

## Note 1 - Accounting principles

## **Accounting principles**

SpareBank 1 SMN prepares and presents its quarterly accounts in compliance with the Stock Exchange Regulations, Stock Exchange Rules and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) approved by EU, including IAS 34, Interim Financial Reporting. The quarterly accounts do not include all the information required in a complete set of annual financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the annual accounts for 2018. The Group has in this quarterly report used the same accounting principles and calculation methods as in the latest annual report and accounts, except implementing IFRS 16 as described below.

## Leases - IFRS 16

IFRS 16 Leases include principles for recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosures for leases for both parties in the arrangement, lessor and lessee. The standard requires lessees to recognise assets and liabilities for the majority of leases, a significant change from previous rules. The leases accounted for under IFRS 16 is mainly the Group rent of property. Discount rate applied is 2 per cent. The right to use asset has been presented as «fixed assets», while lease liability is presented as «other liabilities».

Refer to note 2 i annual accounts for 2018 for further details regarding implementation of IFRS 16. The effect on the accounts for first nine months 2019 are shown below. Comparables have not been restated.

Parent		Group
30 Sept 2019	Right to use asset (NOKm)	30 Sept 2019
374	Book value 1 January 2019	621
24	Additions	4
7	Derecognition	-
391	Book value 30 September 2019	625
-	Acc depreciation 1 January 2019	-
37	Depreciation in period	65
37	Acc depreciation 30 September 2019	65
355	Net book value right to use asset 30 September 2019	560
374	Lease liability 1 January 2019	621
25	Additions	-
-40	Lease payments in the period	-55
358	Lease liability 30 September 2019	566
30 Sept 2019	Profit and Loss	30 Sept 2019
37	Depreciations	65
7	Interest	11
44	Total lease expense	75
	Effect of IFRS 16	
40	Reduced operating expenses under IAS 17	55
44	Increase lease expense under IFRS 16	75
-3	Changes in profit before tax in the period	-20