,534	2,627	5,160	5,367
Adjusted Net Income before Taxes ^{1,2}	2,295	113	3,122	702
Net income (loss) before taxes	2,752	(492)	5,405	(129)
Adjusted Net Income before Taxes per Common Share - Basic ^{1,2}	\$0.106	\$0.005	\$0.145	\$0.033
Adjusted Net Income before Taxes per Common Share - Diluted ^{1,2}	\$0.106	\$0.005	\$0.145	\$0.033
Net income (loss) per common share - Basic	\$0.097	\$(0.020)	\$0.181	\$(0.002)
Net income (loss) per common share - Diluted	\$0.097	\$(0.020)	\$0.181	\$(0.002)
Originations	11,261	27,336	18,792	57,150
Average loan receivables	204,689	226,248	210,933	225,333
Net Portfolio Yield	17.48%	17.56%	17.06%	17.58%
Credit Loss Rate	3.24%	7.72%	4.36%	7.20%
Credit Spread Rate	14.24%	9.84%	12.70%	10.38%
Financial Expense Ratio	4.80%	4.96%	4.85%	5.00%
Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio ^{1,2}	4.95%	4.63%	4.89%	4.76%
Adjusted Return Pre-Tax On Adjusted Equity ^{1,2}	23.37%	1.21%	16.10%	3.75%

¹ See the section "Description of Non-IFRS Measures" for these definitions

² Definition for Adjusted Net Income before Taxes has been revised to exclude the strategic review expenses and comparative period has been revised accordingly.

Adjusted Net Income before Taxes, for the year to date, is \$3.1M, which is \$2.4M higher than the comparable period of \$0.7M. The Company has not achieved a comparable result since fiscal year 2016. Adjusted Net Income before Taxes in the quarter of \$2.3M was \$2.2M higher than the comparable quarter of \$0.1M and \$1.5M higher than the preceding quarter of \$0.8M. The Company has not achieved a quarterly Adjusted Net Income before Taxes greater than this since the first quarter of fiscal year 2016. Adjusted Net Income before Taxes removes the effect of the non-cash provisions and the strategic review process expenses on net income before tax. Adjusted Net Income before Taxes accounts for the actual credit losses incurred in the period and is the measure that management uses to evaluate the performance of the Company in the period as it removes the volatility associated with the effect of estimates, assumptions and the strategic review expenses.

Net income before tax, for the year to date, increased by \$5.5M to \$5.4M from a net loss before tax of \$0.1M, in the comparable period. Net income before tax, for the quarter, increased by \$3.2M to \$2.8M from a net loss before tax of \$0.5M in the comparable quarter and \$0.1M from a net income before tax of \$2.7M, in the preceding quarter.

Credit Spread is one of the most important measures used by management to evaluate the performance of the loan receivables over a period. The Credit Spread Rate increased 232 basis points over the comparable period from 10.38% to 12.70%. This is the best Credit Spread Rate since the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2015. The Credit Spread rate increased by 440 basis points over the comparative quarter from 9.84% to 14.24% and increased 296 basis points from preceding quarter rate of 11.28%. This is the best Credit Spread Rate for a quarter since the second quarter of fiscal year 2014. Credit Spread has been positively impacted by improved results from the new custom credit model and pricing model.

Credit losses, including costs and net of recoveries, for the year to date, decreased by 43.42% from \$8.1M, in the comparable period, to \$4.6M in the current period. Credit losses, including costs and net of recoveries, for the quarter, decreased by \$2.7M from \$4.4M in the comparable quarter to \$1.7M and decreased by \$1.3M from \$2.9M, in the preceding quarter. The annualized Credit Loss Rate, for the year to date, decreased by 284 basis points to 4.36% from 7.20%, in the comparable period. The annualized Credit Loss Rate, for the quarter, decreased by 448 basis points to 3.24% from 7.72% in the comparable quarter and decreased by 216 basis points from 5.40%, in the preceding quarter. The Company has not seen a Credit Loss Rate in a quarter this low since the first quarter of fiscal year 2015. While credit underwriting associated with the new custom credit model and improved collections and recovery procedures have had a positive impact on credit losses, they have also benefited from COVID-19 government support programs for affected borrowers.

The Financial Expense Ratio, for the year to date, decreased by 15 basis points from 5.00%, in the comparable period, to 4.85%. The Financial Expense Ratio, for the quarter, decreased by 16 basis points from 4.96% in the comparable quarter to 4.80% and decreased 10 basis points from 4.90%, in the preceding quarter. The treasury reorganization previously announced February 2020 has contributed to an improved overall cost of borrowing despite the Company maintaining higher than normal cash on hand.

The Delinquency Rate decreased by 272 basis points to 3.43% from 6.15%, in the comparable period. The Delinquency Rate decreased 212 basis points from 5.55% at the beginning of the period. Continued government support programs for those impacted by COVID-19 has had an impact on the Company's Delinquency Rate. Loan modification and payment deferral programs are not currently having a material impact on delinquency results as the majority of these arrangements concluded in July 2020.

Adjusted Operating Expenses, for the year to date, improved by 3.86% from \$5.4M to \$5.2M, in the comparable period. Adjusted Operating Expenses during the quarter improved 3.54% from \$2.6M in the comparable quarter to \$2.5M and 3.50% from \$2.6M, in the preceding quarter. The Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio increased by 13 basis points to 4.89% compared to 4.76% in the comparative period. The Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio, for the quarter, increased 32 basis points to 4.95% from 4.63%, in the comparative quarter and 11 basis points from 4.84%, in the preceding quarter. The increased Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio was driven primarily by the declining Average Loan Receivables balance.

The Company posted year to date Originations of \$18.8M, a 67.12% decrease from \$57.2M, in the comparable period. The Company posted Originations for the current quarter of \$11.3M which is a decrease of 58.81% to the comparable period which had Originations of \$27.3. This decrease is primarily due to consumer trends and the internal restrictions on credit quality imposed due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and associated public health restrictions, consumer trends and company imposed internal restrictions on credit quality. With the lifting of some restrictions from the preceding quarter, Originations increased by 49.51% from \$7.5M, in the preceding quarter, to \$11.3M, in the current quarter.

Total financial revenue decreased 9.17% to \$18.0M from \$19.8M, in the comparable period, due to the shrinkage of the average portfolio size. Total financial revenue decreased by 1.11% from \$9.0M, in the preceding quarter, and 9.86% from \$9.0M, in the comparative quarter, to \$8.9M, in the current quarter.

Rifco is in regular contact with all of its funders and remains optimistic regarding the availability of bank borrowing and securitized facilities. Rifco has successfully completed multiple securitization tranches since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Rifco has leveraged its recent investments in its loan origination system and new credit model to enhance the automation of its credit decisioning. While all loans are verified prior to funding, approximately 80% of its credit decisioning is automated. Rifco believes that automation increases the integrity, accuracy, predictability, and reliability of decision making, improving ultimate credit spread. Automation also helps Rifco manage its operating expenses while the overall market is experiencing a decline in ultimate booking rates on applications seen.

The Company's management is focused on improving its credit performance. Predictable credit performance is imperative to achieving the Company's long-term vision of \$500M in annual loan Originations.

Comparative Results for the Period

All income and expense items are measured against the average outstanding loan receivables in the period.

	For the three months ended				For the six months ended			
	Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019		Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019	
	% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables	
(\$,000's except ratios)								
Average Loan Receivables for the Period	204,689		226,248		210,933		225,333	
Financial revenue	8,947	17.48%	9,926	17.56%	17,994	17.06%	19,811	17.58%
Credit losses	1,660	3.24%	4,372	7.72%	4,593	4.36%	8,101	7.20%
Credit Spread	7,287	14.24%	5,554	9.84%	13,401	12.70%	11,710	10.38%
Financial expenses	2,458	4.80%	2,814	4.96%	5,119	4.85%	5,641	5.00%
Adjusted Net Financial Income before Operating Expenses¹	4,829	9.44%	2,740	4.88%	8,282	7.85%	6,069	5.38%
Adjusted Operating expenses ¹	2,534	4.95%	2,627	4.63%	5,160	4.89%	5,367	4.76%
Adjusted Net Income before Taxes¹	2,295	4.49%	113	0.25%	3,122	2.96%	702	0.62%
Strategic review process	18	0.04%	(6)	(0.01%)	500	0.47%	(40)	(0.04%)
Decrease (increase) in provision for impairment	439	0.86%	(599)	(1.04%)	1,783	1.69%	(791)	(0.70%)
Net income (loss) before taxes	2,752	5.39%	(492)	(0.80%)	5,405	5.12%	(129)	(0.12%)
Income tax (expense) recovery	(649)	(1.27%)	55	0.08%	(1,492)	(1.41%)	93	0.08%
Net income (loss)	2,103	4.12%	(437)	(0.72%)	3,913	3.71%	(36)	(0.04%)
Adjusted Net Income before Taxes per Common Share: ¹								
Basic	\$0.106		\$0.005		\$0.145		\$0.033	
Diluted	\$0.106		\$0.005		\$0.145		\$0.033	
Net income per common share:								
Basic	\$0.097		\$(0.020)		\$0.181		\$(0.002)	
Diluted	\$0.097		\$(0.020)		\$0.181		\$(0.002)	

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Financial Revenue

	For the three months ended				For the six months ended			
	Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019		Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019	
	% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables	
(\$,000's except ratios)								
Average Loan Receivables for the Period	204,689		226,248		210,933		225,333	
Interest income	8,719	17.04%	9,450	16.72%	17,635	16.72%	18,685	16.58%
Discount income	501	0.98%	868	1.52%	1,041	0.99%	2,114	1.88%
Fee income	357	0.70%	469	0.84%	654	0.62%	796	0.70%
Gross Financial Revenue	9,577	18.72%	10,787	19.08%	19,330	18.33%	21,595	19.16%
Loan origination and acquisition costs	(630)	(1.24%)	(861)	(1.52%)	(1,336)	(1.27%)	(1,784)	(1.58%)
Financial revenue	8,947	17.48%	9,926	17.56%	17,994	17.06%	19,811	17.58%

Gross Portfolio Yield is comprised of the interest, discount, and fees earned before expensing the amortization of origination costs. Gross Portfolio Yield decreased by 83 basis points, for the year to date, from 19.16%, in the comparable period, to 18.33% in the current period due to the shrinkage of the portfolio purchased in June 2018. Gross Portfolio Yield decreased by 36 basis points from 19.08%, in the comparative quarter, to 18.72%, in the current quarter. Gross Portfolio Yield increased 74 basis points from 17.98%, in the preceding quarter. Net Portfolio Yield decreased by 52 basis points, for the year to date, from 17.58% in the prior period to 17.06% in the current period. Net Portfolio Yield during the quarter decreased 8 basis points from 17.56% in the comparable quarter to 17.48%. Net Portfolio Yield during the quarter increased 38 basis points from 16.68% in the preceding quarter.

As the portfolio purchased in June 2018 rapidly pays down, elevated interest and discount income has largely normalized. The purchased portfolio represents 1.98% of the total portfolio as of September 30, 2020 compared to 9.82% at time of purchase in June 2018.

Total financial revenue decreased 9.17% to \$18.0M from \$19.8M, in the comparable period, due to the shrinkage of the average portfolio size as principal paydowns exceeded originations during the period. Total financial revenue decreased by 1.11% from \$9.0M, in the preceding quarter, and 9.86% from \$9.0M, in the comparative quarter, to \$8.9M, in the current quarter.

The majority of loan receivables are comprised of near-prime vehicle purchase loans that are generally priced at risk-adjusted annual interest rates between 10% and 25%. Additionally, the Company has a non-prime lending program that is being offered through limited dealer partners. As part of the program, GPS and starter interrupter devices are required to be installed on each financed vehicle. The program delivers the Company a Net Portfolio Yield between 33% and 44%. Dealer partners pay a discount fee to the Company which increases the Net Portfolio Yield to the Company.

When the Company originates a loan receivable, certain expenses are incurred. These expenses include commission paid to dealers, security registration, credit reports obtained, internet portal costs, and vehicle valuation reports. The largest of these expenses is the commission paid to dealers. The origination expenses are amortized over the life of the loan receivable and are netted against interest income. The year to date amortization of origination expenses decreased by 25.11% from \$1.8M in the comparative period to \$1.3M. The rate as a percentage of average loan receivables decreased by 31 basis points from 1.58% to 1.27% in the current period. The amortization of origination expenses decreased by 26.83% from \$0.9M in the comparative period to \$0.6M. The rate as a percentage of average loan receivables decreased by 28 basis points from 1.52% to 1.24%, in the current quarter.

Credit Losses

Management intends to originate a portfolio of finance receivables that will generate interest income sufficient to compensate for the underwriting risk and to maintain a positive profit margin. Credit losses are budgeted as a significant expense. Credit losses are a trailing indicator of credit quality. The impact of credit underwriting policy may not be fully observed for up to 24 subsequent months. The new Custom Credit model was implementing January 1, 2020. Rifco management focuses on achieving an attractive threshold Credit Spread Rate, rather than targeting a specific loss rate.

	For the three months ended				For the six months ended			
	Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019		Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019	
	% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables	
(\$,000's except ratios)								
Average Loan Receivables for the Period	204,689		226,248		210,933		225,333	
Credit losses - net of recoveries	1,397	2.73%	3,947	6.96%	4,036	3.83%	7,193	6.39%
Repossession and recovery costs	263	0.51%	425	0.76%	557	0.53%	908	0.81%
Total Credit Losses	1,660	3.24%	4,372	7.72%	4,593	4.36%	8,101	7.20%

Credit losses, including costs and net of recoveries, for the year to date, decreased by 43.42% from \$8.1M, in the comparable period, to \$4.6M in the current period. Credit losses, including costs and net of recoveries, for the quarter, decreased by \$2.7M from \$4.4M in the comparable quarter to \$1.7M and decreased by \$1.3M from \$2.9M, in the preceding quarter. The annualized Credit Loss Rate, for the year to date, decreased by 284 basis points to 4.36% from 7.20%, in the comparable period. The annualized Credit Loss Rate, for the quarter, decreased by 448 basis points to 3.24% from 7.72% in the comparable quarter and decreased by 216 basis points from 5.40%, in the preceding quarter. While credit underwriting associated with the new custom credit model and improved collections and recovery procedures have had a positive impact on credit losses, they have also benefited from COVID-19 government support programs for affected borrowers.

The Delinquency Rate decreased by 272 basis points to 3.43% from 6.15%, in the comparable period. The Delinquency Rate decreased 212 basis points from 5.55% at the beginning of the period. Continued government support programs for those impacted by COVID-19 has had a strong impact on the Company's Delinquency Rate. Loan modification and payment deferral programs are not currently having a material impact on delinquency results.

While many financial services providers offered 6-months 'no-payment' loan deferrals, Rifco focused on 1 to 3-month 'reduced-payment' deferrals. The COVID deferrals and loan payment modifications that were granted are now resolved. At the April 2020 peak, 10.9% of our loans had some degree of payment deferral in the month. In aggregate, Rifco granted COVID deferrals to about 12% of its accounts. Since the end of July, only 1% of accounts were remaining in some sort of temporary modified payment arrangement, which is comparable to the February 2020 (pre-COVID) ratio of loans. The accounts that did receive COVID deferrals, are now, since August, reporting as having full scheduled payments due. As such, these accounts are either paying as scheduled, or are reported as delinquent.

Credit Loss Policy

The Company maintains a corresponding Credit loss policy for its most severely delinquent finance receivables. Specifically, and on a monthly basis, finance receivables are allocated as credit losses when they either exceed 120 days or are deemed to be otherwise uncollectable. Credit loss balances are continually pursued either through Rifco's employed collectors or through third party collection agency services. Recoveries are applied accordingly.

Credit Spread

	For the three months ended				For the six months ended			
	Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019		Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019	
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Credit losses	1,660	3.24%	4,372	7.72%	4,593	4.36%	8,101	7.20%
Credit Spread	7,287	14.24%	5,554	9.84%	13,401	12.70%	11,710	10.38%

Credit Spread is one of the most important measures used by management to evaluate the performance of the loan receivables over a period. The Credit Spread Rate increased 232 basis points over the comparable period from 10.38% to 12.70%. The Credit Spread rate increased by 440 basis points over the comparative quarter from 9.84% to 14.24% and increased 296 basis points from preceding quarter rate of 11.28%. Credit Spread has been positively impacted by improved results from the new custom credit model and pricing model.

Financial Expenses

	For the three months ended				For the six months ended			
	Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019		Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019	
	% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables	
(\$,000's except ratios)								
Average Loan Receivables for the Period	204,689		226,248		210,933		225,333	
Financial expense	2,458	4.80%	2,814	4.96%	5,119	4.85%	5,641	5.00%

Financial expense includes interest paid on bank borrowings, securitization debt, and unsecured debentures and also includes fees paid on borrowing.

The Financial Expense Ratio, for the year to date, decreased by 15 basis points from 5.00%, in the comparable period, to 4.85%. The Financial Expense Ratio, for the quarter, decreased by 16 basis points from 4.96% in the comparable quarter to 4.80% and decreased 10 basis points from 4.90%, in the preceding quarter. The treasury reorganization previously announced February 2020 has contributed to an improved overall cost of borrowing despite the Company maintaining higher than normal cash on hand.

Operating Expenses

	For the three months ended				For the six months ended			
	Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019		Sep 30, 2020		Sep 30, 2019	
	% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables		% of loan receivables	
(\$,000's except ratios)								
Average Loan Receivables for the Period	204,689		226,248		210,933		225,333	
Wage and benefits	1,786	3.49%	1,766	3.12%	3,786	3.59%	3,705	3.29%
Professional fees	84	0.16%	113	0.20%	128	0.12%	164	0.14%
Office and general	523	1.02%	526	0.91%	960	0.91%	1,067	0.95%
Stock based compensation	30	0.06%	58	0.12%	65	0.06%	133	0.12%
Depreciation and amortization	111	0.22%	164	0.28%	221	0.21%	298	0.26%
Adjusted Operating Expenses	2,534	4.95%	2,627	4.63%	5,160	4.89%	5,367	4.76%
Strategic review process	(18)	(0.04%)	6	0.01%	(500)	(0.47%)	40	0.04%
Operating Expenses	2,516	4.91%	2,633	4.64%	4,660	4.42%	5,407	4.80%

Adjusted Operating Expenses, for the year to date, improved by 3.86% from \$5.4M to \$5.2M, in the comparable period. Adjusted Operating Expenses, during the quarter, improved 3.54% from \$2.6M in the comparable quarter to \$2.5M and 3.50% from \$2.6M, in the preceding quarter. The Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio increased by 13 basis points to 4.89% compared to 4.76% in the comparative period. The Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio, for the quarter, increased 32 basis points to 4.95% from 4.63%, in the comparative quarter, and 11 basis points from 4.84%, in the preceding quarter. The increased Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio was driven primarily by the declining Average Loan Receivables balance.

The improvement of the Adjusted Efficiency Ratio from its peak of 35.76% in the third quarter of fiscal year 2019 has levelled out to the current quarter's ratio of . This is an improvement of 71 basis points from , in the preceding quarter, and an increase of 185 basis points from the , in the comparable quarter.

Summary of Quarterly Results

For the fiscal periods ended	2021		2020				2019		
	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2
(\$,000's except per share & ratios)									
Finance receivables	205,174	215,069	228,959	230,356	229,787	230,101	228,535	234,507	242,274
Total assets	210,406	220,871	228,328	233,081	232,324	232,222	230,145	235,254	243,204
Total liabilities	180,370	192,967	202,270	204,030	203,503	203,023	201,421	206,447	214,649
Adjusted Equity	40,250	38,311	37,321	37,372	37,507	37,449	36,833	37,017	37,213
Shareholders' equity	30,036	27,904	26,058	29,051	28,821	29,199	28,724	28,806	28,555
Book Value Per Share	\$1.39	\$1.29	\$1.21	\$1.35	\$1.33	\$1.35	\$1.33	\$1.33	\$1.32
Adjusted Book Value Per Share	\$1.86	\$1.77	\$1.73	\$1.73	\$1.74	\$1.73	\$1.71	\$1.71	\$1.72
Stock price	\$0.94	\$0.70	\$0.79	\$0.85	\$0.85	\$0.85	\$0.90	\$0.80	\$1.15
For the Period:									
Finance receivables originated	11,261	7,532	24,021	27,155	27,336	29,814	20,223	21,276	19,295
Average loan receivables	204,689	216,988	224,580	225,815	226,248	224,553	227,008	233,276	244,613
Total financial revenue	8,947	9,047	9,744	9,819	9,926	9,885	9,518	10,194	10,947
Adjusted Net Income (Loss) before Taxes ¹	2,295	827	660	(81)	113	588	37	(330)	637
Net income (loss) before taxes	2,752	2,653	(3,801)	398	(492)	362	177	282	525
Net income (loss)	2,103	1,810	(3,030)	185	(437)	400	(118)	181	(870)
Adjusted Net Income (Loss) before Taxes per Common Share:									
Basic	\$0.106	\$0.038	\$0.031	\$(0.004)	\$0.005	\$0.027	\$0.002	\$(0.015)	\$0.029
Diluted	\$0.106	\$0.038	\$0.031	\$(0.004)	\$0.005	\$0.027	\$0.002	\$(0.015)	\$0.029
Net income (loss) per common share:									
Basic	\$0.097	\$0.084	\$(0.140)	\$0.009	\$(0.020)	\$0.019	\$(0.005)	\$0.008	\$(0.040)
Diluted	\$0.097	\$0.084	\$(0.140)	\$0.009	\$(0.020)	\$0.019	\$(0.005)	\$0.008	\$(0.040)
Loan Receivable Performance Measures: ²									
Net Portfolio Yield	17.48%	16.68%	17.35%	17.38%	17.56%	17.60%	16.76%	17.48%	17.90%
Credit Loss Rate	3.24%	5.40%	6.17%	7.66%	7.72%	6.64%	6.51%	6.73%	6.48%
Credit Spread Rate	14.24%	11.28%	11.18%	9.72%	9.84%	10.96%	10.25%	10.75%	11.42%
Delinquency Rate (over 30 days)	3.43%	1.91%	5.55%	5.32%	6.15%	5.69%	5.46%	5.33%	5.19%
Performance Measures: ²									
Adjusted Efficiency Ratio	28.32%	29.03%	29.90%	28.26%	26.47%	27.73%	30.82%	35.76%	29.92%
Leverage Ratio ³	5.23	5.77	6.12	6.24	6.19	6.20	6.25	6.36	6.54
Adjusted Return Pre-Tax on Adjusted Equity	23.37%	8.75%	7.07%	(0.87%)	1.21%	6.33%	0.40%	(3.56%)	6.78%
Ratios: ²									
Financial Expense Ratio	4.80%	4.90%	4.82%	4.96%	4.96%	5.04%	5.03%	5.06%	5.03%
Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio	4.95%	4.84%	5.19%	4.93%	4.63%	4.88%	5.18%	6.25%	5.36%
Adjusted Return Pre-Tax on Earning Assets	4.49%	1.54%	1.17%	(0.17%)	0.25%	1.04%	0.07%	(0.57%)	1.04%

¹ Definition for Adjusted Net Income before Taxes has been revised to exclude the strategic review expenses and Q1, Q2 and Q3 2020 have been revised accordingly.

² Percentages have been annualized except Efficiency Ratio and Delinquency Rate

³ Definition for Leverage Ratio has been revised to use Adjusted Equity which reflects management's view of the leverage of the Company

Asset Review

Finance Receivables

Finance receivables decreased by \$23.8M from \$229.0M at March 31, 2020 to \$205.2M at the end of the current period.

The Company originates finance receivables from credit applications submitted by approved dealers. All finance receivables are installment loan obligations with a fixed interest rate and term. All finance receivables are secured by motor vehicle collateral and are registered with the applicable provincial personal property registry.

The Company posted year to date Originations of \$18.8M, a 67.12% decrease from \$57.2M, in the comparable period. The Company posted Originations for the current quarter of \$11.3M which is a decrease of 58.81% to the comparable period which had Originations of \$27.3. This decrease is primarily due to consumer trends and the internal restrictions on credit quality imposed by the company due to the uncertain impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and associated public health restrictions. With the lifting of some restrictions from the preceding quarter, Originations increased by 49.51% from \$7.5M, in the preceding quarter, to \$11.3M, in the current quarter.

	As at			
	Sep 30, 2020		Mar 31, 2020	
(\$,000's)				
Finance receivables - securitized	155,837	75.95%	169,938	74.22%
Finance receivables - securitized (over-collateralization) ¹	20,728	10.11%	23,442	10.24%
Finance receivables - owned	28,609	13.94%	35,579	15.54%
Total	205,174	100.00%	228,959	100.00%

¹ Additional finance receivable collateral is provided as over-collateralization security to some securitizers.

Average loan receivables for the period decreased 6.39% to \$210.9M from \$225.3M, in the comparable period. The decline can be primarily attributed to extremely low origination volumes due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Cash Holdback and Over-Collateralization in Finance Receivables Securitized

When securitizing finance receivables, finance receivable over-collateralization is used. In some cases, this is used in combination with cash holdback in order to protect against the risk of prepayment and credit losses. The securitizers have recourse to draw down on the cash holdback balance held by the securitizers in the event of individual finance receivables default or prepayment. The amount of cash holdback is determined at the time of sale based on average loan terms, credit grades, and finance receivable over-collateralization. Utilizing an over-collateralization component allows for a lower level of the cash holdback. This reduces the Company's financial expense.

At period end, the total cash holdback was \$17.0M compared to \$18.8M at the prior year end. During the period, the Company received cash holdback releases of \$4.2M compared to \$3.0M, in the comparable period.

Funds in the cash holdback are restricted cash as they are subject to a number of predetermined formulas and financial covenants. Cash releases increase the Company's working capital position.

The cash holdback and over-collateralization is the Company's theoretical maximum exposure to credit losses on securitized finance receivables. However, management is of the opinion that in typical circumstances the entirety of the credit losses will be borne by the Company.

Each of the Company's securitization facilities feature loan over-collateralization. The ratio of over-collateralization is between 5% and 20%, resulting in a fraction of the finance receivables payment stream being securitized. As payments are collected from borrowers, the Company is obligated to remit a portion of each payment to the securitizer. The remaining collected payments are retained by the Company.

In the event that the Company breached its facility covenants, or if the cash holdback fell below the required percentage (applicable for facilities which have a requirement for cash holdback) of the total debt in the securitization facility, the Company would be required to remit the borrowers' entire monthly payment (100%) to the securitizer. Under this scenario, the Company's share of each borrower's payment would be deposited into a cash holdback account until the facility default is resolved.

The following table shows the effect that the total cash holdback has on the securitized debt.

	As at	
	Sep 30, 2020	Mar 31, 2020
(\$,000's)		
Total securitized debt	174,863	196,364
Total cash holdback	(16,961)	(18,797)
Securitized debt	157,902	177,567

Deferred Income Tax Asset

The Company's Deferred Income Tax Asset consists primarily of the temporary timing difference of the loan loss provision. Taxable income is calculated using actual loan losses and does not consider provisioning.

Provision for Impairment

The provision for impairment does not impact the ultimate net charge-off rate of the Company's finance receivable portfolio, which is driven by borrowers' credit profile and behavior. The Company will continue to write off loans when they either exceed 120 days or are deemed to be otherwise uncollectable. The provision for impairment only changes the timing of the recognition of loan losses. Likewise, the cash flows used in and generated by the Company's finance receivables are not impacted by the provision for impairment as any change in the estimated allowance for loan losses is a non-cash item.

The provision for impairment and ultimate carrying value of finance receivables, are not a reflection of the actual economic value of the loan portfolio, but rather, a calculation of the acquisition cost minus future expected losses with no recognition of inherent value or future revenue of the loan portfolio.

Determining the provision for impairment required overlaying the COVID-19 effects and the related factors such as: the duration of the lock-down conditions, the effectiveness and duration of government relief programs, amongst other factors – are especially uncertain. As the COVID-19 pandemic is a rapidly evolving situation, the scenarios applied, and results obtained could be especially susceptible to volatility.

	For the three months ended		For the six months ended	
	Sep 30, 2020	Sep 30, 2019	Sep 30, 2020	Sep 30, 2019
(\$,000's)				
Credit losses net of recoveries for the period	1,397	3,947	4,036	7,193
Repossession and recovery costs for the period	263	425	557	908
Provision for impairment and credit losses for the period	(1,221)	(4,971)	(2,810)	(8,892)
Decrease (increase) in provision for impairment	439	(599)	1,783	(791)

The recovery in the current period is mainly due to the shrinking finance receivable balance, the successful return to full payments status of the loans which were previously deferred, and the extremely low delinquency at the end of the period. Accounts that currently have a modification are classified as Stage 2 until they prove their ability to make full periodic payments.

Financial Capacity, Liability, and Liquidity Review

Rifco's Origination and Servicing Platform is its most valuable asset. The ability to leverage this Platform requires the financial capacity to employ appropriately priced and structured funding.

To fund the origination of finance receivables, the Company uses two bank borrowing facilities totaling \$22.5M and three securitization facilities totaling \$137.5M. The Company's combined credit facilities total \$160.0M of which there was \$113.4M in remaining capacity at period end. While this represents the currently available capacity, the annually renewing nature of two of the securitization facilities, and our 15-year history of successfully obtaining these renewals suggests actual future availability may be much higher.

Facility Availability Summary

As at Sep 30, 2020				
	Limit	Utilized	Available	Renewal Date
(\$,000's)				
Bank Borrowing - Connect First Credit Union Ltd.	2,500	-	2,500	Non-Expiring
Bank Borrowing - Canadian Schedule 1 Chartered Bank	20,000	4	19,996	29-Jan-21
Securitization - Securcor Trust ¹	50,000	4,310	45,690	31-Jul-21
Securitization - Connect First Credit Union Ltd. ²	47,500	34,782	12,718	Non-Expiring
Securitization - Canadian Schedule 1 Chartered Bank	40,000	7,525	32,475	29-Jan-21
Total active facilities	160,000	46,621	113,379	
Non-readvanceable facilities ³	132,923	132,923	-	
Total	292,923	179,544	113,379	

¹ Calculated as the sum of Tranches received, does not include repayments, and does not equal Securitized Debt.

² Revolving Securitization Facility

³ Reported as the Securitized Debt that is now removed from facility utilization. Amounts are not readvanceable.

The Company manages its liquidity and capital resources by utilizing financial leverage through a diversified and balanced approach. The Company's ability to access funding at competitive rates through various economic cycles, enables it to maintain necessary liquidity and is an important condition to future success.

The Company's primary sources of liquidity are (i) cash flows from operations, (ii) bank borrowing, (iii) securitization, (iv) unsecured debentures (v) term debt, and (vi) equity. The Company's primary use of cash is the funding of finance receivables and the funding of working capital.

In order to maintain access to liquidity from external sources, certain financial covenants must be maintained. From time to time, and typically at facility renewal, these covenants are subject to negotiation and revision.

Rifco's increased loan loss provision in quarter four of fiscal 2020 relating to the uncertainty created by the COVID-19 pandemic created a covenant violation with its funders relating to EBITDA, despite being a non-cash forward-looking estimate. Subsequent to March 31, 2020, a renewal of the facility of comparable size and terms was obtained. The facility no longer has an EBITDA covenant. The Company is in compliance with all covenants under the new facility.

Total Debt to Tangible Net Worth Ratio	As at	
	Sep 30, 2020	Mar 31, 2020
No greater than 10.0x		
(\$,000's except ratios)		
Total Debt	169,847	189,113
Tangible Net Worth	40,253	37,200
Total Debt to Tangible Net Worth Ratio	4.22	5.08

¹ See the section "Description of Non-IFRS Measures" for these definitions

Bank Borrowing

Bank borrowings is comprised of two credit facilities.

The Company has a revolving credit facility with Connect First Credit Union Ltd. of \$2.5M. The Company has provided a general security agreement covering all Company assets that is subordinated to the registered senior debt holders. The facility does not have any expiry date and is due on demand. The amount drawn on this facility at period end was Nil.

The Company obtained a revolving credit facility with a Canadian Schedule I Chartered Bank for \$20.0M effective January 29, 2020. This facility functions as a warehouse facility and finances the capital cost of an originated loan less one month's payment for up to 90 days. After 90 days, the Company must either securitize the loan with the Canadian Schedule I Chartered Bank or another approved financial institution. The facility has a January 29, 2021 renewal date. The amount drawn on this facility at period end was \$0.0M.

Unsecured Debentures

The Company issues unsecured debentures. Unsecured debentures allow Rifco the right to redeem the debenture in the last year of the agreement without penalty. The unsecured debenture holders do not have early retraction rights and have no right to convert into common shares. All unsecured debentures allow Rifco certain rights to redeem the debentures upon a change of control of the Company. The unsecured debentures have an asset coverage covenant. Non-compliance with this covenant could result in the debenture holders declaring an event of default and requiring all amounts outstanding to be immediately due and payable. The Company was compliant for the reporting period. The unsecured debentures are non-retractable with maturity dates that vary between October 2020 and February 2025. The Company has been successful in renewing or replacing maturing unsecured debentures in the past.

Unsecured debentures issued and outstanding decreased by \$1.0M from \$11.5M at prior year end to \$10.5M.

Securitization Facilities

The Company maintains securitization facilities with Securcor Trust and a Canadian Schedule I Charter Bank. The securitization debt with Securcor Trust and a Canadian Schedule I Charter Bank are annual committed facilities and future renewals are independent of previous facilities. The current annual commitment of the Securcor Trust facility is \$50M and has a \$4.3M utilization for the current period. Rifco has a 15-year history of successfully renewing its annual securitization facilities.

The Company's securitization facility with a Canadian Schedule I Charter Bank facility had \$7.5M utilization for the current period. This facility has an annual expected utilization of \$40.0M and a renewal date of January 29, 2021.

The securitization facility with Securcor Trust is subject to certain covenants. These covenants include a maximum debt to tangible net worth ratio, a minimum tangible net worth covenant and maximum delinquency and credit loss ratios. Non-compliance with any of these covenants could result in the securitizer declaring an event of default and restricting the Company from selling finance receivables into the facility, receiving future releases from the cash holdback or be forced to remit the full payment stream from over collateralized loans.

As at September 30, 2020, the Company was in compliance with all covenants. As at March 31, the Company was not in compliance with its EBITDA covenant with respect to securitization debt due to the significant increase in loan loss provisioning in anticipation of the impact of COVID-19. Subsequent to March 31, 2020, a renewal of the facility was obtained. The facility no longer has an EBITDA covenant. The new covenants were applied retroactively to March 31, 2020. The Company is in compliance with all covenants under the new facility.

The Company maintains a revolving \$47.5M securitization facility with Connect First Credit Union Ltd. The securitization facility includes three additional Alberta Credit Unions, with Connect First Credit Union Ltd. The facility has no expiry date. The facility has a fixed limit of \$47.5M and was utilized to \$34.8M at September 30, 2020.

The Company regularly securitizes loans in order to free up bank borrowing capacity, increase working capital and fix funding rates and terms.

Management determines securitization transaction levels by weighing a number of factors, some of which are as follows:

- Growth rate of originations
- Management of key financial ratios
- Securitization pricing in context of other financing alternatives

If required, the Company's liquidity can be positively impacted by securitizing owned finance receivables. Owned finance receivables have decreased by \$7.0M to \$28.6M at September 30, 2020 from \$35.6M at March 31, 2020. Securitization of finance receivables would typically contribute net cash proceeds at the time of the transaction.

The Company originated \$18.8M in finance receivables in the period and securitized \$23.9M in loan principal representing 127.3% of originations.

The Company is in regular contact with all of its funders and remains optimistic regarding the availability of bank borrowing facilities and securitized facilities through the current fiscal period and beyond. The Company manages origination rates, credit facilities, and Net Financing Margin in order to maximize liquidity and maintain acceptable profitability. The interest rates and credit facility limits currently being received are expected to allow for profitable growth.

Cash flow measurements

The following tables contain non-IFRS measures and therefore should not be considered, in isolation or as a substitute for measures prepared and presented in accordance with IFRS.

Modified Funds Flow from Operations

	For the three months ended		For the six months ended	
	Sep 30, 2020	Sep 30, 2019	Sep 30, 2020	Sep 30, 2019
(\$,000's except per share)				
Net cash flows from (used in) operating activities	14,419	1,386	27,116	(362)
Funds advanced on finance receivables	11,261	27,336	18,792	57,150
Principal collections of finance receivables	(19,757)	(23,704)	(38,541)	(48,705)
Credit losses net of recoveries	(1,397)	(3,947)	(4,036)	(7,193)
Origination costs and discounts - net	704	1,468	1,308	2,779
Settlement received	(1,500)	-	(1,500)	-
Other receivables, payables and prepaid expenses	(498)	(1,384)	2,271	(912)
Modified Funds Flow From Operations	3,232	1,155	5,410	2,757
Weighted average number of common shares	21,597	21,597	21,597	21,597
Modified Funds Flow From Operations per share	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.13

The Modified Funds Flow from Operations table provides useful information as it is not directly impacted by variability in the level of loan Originations. Modified Funds Flow from Operations represents cash generation for the period excluding activities relating to the finance receivables balance.

Modified Funds Flow from Operations was \$5.4M in the current period, a 96.23% increase from \$2.8M in the comparative period. Modified Funds Flow from Operations was \$3.2M, in the current quarter, a 179.83% increase from \$1.2M, in the comparative quarter. Modified Funds Flow from Operations of \$0.25 per share for the period, compared with \$0.13 per share in the comparative period.

Equity

	As at	
	Sep 30, 2020	Mar 31, 2020
(\$,000's except per share)		
Adjusted Equity	40,250	37,321
Less: Provision for impairment - after tax ¹	10,214	11,263
Equity	30,036	26,058
Shares outstanding	21,597	21,597
Adjusted Book Value per Share	\$1.86	\$1.73
Book value per share	\$1.39	\$1.21

¹ Current weighted average tax rate of 23.99% assumed constant for life of provision for impairment for Sep 30, 2020. Weighted average tax rate of 26% assumed constant for life of provision for impairment for Mar 31, 2020.

Equity increased to \$30.0M from \$26.1M at March 31, 2020. Adjusted Equity increased by \$2.9M to \$40.3M from \$37.3M. Adjusted Book Value Per Share increased to \$1.86 from \$1.73 at March 31, 2020.

Leverage Measurements

	As at	
	Sep 30, 2020	Mar 31, 2020
(\$,000's except ratio)		
Total assets	210,406	228,328
Adjusted Equity	40,250	37,321
Leverage Ratio	5.23	6.12

The Leverage Ratio has decreased from 6.12 at year end to 5.23 at period end. Part of the decrease is due to the decrease in finance receivables – net.

Contractual Obligations

The following table sets forth short and long-term obligations as at period end and the timing of future payments under those obligations. The obligations include the operating leases for premises, unsecured debentures, securitized debt, and software hosting agreements.

The lease liability consists of premises lease commitments. Penalties would be incurred if early termination was required.

	Payments due by period				
	Less than 1				Total
	year	1 to 3 years	4 to 5 years	Over 5 years	
(\$,000's)					
Securitization debt - undiscounted ¹	49,264	106,710	21,543	649	178,166
Unsecured debentures ²	3,735	6,119	2,520	-	12,374
Lease liability ³	254	545	615	459	1,873
Purchase obligations ⁴	85	-	-	-	85
Total contractual obligations	53,338	113,374	24,678	1,108	192,498

¹ Securitization debt is presented as the total stream of payments less the offset of the cash holdback released in the corresponding year. No provisions have been made for credit losses or loan prepayments.

² Unsecured debentures – repayments of principal and future interest

³ Lease liabilities is presented as total stream of payments.

⁴ Purchase obligations – an agreement to purchase goods or services that is enforceable and legally binding to the Company. The Company's obligations are for its software agreements.

Management and Board of Directors Compensation

As at September 30, 2020, the Company had four executive officers that receive regular employment income (including bonuses). The total amount paid to the four executive officers during the period was \$0.4M which is a decrease of \$0.1M from the \$0.5M paid in the comparative period. Executive officers also receive certain approved itemized expense reimbursement.

The Company has six directors, five of which are independent. Each director, other than the CEO, receives an annual retainer of \$13,333 and an additional \$3,333 for Chairman of the Board and \$2,000 for Committee Chairman positions held. Non-management directors receive meeting fees of \$500 per day or \$250 per day for virtual meetings and reimbursement of normal travel expenses. The fees and non-cash stock based compensation paid to independent directors in the period was \$0.1M compared to \$0.1M, in the comparable period, in addition to normal itemized expense reimbursement.

The CEO is a director but does not receive any additional compensation for services rendered in such capacity.

Related Party Balances and Transactions

During the quarter, related parties were holders of unsecured debentures in the Company. The terms offered to related parties for the unsecured debentures are identical to those offered to non-related debenture holders.

At period end, the total debentures held by related parties was \$2.5M (March 31, 2020 - \$3.0M). None of the related parties are officers or directors. The related parties are comprised of relatives of certain officers and employees of the Company who currently hold \$1.6M (March 31, 2020 - \$1.7M) in debentures with varying terms. In addition, \$0.9M (March 31, 2020 - \$1.3M) in debentures with varying terms are held by relatives and companies related to a non-management insider. These transactions are in the normal course of business and consideration established and agreed to by the related parties is at arm's length. Total interest paid to related parties in the period was \$0.1M compared to \$0.1M, in the comparable period.

	As at (Except Interest Paid)					
	Sep 30, 2020		Mar 31, 2020		Sep 30, 2019	
	Unsecured debenture balance	Interest Paid Quarter	Unsecured debenture balance	Interest Paid Year	Unsecured debenture balance	Interest Paid Quarter
(\$,000's)						
Relatives of the Chief Financial Officer	100	4	100	11	100	6
Relatives of the Chief Marketing Officer	465	22	565	51	565	29
Relatives of the Chief Credit Officer	300	10	300	25	250	14
Relatives of Director	745	32	745	54	480	19
Large Shareholder and Relatives	925	48	1,265	106	1,265	56
Total	2,535	116	2,975	247	2,660	124

Risk Factors and Management

In addition to the other information contained in the Management's Discussion and Analysis, shareholders and prospective investors should give careful consideration to the following factors.

General

There are trends and factors that may be beyond management's control which affect the Company's operations and business. Such trends and factors include adverse changes in the conditions in the specific markets for Rifco products and services, the conditions in the broader market for vehicle and consumer financing and the conditions in the domestic or global economy generally. Although the Company's performance is affected by the general condition of the economy, not all of its service areas are affected equally. It is not possible for management to accurately predict economic fluctuations and the impact of such fluctuations on the Company's performance.

Consumer Protection Laws and Government Regulations Risk

Consumer protection legislation specifically targeting high rate lenders is being introduced and/or being signed into law in various jurisdictions across Canada. Management is actively monitoring proposed and effective legislation, as well as participating in feedback exercises, primarily through its legal advisors and trade associations. Any legislation currently proposed is not expected to materially impact the Company's operations. Numerous consumer protection laws and related regulations impose substantial requirements upon lenders involved in consumer finance. Also, federal and provincial laws impose restrictions on consumer transactions and require contract disclosures relating to the cost of borrowing and other matters. These requirements impose specific statutory liabilities upon creditors who fail to comply with their provisions. Courts have applied general equitable principles to secured parties pursuing repossession or litigation involving deficiency balances. These equitable principles may have the effect of relieving an obligor from some or all of the legal consequences of default.

Rifco currently operates in an unregulated environment with regards to capital requirements. However, the Criminal Code of Canada imposes a restriction on the cost of borrowing in any lending transaction of 60%. The application of capital requirements or a reduction in the maximum cost of borrowing could impact the Company's ability to operate profitably.

Lending Risk

Rifco's finance receivables consist primarily of non-traditional loans to borrowers who may have had previous financial difficulties or may not yet have a sufficient credit history. These are borrowers that cannot meet the credit standards required by traditional lenders. There is a higher degree of risk associated with these borrowers. For this reason Rifco charges higher interest rates and expects to experience higher levels of delinquencies and credit losses than traditional lenders. Rifco cannot guarantee that delinquency and credit loss levels will correspond with historical levels experienced. There is risk that Delinquency Rates and Credit Loss Rates could increase significantly.

Rifco maintains a uniform set of credit standards and a Credit Model to support the credit approval process. Rifco utilizes risk-based pricing through its pricing matrix system to accurately reflect increasing levels of risk. Many applications are approved with a significant number of conditions and many contracts are not funded due to the borrower's inability to comply with approval conditions.

Rifco maintains a proactive position on collection of its finance receivables. The Company's systems collect payments electronically which provides for quick notification of delinquencies. Delinquent borrowers are normally contacted on the same day the Company learns that a payment has not cleared their account. Rifco reports to both credit reporting agencies in order to provide customers with additional motivation to make timely payments.

For each finance receivable granted, Rifco obtains a registered charge against the collateral through the Personal Property Security Acts (PPSA) in the applicable province. Any failure to obtain such a registration as contemplated in the PPSA may result in not perfecting a lien/security interest position in the related financed vehicle and may jeopardize the Company's ability to realize on the collateral.

In addition to the payment performance of the obligor, certain factors may affect the ability to recoup the full amount due on a finance receivable include:

- Depreciation, damage, or loss of any financed vehicle.
- Insufficient or no insurance coverage being maintained.
- Fraud or forgery by the persons financing their vehicle.
- Fraud by the dealer offering Rifco financing.
- Priority liens on financed vehicles.
- The application of federal and provincial bankruptcy and insolvency laws.
- Federal or provincial laws may prohibit, limit, or delay repossession and sale of the vehicles to recover losses on defaulted finance receivables, as well as limit Rifco's right to sue for any deficiency.

The lockdowns associated with the COVID-19 pandemic have significantly impacted automobile sales and have therefore decreased Rifco loan originations with the most noticeable impact beginning in April. The current COVID-19 pandemic and associated lock-downs could also foreseeably impact the timing and values obtained in vehicle liquidation.

Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company's financial condition is adversely affected by an inability to meet funding obligations and support its business growth. The Company manages its capital to maintain its ability to continue as a going concern and to provide adequate returns to shareholders. The capital structure of the Company consists of external debt and shareholders' equity, which comprises issued capital, contributed surplus and retained earnings.

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of economic conditions. The Company, upon approval from its Board of Directors, will balance its overall capital structure through the issuance of unsecured debentures, increasing or decreasing debt or by undertaking other activities, such as new share issuances, as deemed appropriate under the specific circumstances. The Company's liquidity and funding strategies and objectives have not changed significantly from the prior year.

The Company's bank borrowing facility and securitization facilities must be negotiated and renewed on a periodic basis. If the Company were unable to renew these facilities, on acceptable terms, when they became due, there could be a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition, liquidity, and results of operations.

The unsecured debentures have an asset coverage covenant. Non-compliance with this covenant could result in the debenture holders declaring an event of default and requiring all amounts outstanding to be immediately due and payable.

The Securcor Trust securitization facility is subject to certain covenants. These covenants include a minimum net worth ratio, a maximum debt to tangible net worth ratio and a maximum delinquency and Credit Loss Rate and a Marginal Asset Test covenant. Non-compliance with any of these covenants could restrict the Company from selling finance receivables into the trust, receiving future releases from the cash holdback or be forced to remit the full payment stream from over collateralized loans.

The Canadian Schedule 1 Chartered Bank facility is subject to certain covenants. These covenants include a minimum net worth, and a maximum delinquency and Credit Loss Rate. Non-compliance with any of these covenants could restrict the Company

from selling finance receivables into the trust, receiving future releases from the cash holdback or be forced to remit the full payment stream from over collateralized loans.

Should the Company default on any of its facilities or on its unsecured debentures, there could be a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition, liquidity, and results of operations.

Competition Risk

Vehicle purchase financing is a highly competitive market place. Some of the companies that compete in this market place on a national level often have significantly more financial, technical and human resources than Rifco. They may have solid reputations with dealers, debt providers, and greater market experience. Competitors are sometimes considerably larger and may be funded at a lower cost than Rifco can currently obtain.

Personnel Risk

Certain Rifco employees are important to its continued success. Senior executive management is not governed by management contracts. If any of these persons would be unable or unwilling to continue in their employment with the Company there could be a material adverse effect on delinquency, default, credit loss rates, originations, and financial results.

Technology Risk

Rifco is dependent upon the successful and uninterrupted functioning of its computer, internet, and data processing systems. The failure of these systems could interrupt operations or materially impact management's ability to originate and service customer accounts. If sustained or repeated, a system failure could negatively affect financial results.

Although Rifco has an extensive disaster recovery plan, which includes:

- Routinely backing up key software applications.
- Databases and hardware are subject to strict security controls.
- Off-site data backup storage with remote facility set up capabilities.

Unforeseen information loss to the Company could occur.

Economic Conditions Risk

Rifco is subject to changes in general economic conditions that are beyond its control. During times of economic slowdown or recession Rifco would generally expect to see higher delinquencies, defaults, repossessions, and credit losses which could result in the following:

- Decreased consumer demand.
- Reduced returns on repossessed vehicles.
- Delayed timing on repossession sales.
- Increase in collection staff to handle higher delinquency.
- Increased operating expenses with potentially no revenue increase.
- Sustained poor economic conditions could affect the liquidity of the Company.

Interest Rate Risk

Although, Rifco's interest rate risk has declined due to its financing strategy of matched funding through securitizations with fixed rates and locked in terms for unsecured debentures, Rifco does maintain minimal bank borrowing with variable rates.

An increase in interest rates would have an effect on Net Financing Margin through the pricing of securitizations at the time of sale. Generally, an increased rate environment would negatively affect Rifco's business as market conditions may limit the Company's ability to increase rates charged. Marginal interest rates could rise to the point where the Company's business model could be stressed.

Dealer Risk

Each dealer is required to sign an agreement outlining the terms of conduct required to enable them to process applications to Rifco. There is no recourse against a dealer for non-performance by the obligor. Rifco maintains a dealer network in all provinces

except Quebec. Management monitors portfolio originations, delinquencies and credit losses by dealer on a regular basis. Ongoing negative trends or an indication of misrepresentation by a dealer will result in the relationship being terminated. There is no guarantee that the dealer network will continue to generate referrals at the current rate.

Environmental Risk

Rifco and its activities have no direct significant impact on the environment.

Description of Non-IFRS Measures

Throughout this MD&A, management uses the following terms and ratios not found in IFRS and which do not have a standardized meaning under IFRS and are unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers, and therefore require definition. Management uses these measures to evaluate performance of the Company. These non-IFRS measures and additional information should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for measures prepared in accordance with IFRS.

Adjusted Book Value Per Share – Adjusted Equity divided by the total number of issued and outstanding common shares.

Adjusted Efficiency Ratio – Adjusted Operating Expenses divided by financial revenue reported as an annualized percentage.

Adjusted Equity – Shareholders equity plus after tax provision for impairment.

Adjusted Net Income Before Taxes – Income before taxes adjusted for non-cash change in provision for impairment and expenses related to the Strategic review process.

Adjusted Net Financial Income Before Operating Expenses – Net financial income before operating expenses adjusted for non-cash change in provision for impairment.

Adjusted Net Income Before Tax Per Common Share – Adjusted Net Income Before Taxes divided by average common shares outstanding.

Adjusted Operating Expenses – Operating expenses less expenses associated with the Strategic review process

Adjusted Operating Expense Ratio – Adjusted Operating Expenses as a percentage of average loan receivables.

Adjusted Return Pre-Tax on Adjusted Equity – Adjusted Net Income Before Taxes as a percent of average Adjusted Equity.

Adjusted Return Pre-Tax on Earning Assets – Adjusted Net Income Before Taxes as a percent of average loan receivables.

Modified Funds Flow from Operations – Includes cash generation for the period excluding activities relating to finance receivables advanced and collected, origination costs, income taxes and others shown on statement of cash flows in the financial statements.

Modified Funds Flow from Operations Per Share – Modified Funds Flow from Operations divided by the average number of issued and outstanding common shares.

Glossary of Other Terms and Measures

Contract Interest Rate – The implicit interest rate that is utilized to calculate the borrower’s regularly schedule payment.

Credit Loss Rate – The total of all credit losses, including all repossession and recovery expenses for the period divided into the average loan receivables, expressed as an annualized percentage.

Credit Spread – Total financial revenue less total credit losses.

Credit Spread Rate – Net Portfolio Yield less Credit Loss Rate.

Credit Model – The policies and processes that are followed in order to adjudicate credit applications with the goal of predictable credit losses and attractive Return on Earning Assets.

Delinquency Rate – Delinquent finance receivables divided by the total finance receivables expressed as a percentage.

Financial Expense Ratio – Financial expenses for the period as a percentage of average loan receivables, annualized.

Gross Portfolio Yield – The sum of interest income, discount income and fee income divided by average loan receivables reported as an annualized percentage.

Gross Financial Revenue – Financial revenue plus amortization of origination costs.

Leverage Ratio – Assets divided by Adjusted Equity. This is an important industry standard measurement that can be used to compare Companies and an increasing trend to a higher Leverage Ratio could indicate increasing risk.

Net Financing Margin - Net financing income before impairment divided by average finance receivables reported as an annualized percentage.

Net Portfolio Yield – Financial revenue divided by average loan receivables reported as an annualized percentage.

Operating Expense Ratio – Total operating expenses divided by average loan receivables reported as an annualized percentage.

Platform (Origination and Servicing Platform) – The proprietary systems and processes used to originate and service finance receivables with predictable credit performance. Also see Credit Model.

Tangible Net Worth – Total equity less any loss reserve shortfall

Total Debt – Total bank debt, accounts payable and accruals, income taxes payable and securitization debt.

Rifco Inc.

Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements (unaudited)

For the three and six months ended September 30, 2020 and 2019

Rifco Inc.

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Rifco Inc.

Consolidated Interim Statements of Financial Position (unaudited)

(In thousands of Canadian dollars)

As At

	Notes	September 30, 2020 \$	March 31, 2020 \$
ASSETS			
Cash	13	10,965	6,039
Finance receivables - net	3, 7, 13	195,360	217,326
Other receivables and prepaid expenses		449	619
Income taxes receivable		-	3
Property and equipment		558	610
Right of use asset		1,036	1,117
Software		159	239
Deferred income tax asset	4	1,879	2,375
Total Assets		210,406	228,328
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY			
Accounts payable and accruals	8	9,351	10,163
Income taxes payable		993	-
Bank borrowings	5, 8, 13	4	1,384
Unsecured debentures	6, 8, 12, 13	10,523	11,471
Securitization debt	7, 8, 13	157,902	177,567
Lease liabilities	8	1,597	1,685
Total Liabilities		180,370	202,270
Equity			
Share capital	9	7,614	7,614
Contributed surplus	9	4,149	4,084
Retained earnings		18,273	14,360
Total Equity		30,036	26,058
Total Liabilities and Equity		210,406	228,328

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated interim financial statements.

Rifco Inc.**Consolidated Interim Statements of Comprehensive Income (Loss) (unaudited)**

(In thousands of Canadian dollars)

	Notes	For the three months ended		For the six months ended	
		September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
		\$	\$	\$	\$
Financial revenue		8,947	9,926	17,994	19,811
Financial expense	12	2,458	2,814	5,119	5,641
Net financial income before impairment and credit losses		6,489	7,112	12,875	14,170
Provision for impairment and credit losses	3	1,221	4,971	2,810	8,892
Net financial income before operating expenses		5,268	2,141	10,065	5,278
Operating expenses					
Wages and benefits	12	1,786	1,766	3,786	3,705
Professional fees		84	113	128	164
Office and general	11	523	526	960	1,067
Stock based compensation	9, 12	30	58	65	133
Depreciation and amortization		111	164	221	298
Strategic review process	14	(18)	6	(500)	40
Total operating expenses		2,516	2,633	4,660	5,407
Net income (loss) before taxes		2,752	(492)	5,405	(129)
Current income tax expense	4	(645)	-	(1,050)	-
Deferred income tax (expense) recovery	4	(4)	55	(442)	93
Total income tax (expense) recovery		(649)	55	(1,492)	93
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) for the period attributable to equity holders		2,103	(437)	3,913	(36)
Net earnings (loss) per common share					
Basic	10	\$ 0.097	\$ (0.020)	\$0.181	\$ (0.002)
Diluted	10	\$ 0.097	\$ (0.020)	\$0.181	\$ (0.002)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated interim financial statements.

Rifco Inc.
Consolidated Interim Statements of Changes in Equity (unaudited)

(In thousands of Canadian dollars)

		Share Capital	Contributed Surplus	Retained Earnings	Total Equity
For the six months ended September 30, 2019	Notes	\$	\$	\$	\$
As at March 31, 2019		7,614	3,868	17,242	28,724
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period		-	-	(36)	(36)
Stock based compensation	9	-	133	-	133
As at September 30, 2019		7,614	4,001	17,206	28,821

		Share Capital	Contributed Surplus	Retained Earnings	Total Equity
For the six months ended September 30, 2020	Notes	\$	\$	\$	\$
As at March 31, 2020		7,614	4,084	14,360	26,058
Net income and comprehensive income for the period		-	-	3,913	3,913
Stock based compensation	9	-	65	-	65
As at September 30, 2020		7,614	4,149	18,273	30,036

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated interim financial statements.

Rifco Inc.**Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited)**

(In thousands of Canadian dollars)

For the three and six months periods ended September 30, 2020 and 2019

	Notes	For the three months ended		For the six months ended	
		September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
		\$	\$	\$	\$
Operating activities					
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) for the period attributable to equity holders		2,103	(437)	3,913	(36)
Adjustments for:					
Depreciation and amortization		111	164	221	298
(Decrease) increase in provision for impairment	3	(439)	599	(1,783)	791
Stock based compensation	9, 12	30	58	65	133
Income tax expense (recovery)	4	649	(55)	1,492	(93)
Financial expense		2,458	2,814	5,119	5,641
Interest paid		(2,327)	(2,816)	(4,987)	(5,643)
Financing costs		(20)	(66)	(55)	(149)
Amortization of origination and financing costs		667	894	1,425	1,815
Cash flows from operating activities before the following:		3,232	1,155	5,410	2,757
Funds advanced on finance receivables		(11,261)	(27,336)	(18,792)	(57,150)
Principal collections of finance receivables		19,757	23,704	38,541	48,705
Credit losses net of recoveries	3	1,397	3,947	4,036	7,193
Income taxes received		-	-	-	-
Origination costs and discounts - net		(704)	(1,468)	(1,308)	(2,779)
Settlement received		1,500	-	1,500	-
Other receivables, payables and prepaid expenses		498	1,384	(2,271)	912
Net cash flows from (used in) operating activities		14,419	1,386	27,116	(362)
Investing activity					
Purchase of property and equipment		(8)	-	(8)	-
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(8)	-	(8)	-
Financing activities					
Repayments of bank borrowings	5	(13)	(27,851)	(1,444)	(56,775)
Net advances from bank borrowings	5	4	23,990	46	46,475
Repayments of unsecured debentures	6	(950)	-	(950)	(1,450)
Advances from unsecured debentures	6	-	150	-	1,375
Repayments of term debt		-	(1,266)	-	(2,633)
Repayments of securitization debt	7	(22,346)	(22,956)	(46,003)	(47,018)
Advances from securitization debt	7	9,477	27,585	26,257	60,330
Repayments of lease liability		(44)	(26)	(88)	(60)
Net cash flows (used in) from financing activities		(13,872)	(374)	(22,182)	244
Increase (decrease) in cash		539	1,012	4,926	(118)
Cash, beginning of period		10,426	2,074	6,039	3,204
Cash, end of the period		10,965	3,086	10,965	3,086

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated interim financial statements.

Rifco Inc.

Notes to the Consolidated Interim Financial Statements

1. Incorporation and operations

Rifco Inc. (“Rifco” or the “Company”) operating through its wholly owned subsidiary Rifco National Auto Finance Corporation is engaged in vehicle financing. The Company shares are traded on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol “RFC”. The Company currently provides non-traditional vehicle financing to motorists through a network of select new and used vehicle retailers. The Company operates in all provinces in Canada except Quebec. The Company, and its subsidiary, are incorporated under the laws of Alberta. The Company’s registered office is Suite 702, 4909 49 Street, Red Deer, Alberta, T4N 1V1.

2. Basis of preparation

Statement of compliance

The unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements (Interim Financial Statements) of the Company have been prepared in compliance with International Accounting Standards (“IAS”) 34 Interim Financial Reporting (“IAS 34”) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) and adopted by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada (“CPA”). Accordingly, certain information and footnote disclosure normally included in the annual financial statements prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”) have been omitted or condensed and, therefore, these Interim Financial Statements should be read in conjunction with the annual audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2020.

These Interim Financial Statements for the for the three and six months ended September 30, 2020 and 2019 were approved and authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on November 8, 2020.

Basis of presentation

These Interim Financial Statements include the financial information of Rifco Inc., Rifco National Auto Finance Corporation, a 100% owned subsidiary and Rifco Trust, a special-purpose, bankruptcy-remote charitable trust, set up for financing of receivables, where Rifco maintains control over the servicing of the receivables and retains financial interest in the residual returns of the receivables.

These Interim Financial Statements are stated in Canadian dollars, which is the functional currency of the Company, and have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for certain financial assets and liabilities which are measured at fair value.

Use of estimates and judgments

The preparation of the Interim Financial Statements in accordance with IFRS requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise judgments, estimates and assumptions in applying the Company’s accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, equity, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from the estimates.

3. Finance receivables – net

Finance receivables - net consists of vehicle purchase loans, which generally have initial terms of 24 to 84 months with fixed rates of interest. The Company’s experience has shown that a portion of contracts will be paid in full prior to the loan maturity date. Accordingly, the maturities of finance receivables shown in the table below are not to be regarded as a forecast of future cash collections.

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Contractual loan payments, including principal and interest due under finance receivables in 12-month increments are as follows:

	September 30, 2020	March 31, 2020
(\$, 000's)		
Next 12 months	71,711	77,592
13 to 24 months	66,810	72,785
25 to 36 months	59,774	66,174
37 to 48 months	49,280	56,047
49 to 60 months	35,499	42,007
61 months and over	24,849	33,755
Gross finance receivables	307,923	348,360
Less unearned interest	(107,598)	(124,561)
Loan receivables	200,325	223,799
Accrued interest and fees	4,849	5,160
Finance receivables	205,174	228,959
Unamortized origination costs	5,290	5,860
Unamortized discounts	(1,667)	(2,273)
Less provision for impairment	(13,437)	(15,220)
Finance receivables - net	195,360	217,326

Gross finance receivables include all scheduled payments of principal and interest to be made by the customer. Finance receivables are secured by motor vehicle collateral and registered with the applicable provincial personal property registry.

The aging analysis of finance receivables is as follows:

	September 30, 2020		March 31, 2020	
(\$, 000's except %)				
Current	198,128	96.57%	216,242	94.45%
31 – 60 Days	4,255	2.07%	7,121	3.11%
61 – 90 Days	1,901	0.93%	3,425	1.50%
> 90 Days	890	0.43%	2,171	0.94%
Finance receivables	205,174	100.00%	228,959	100.00%

The following table outlines the internal credit grading at time of origination of loan receivables.

	September 30, 2020	March 31, 2020
(\$, 000's)		
Near-prime	178,843	198,786
Non-prime	21,482	25,013
Loan receivables	200,325	223,799

The Company sometimes modifies the terms of loans provided to customers due to renegotiations, or for distressed loans, with a view of maximizing recovery. Such modification activities include extended payment term arrangements, interest rate adjustments and payment forgiveness. Modification policies and practices are based on indicators or criteria which, in the judgement of management, indicate that payment will most likely continue. These policies are kept under continuous review. While in modification, the loans appear current and continues to accrue interest. Any loan that is currently under modification is classified as Stage 2 (under performing) or Stage 3 (credit impaired).

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As at September 30, 2020, there were \$4.4M (March 31, 2020 – \$10.3M) of finance receivables, constituting 2.13% (March 31, 2020 – 4.5%) of the total balance, that have been modified such that the cash flow of those loans has been significantly (>10%) impacted. Of the loans in permanent modification, 69.92% are in Stage 1 (March 31, 2020 – 77.02%).

The COVID-19 pandemic required a significant variation from normal loan modification volumes. Management authorized the use of existing payment arrangement programs designed to help a borrower transition from employment income, to government assistance and back to employment income by providing temporary partial and full deferrals of payments for up to three months. Management believes this program will provide the best net present value of payments result possible. While these COVID-19 payment arrangement options were available towards the very end of the 2020 fiscal year, only a nominal amount were granted prior to year end. The payment arrangements were largely granted in the prior quarter. As of September 30, 2020, Rifco has 0.47% of its accounts in a COVID-19 related deferral. In general, these loan modifications do not have a significant impact (>10%) on the cash flow of the loan due to the short-term nature of these modifications.

A summary of the changes in provision for impairment by stage is as follows:

	Provision carrying amount			Total
	Stage 1 (performing)	Stage 2 (under performing)	Stage 3 (credit impaired)	
(\$, 000's)				
Provision for impairment as at March 31, 2019	7,712	632	2,763	11,107
Provision on loans originated, at time of origination	1,973	-	-	1,973
Change in provision for impairment after origination	(2,210)	(51)	1,079	(1,182)
Provision for impairment as at September 30, 2019	7,475	581	3,842	11,898
Provision for impairment as at March 31, 2020	10,423	1,000	3,797	15,220
Provision on loans originated, at time of origination	1,021	-	-	1,021
Change in provision for impairment after origination	(2,219)	482	(1,067)	(2,804)
Provision for impairment as at September 30, 2020	9,225	1,482	2,730	13,437

The breakdown of the provision for impairment and credit losses for the period is as follows:

	Three months ending		Six months ending	
	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
(\$, 000's)				
Provision for impairment at end of period	13,437	11,898	13,437	11,898
Provision for impairment at beginning of period	13,876	11,299	15,220	11,107
(Decrease) increase in provision for impairment	(439)	599	(1,783)	791
Credit losses net of recoveries for the period	1,397	3,947	4,036	7,193
Repossession and recovery costs for the period	263	425	557	908
Provision for impairment and credit losses for the period	1,221	4,971	2,810	8,892

Determining the inputs required for the calculation of the expected credit losses (ECLs) requires significant estimation uncertainty. In particular, overlaying the COVID-19 effects and the related factors such as: the duration of the lock-down conditions, the effectiveness and duration of government relief programs, amongst other factors – are especially uncertain. As the COVID-19 pandemic is a rapidly evolving situation, the scenarios applied, and results obtained could be especially susceptible to volatility.

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As at March 31, 2020, the provision was increased due to the unknown impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. In the current periods, the decrease in the provision for impairment is largely due to the declining balance of the underlying finance receivables.

An analysis of the changes in the classification of loan receivables is as follows:

	Loans Receivable			Total
	Stage 1 (performing)	Stage 2 (under performing)	Stage 3 (credit impaired)	
(\$, 000's)				
Balances as at March 31, 2019	211,751	8,183	4,486	224,420
Originated	108,326	-	-	108,326
Payments & other adjustments	(80,900)	(5,108)	(7,046)	(93,054)
Transfers to (from):				
Stage 1 (performing)	(32,659)	32,659	-	-
Stage 2 (under-performing)	1,953	(26,862)	24,909	-
Stage 3 (non-performing)	380	172	(552)	-
Charge offs (net of recoveries and cost)	-	-	(15,893)	(15,893)
Balances as at March 31, 2020	208,851	9,044	5,904	223,799
Originated	18,792	-	-	18,792
Payments & other adjustments	(32,701)	(834)	(4,695)	(38,230)
Transfers to (from):				
Stage 1 (performing)	(17,317)	17,317	-	-
Stage 2 (under-performing)	4,984	(13,313)	8,329	-
Stage 3 (non-performing)	683	512	(1,195)	-
Charge offs (net of recoveries and cost)	-	-	(4,036)	(4,036)
Loan receivables as at September 30, 2020	183,292	12,726	4,307	200,325

Charge offs are the principal value of loans charged off net of recoveries and associated costs. Loans over 120 days past due are reported as a credit loss against the provision for impairment balance.

4. Income taxes

Net deferred income tax assets are comprised of the following:

	September 30, 2020	March 31, 2020
(\$, 000's)		
Deferred income tax assets		
Provision for impairment	1,874	2,340
Loss carryforward	-	39
Other	122	142
	1,996	2,521
Deferred income tax liabilities		
Property and equipment	117	146
	117	146
Net deferred income tax asset	1,879	2,375

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Reconciliation between the tax expense and the accounting profit multiplied by the federal and provincial tax rates is as follows:

	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
(\$, 000's except %)		
Net income (loss) before taxes	5,405	(129)
Statutory income tax rate	23.99%	27.00%
Income tax expense	1,297	(35)
Adjustment relating to tax rate decrease	189	-
Non-deductible expenses for tax purposes	23	136
Other	(17)	(194)
Total income tax expense (recovery)	1,492	(93)
Effective income tax rate	27.6%	72.1%
Allocation of expense (recovery)		
Current	1,050	-
Deferred	442	(93)
Income tax expense (recovery)	1,492	(93)

5. Bank borrowings

The Company had a syndicated secured committed revolving credit facility of \$50.00M with Wells Fargo Corporation Canada (Wells Fargo) and ATB Corporate Financial Services (ATB) (registered senior debt holders). This facility was paid out in full and discharged on January 30, 2020.

The Company has a revolving credit facility with Connect First Credit Union Ltd. of \$2.5M. The Company has provided a general security agreement covering all Company assets that was subordinated to the registered senior debt holders. The facility does not have any expiry date and is due on demand.

The Company has a revolving credit facility with a Canadian Schedule I Chartered Bank for \$20.0M. This facility functions as a warehouse facility and finances the capital cost of an originated receivable less one month's payment for up to 90 days. After 90 days, the Company must either securitize the receivable with the Canadian Schedule I Chartered Bank or another approved financial institution. The facility has a January 29, 2021 renewal date.

(\$, 000's)	
At March 31, 2019 - Bank borrowing	43,870
Advances from bank borrowings	82,591
Repayments of bank borrowings	(125,077)
At March 31, 2020 - Bank borrowing	1,384
Advances from bank borrowings	64
Repayments of bank borrowings	(1,444)
At September 30, 2020 - Bank borrowing	4

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The change for deferred financing costs for bank borrowing for the period is as follows:

(\$, 000's)	
At March 31, 2019 - Deferred financing costs	63
Amount of deferred financing costs expensed in the period	(79)
Additional deferred financing costs incurred in the period	45
At March 31, 2020 - Deferred financing costs	29
Amount of deferred financing costs expensed in the period	(17)
Additional deferred financing costs incurred in the period	-
At September 30, 2020 - Deferred financing costs	12

6. Unsecured debentures

Unsecured debentures are non-retractable by the noteholder within the specific terms. Maturity dates vary from October 1, 2020 to February 1, 2025 and bear interest on a monthly basis. The unsecured debentures are subordinated in favour of the registered senior debt holders. The Company must meet certain financial covenants and report to the unsecured debenture holders on a quarterly basis. As at September 30, 2020, March 31, 2020 and throughout the periods then ended, the Company was in compliance with all covenants.

A summary of unsecured debenture activity is as follows:

(\$, 000's)	
At March 31, 2019 - Unsecured debentures	12,390
Debentures matured	(3,905)
Debentures renewed	1,001
New debentures	1,985
At March 31, 2020 - Unsecured debentures	11,471
Debentures matured	(950)
Debentures renewed and accrued interest	2
New debentures	-
At September 30, 2020 - Unsecured debentures	10,523

	September 30, 2020	March 31, 2020
(\$, 000's)		
6.5% debentures outstanding	375	885
7.5% debentures outstanding	2,870	3,310
8.5% debentures outstanding	1,645	1,645
9.5% debentures outstanding	5,633	5,631
Unsecured debentures	10,523	11,471

Portion issued to related parties at period end (Note 12)	2,535	2,975
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7. Securitization

Securitization debt

The Company expects to fund a large percentage of its loan growth through loan securitization. The Company sells finance receivables to third party securitizers, in which the Company is not a beneficiary, in order to provide cash resources for loan originations. Securitization debt represents funding secured by finance receivables composed of principal and interest sold directly to the securitizers. The Company securitizes its finance receivables with Securcor Trust, a Canadian Schedule I Chartered Bank, and Connect First Credit Union Ltd. (referred to collectively as the “securitizers”). As the securitization of finance receivables does not qualify for de-recognition under IFRS, the net proceeds received through securitization of these finance receivables are recorded as securitization debt on the consolidated statements of financial position.

The securitization debt is recorded at amortized cost using the effective interest method. Interest expense is allocated over the expected term of the borrowing by applying the effective interest rate to the carrying amount of the debts. The effective interest rate is the discount rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash out flows and proceeds over the expected life of the debts. Transaction costs, premiums, or discounts are applied to the carrying amount of the debts.

Securitization debt is reduced on a monthly basis by scheduled payments and prepayments relative to amounts collected from securitized finance receivables during the month. Tranches of securitization debt have fixed maturities, fixed interest rates, and fixed repayment schedules based on the underlying pledged securitized finance receivables. Securitization debt is non-recourse to the Company.

As at September 30, 2020, the Company was in compliance with all covenants. As at March 31, 2020, the Company was not in compliance with its EBITDA covenant with respect to securitization debt due to the significant increase in loan loss provisioning in anticipation of the impact of COVID-19. Subsequent to March 31, 2020, a renewal of the facility was obtained. The facility no longer has an EBITDA covenant. The new covenants were applied retroactively to March 31, 2020. The Company is in compliance with all covenants under the new facility.

(\$, 000's)	
At March 31, 2019 - Securitization debt	128,634
Gross sale proceeds from securitizers	155,271
(Repayments to securitizers)	(98,362)
(Additions to securitization holdback)	(13,985)
Received from securitization holdback	6,135
Securitization costs incurred in the period	(354)
Securitization costs expensed in the period	228
At March 31, 2020 - Securitization debt	177,567
Gross sale proceeds from securitizers	26,257
(Repayments to securitizers)	(45,782)
(Additions to securitization holdback)	(2,335)
Received from securitization holdback	2,114
Securitization costs incurred in the period	(55)
Securitization costs expensed in the period	136
At September 30, 2020 - Securitization debt	157,902

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The change in deferred financing costs for securitized debt for the period is as follows:

(\$, 000's)	
At March 31, 2019 - Unamortized securitization costs	239
Securitization costs incurred in the period	354
Securitization costs expensed in the period	(228)
At March 31, 2020 - Unamortized securitization costs	365
Securitization costs incurred in the period	55
Securitization costs expensed in the period	(136)
At September 30, 2020 - Unamortized securitization costs	284

Securitization facilities call for a combination of cash holdback and finance receivables over-collateralization from the purchase price of finance receivables sold to securitizers.

To protect against the risk of prepayment and credit losses, the securitizers maintain, in trust, a cash holdback account. The securitizers have recourse to draw down on the cash holdback balance held by the securitizers in the event of individual finance receivables default or prepayment. The amount of cash holdback is determined at the time of sale based on average loan terms, credit grades, and over-collateralization. The holdback is netted against the securitized debt and is not disclosed separately on the consolidated statements of financial position. As at September 30, 2020 the total cash holdbacks held by the securitizers amounted to \$17.0M (March 31, 2020 - \$18.8M).

The total amount of securitization debt outstanding (excluding the cash holdbacks) as at September 30, 2020 amounted to \$174.9M (March 31, 2020 - \$196.4M).

Each of the Company's securitization facilities operates with a loan over-collateralization feature which ranges from 5% to 20%. Utilizing an over-collateralization component allows for a lower level of the cash holdback. The cash holdback and over-collateralization is the Company's maximum exposure to credit losses on securitized finance receivables. However, management is of the opinion that in typical circumstances the entirety of the credit losses will be borne by the Company.

	September 30, 2020		March 31, 2020	
(\$, 000's except %)				
Finance receivables - securitized	155,837	75.95%	169,938	74.22%
Finance receivables - securitized over collateralization	20,728	10.11%	23,442	10.24%
Finance receivables - owned	28,609	13.94%	35,579	15.54%
Finance receivables	205,174	100.00%	228,959	100.00%

Securitized finance receivables

Once the finance receivables are securitized, the Company assigns the underlying finance receivables to the securitizers. Under the terms of the securitization agreements, the Company is responsible for advancing all scheduled or received principal and a portion of the interest payments to the securitizers depending on the facility. Servicing of the finance receivables remains the Company's responsibility. In these securitization transactions, the Company retains prepayment risk. The cash holdback and over-collateralization is the Company's maximum exposure to credit losses on securitized finance receivables. Due to retention of these risks, assigned finance receivables are not derecognized, and the securitization proceeds are accounted for as securitization debt.

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Finance receivables pledged as collateral

Finance receivables used in securitization activities are pledged against the associated securitization debt. As a requirement of the securitization agreements, the Company assigns, transfers, and sets over to the securitizers, all of its rights, title, and interest in the specified finance receivables. If the Company fails to make timely payment under the securitization agreement, the securitizers may take direct control of the finance receivables and assign loan management to a back-up servicer. The Company's liability pertaining to securitization will be extinguished.

8. Contractual repayments

(\$, 000's)	Less than one				Total
	year	1 to 3 years	4 to 5 years	Over 5 years	
Accounts payable and accruals	9,351	-	-	-	9,351
Bank borrowings ⁽¹⁾	4	-	-	-	4
Unsecured debentures ⁽²⁾	3,735	6,119	2,520	-	12,374
Securitization debt ⁽³⁾	49,264	106,710	21,543	649	178,166
Lease liabilities ⁽⁴⁾	254	545	615	459	1,873
Contractual Repayments - September 30, 2020	62,608	113,374	24,678	1,108	201,768

(1) Bank borrowings is before unamortized transaction costs.

(2) Unsecured debentures are presented with the interest expense due in the corresponding year.

(3) Securitization debt is presented as the total stream of payments less the offset of the cash holdback released in the corresponding year assuming no future credit losses or loan prepayments.

(4) Lease liabilities is presented as total stream of payments.

9. Share capital and contributed surplus

a) Authorized shares

Unlimited number of Common shares, no par value

Unlimited number of Preferred shares, no par value

The preferred shares may be issued in one or more series and the directors are authorized to fix the number of shares in each series to determine the designation, rights, privileges and conditions attached to the shares of each series.

b) Common shares issued and outstanding

(000's)	September 30, 2020		March 31, 2020	
	Shares	\$	Shares	\$
Opening balance	21,597	7,614	21,597	7,614
Stock options exercised	-	-	-	-
Closing balance	21,597	7,614	21,597	7,614

Contributed surplus

The Company has a stock option plan under which directors, officers, employees and consultants of the Company and its subsidiary are eligible to receive stock options.

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The contributed surplus reserve is used to recognize the fair value of stock options granted to employees, including key management personnel, as part of their remuneration. When stock options are subsequently exercised, the fair value of such stock options in contributed surplus is credited to share capital.

	September 30, 2020	March 31, 2020
(\$, 000's)		
Opening balance	4,084	3,868
From the vesting of stock based compensation	65	216
	4,149	4,084

10. Earnings per share (“EPS”)

The calculation of the diluted income per share assumes the conversion, exercise or contingent issuance of securities only when such conversion, exercise or issuance would have a dilutive effect on the income per share. The dilutive effect of outstanding options (which are in the money) and their equivalents is reflected in diluted earnings per share by determining the number of shares that could have been acquired at fair value (determined as the period weighted average market share price of the Company’s shares) based on the intrinsic monetary value of the exercise rights attached to outstanding share options.

Weighted average number of common shares is calculated as follows:

	Three months ending		Six months ending	
	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
	Shares	Shares	Shares	Shares
(000's)				
Weighted average number of shares outstanding	21,597	21,597	21,597	21,597
Effect of potential dilutive securities due to stock options	-	-	-	-
Weighted average number of shares outstanding for use in determining diluted income per share	21,597	21,597	21,597	21,597
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) for the period attributable to equity holders	2,103	(437)	3,913	(36)

11. Office and general expenses

	Three months ending		Six months ending	
	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
(\$, 000's)				
Technology and communication	260	233	495	451
Office rent	61	71	120	141
Training and recruiting	3	-	10	6
Promotional and subscriptions	22	32	40	88
Travel	39	77	64	157
Other	138	113	231	224
Total office and general	523	526	960	1,067

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Certain telephone expenses have been reclassified, from Other to Technology and communication, in addition to the segregation of Strategic review process expenses from Travel.

12. Related party disclosures

Unsecured Debentures

During the period, related parties were holders of unsecured debentures in the Company. The terms offered to related parties for the unsecured debentures are identical to those offered to non-related party unsecured debenture holders.

At period end, the total unsecured debentures held by related parties is \$2.5M (March 31, 2020 - \$3.0M). None of the related parties are officers or directors. The related parties are comprised of relatives of certain officers of the Company who currently hold \$1.6M (March 31, 2020 - \$1.7M) in unsecured debentures with varying terms. In addition, \$0.9M (March 31, 2020 - \$1.3M) in unsecured debentures with varying terms is held by relatives and companies related to a non-management insider. These transactions are in the normal course of business and consideration established and agreed to by the related parties is at arm's length.

	Three months ending		Six months ending	
	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
(\$, 000's)				
Total interest paid to related parties	56	56	116	124

Compensation of key management personnel

The Company has four executive officers who are considered key management personnel. The remuneration of these officers for the periods ended was as follows:

	Three months ending		Six months ending	
	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
(\$, 000's)				
Compensation, including bonuses	187	187	375	375
Stock based compensation	19	39	45	85
Total	206	226	420	460
Number of stock options granted	-	-	-	260

The Company has six directors, five of which are independent. Each director, other than the CEO, receives an annual retainer of \$13,333 and an additional \$3,333 for Chairman of the Board and \$2,000 for Committee Chairman positions held. Non-management directors receive meeting fees of \$500 per day or \$250 per day for virtual meetings and reimbursement of normal travel expenses.

	Three months ending		Six months ending	
	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019
(\$, 000's)				
Fees	31	22	54	61
Stock based compensation	10	18	23	43
Total	41	40	77	104
Number of stock options granted	-	-	-	-

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13. Financial instruments

Set out below is a comparison by category of carrying amounts and fair values of all of the Company's financial instruments that are carried in the Interim Financial Statements and how the fair value of financial instruments is measured.

Fair values

Fair value represents the price at which a financial instrument could be exchanged in an orderly market, in an arm's length transaction between knowledgeable and willing parties who are under no compulsion to act. The Company classifies the financial instruments that are carried on the Interim Financial Statements at fair value according to the following hierarchy based on the amount of observable inputs used to value the instrument.

The following table provides an analysis of the financial instruments that are measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value, grouped into Levels 1 to 3 based on the degree to which the fair value is observable.

- Level 1 fair value measurements are those derived from quoted prices (unadjusted) in the active market for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 fair value measurements are those derived from inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices).
- Level 3 fair value measurements are those derived from valuation techniques that include inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

Financial Instrument Classification (\$, 000's)	Fair value level	September 30, 2020		March 31, 2020	
		Carrying value	Fair value	Carrying value	Fair value
Assets measured at amortized cost:					
Cash	(1)	10,965	10,965	6,039	6,039
Finance receivables - net	(3) (A)	195,360	195,360	217,326	217,326
Other receivables	(1)	41	41	154	154
Liabilities measured at amortized cost:					
Bank borrowings	(1)	4	4	1,384	1,412
Unsecured debentures	(2) (B)	10,523	10,800	11,471	11,698
Securitization debt	(3) (C)	157,902	161,700	177,567	181,130

- A) The fair value of finance receivables is estimated by discounting the estimated future cash flows of the portfolio at rates commensurate with the underlying risk of assets, net of a provision for impaired loans, provision for prepayment losses, and servicing costs. Rifco revised the fair value calculation of its receivables as of March 31, 2020 consistent with the implied market value, after considering transaction costs and other relevant factors of the offer by CanCap Management Inc. (CanCap) (note 14). As at September 30, 2020, Rifco calculated the fair value of its finance receivables using the current discounted cash flow calculations after considering the anticipated impact of COVID-19 on loan losses, and this amount approximates book value
- B) The fair value of unsecured debentures is determined based on an internal valuation model which factors in discount rates and future cash flows.
- C) The fair value of securitization debt is determined based on an internal valuation model which factors in the discount rate, expected future impaired loans and prepayment rates.

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14. Strategic Review

On February 3, 2020 Rifco Inc. announced that they had entered into a definitive arrangement agreement pursuant to which CanCap Management Inc. (CanCap) would acquire all of the issued and outstanding common shares of Rifco. The agreement was subject to approval of 66 2/3% of the votes to be cast by Rifco shareholders at a special meeting of Rifco shareholders that was held on April 3, 2020. The motion passed.

CanCap delivered written notice to Rifco on March 27, 2020 alleging termination of the arrangement agreement among the Parties dated February 2, 2020 in respect of a statutory plan of arrangement under the *Business Corporations Act* of Alberta. CanCap alleged that what it described as "recent events" constituted a "Material Adverse Effect" on the business of Rifco under the terms of the Arrangement Agreement. As such, the Purchaser communicated that it did not intend to close the Arrangement.

Rifco subsequently filed a Statement of Claim that named both ACC Holdings Inc. (ACC) and CanCap as a defendant, and asserted that ACC and CanCap breached the terms of the arrangement agreement by failing to attend at closing and fund the transaction contemplated by the Arrangement Agreement, and by actively opposing the issuance of a final order. Rifco sought specific performance of the Arrangement Agreement as a remedy.

CanCap filed a Statement of Claim that sought an amount of "no less than" \$1 million as an "Expense Reimbursement Payment" as a result of what the Purchaser said was a breach of the Arrangement Agreement, which was that Rifco failed to warn the Purchaser about COVID-19 and a decline in oil prices which the Purchaser said constituted a "Material Adverse Effect" on Rifco.

The parties entered into a full and final mutual release and settlement agreement dated July 29, 2020, whereby the parties have, inter alia, released each other from all claims in connection with the Arrangement Agreement in exchange for a payment by CanCap and ACC Holdings Inc. of an aggregate of \$1.5M (the "Settlement Amount") to Rifco. The Settlement Amount was paid to Rifco on July 30, 2020. The income is netted against the strategic review process expenses.