



NZX Release

9 November 2021

ASB Bank Limited to redeem securities

ASB Bank Limited (**ASB**) announces that it will exercise its option to fully redeem its NZ\$400 million subordinated notes, NZDX ticker code ABB050 / ISIN NZABBDG002C2 (**Subordinated Notes**). ASB issued the Subordinated Notes on 30 November 2016 pursuant to a Product Disclosure Statement dated 25 October 2016. The first Optional Redemption Date of the Subordinated Notes is 15 December 2021 and ASB will redeem the Subordinated Notes on this date.

Holders of the Subordinated Notes at the record date (3 December 2021) will be entitled to receive the face value (NZ\$1) of each Subordinated Note held, together with any accrued interest payable up to that date in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Subordinated Notes.

ASB will be communicating with all holders of the Subordinated Notes to notify them of this decision to redeem – a template letter is attached to this announcement.

This notice does not apply to any of ASB's other securities quoted on the NZDX.

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Redemption of ASB Subordinated Notes (“ABB050”)

This letter has been sent to you because at the date of this letter you hold ASB Subordinated Notes (NZX ticker code ABB050) issued by ASB Bank Limited (“ASB”) on 30 November 2016 pursuant to a Product Disclosure Statement dated 25 October 2016, which included the terms of the ASB Subordinated Notes (“Terms”).

In accordance with the Terms, and notice hereby given, ASB has elected to call the Subordinated Notes on the first Optional Redemption Date (15 December 2021).

ASB will pay the Principal Amount payable on 15 December 2021, being the face value of the Subordinated Notes that you hold (NZD), together with any required interest that may be payable.

A suspension of trading of the Subordinated Notes will apply with effect from the close of trading on 1 December 2021. The Record Date for the Notes will be 3 December 2021.

The face value and the required Interest will be paid to you by direct credit to your bank account. If you wish to change this payment instruction, please update at www.investorcentre.com/nz or advise Computershare in writing prior to 1 December 2021.

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Corporate Action Notice

(Other than for a Distribution)

Section 1: issuer information (mandatory)			
Name of issuer	ASB Bank Limited		
Class of Financial Product	Unsecured, subordinated, convertible fixed rate notes		
NZX ticker code	ABB050		
ISIN	NZABBDG002C2		
Name of Registry	Computershare Investor Services Limited		
Type of corporate action	Share purchase plan		Renounceable Rights issue
	Capital reconstruction		Non Renounceable Rights issue
	Call	X	Bonus issue
Record date	03/12/2021		
Ex-Date (one business day before the Record Date)	02/12/2021		
Currency	NZD		
Quotation Date ¹ (if applicable)	N/A		
Allotment Date	N/A		
Section 4: Call			
Total number of Financial Products being called	400,000,000		
Total call amount payable in respect of all Financial Products	\$400,000,000		
Amount payable per Financial Product	\$1		
Call notices mailed	9 November 2021		
Redemption Date	15 December 2021		
Per Financial Product amount (if cash reconstruction)	N/A		
Payment date (if cash reconstruction)	N/A		
Allotment date	N/A		
Section 7: Authority for this announcement (mandatory)			

¹ The Quotation date for Rights will be the Ex Date.

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