Audit Committees Operation Status

Composition

The Committee shall be composed of the entire number of independent directors. It shall not be fewer than three persons in number, one of whom shall be the convener, and at least one of whom shall have accounting or financial expertise.

The term of serve shall be 3 years, and may be reelected to further terms. When the number of the independent director members on the Committee falls below that prescribed in the preceding paragraph or in the articles of incorporation due to an independent director's dismissal for any reason, a by-election shall be held at the next shareholders meeting to fill the vacancy. When the independent directors are dismissed en masse, a special shareholders meeting shall be called within 60 days from the date of the occurrence to hold a by election to fill the vacancies.

The members of the 4th Audit Committee:

Title	Name
Managing Independent Director (Convener)	Wu, Yu-Hsueh
Independent Director	Lee, Shu-Hua
Independent Director	Huang, Chao-Kuei

Duties

The main function of the Audit Committee is to supervise the following matters:

- Fair presentation of the financial reports of the Bank.
- ➤ The hiring (and dismissal), independence, and performance of certificated public accountants of the Bank.
- ➤ The effective implementation of the internal control system of the Bank.
- ➤ Compliance with relevant laws and regulations by the Bank.
- Management of the existing or potential risks of the Bank.

Operation Method

The Committee shall convene at least once quarterly, and may call a meeting at its discretion whenever necessary.

In calling a meeting of the Committee, a notice of the reasons for convening the meeting shall be given to each independent director member at least 7 days in advance. In emergency circumstances, however, the meeting may be called on shorter notice.

	A member of the Committee shall be elected as the convener and meeting chair by and from the entire membership of the Committee. When the convener is on leave or unable to convene a meeting for any reason, the convener shall appoint another independent director member on the Committee as acting convener; if the convener does not make such an appointment, one independent director member of the Committee shall be elected by and from the other independent director members of the Committee to serve as convener. The Committee may request the managers of relevant departments, internal audit officers, certified public accountants, attorneys, or other personnel of the Bank to attend the meeting as nonvoting participants and provide pertinent and necessary information, provided that they shall leave the meeting when discussion or voting takes place.
Key emphasis of the Committee	 To assist the Board of Directors in decision making and supervise the proper presentation of financial statements, the selection (dismissal) of CPA and the assessment of their independence and suitability, effective implementation of the Bank's internal control system, compliance with laws and regulations, and operation of the risk control mechanism, etc., and review important content of motion required by the Bank or the competent authority. Regarding the various reports of the management department and the auditing unit, which involve the effectiveness of the Bank's internal control system, including the control operations of overseas subsidiary banks and major cases that have been reported, put forward specific improvement suggestions, and require the management department to implement. To review the Bank's secured loans to interested parties under Article 33 of the Banking Act, if the amount of secured loan exceeds the amount required by the central competent authority and if the Bank's Directors have personal conflict of interest in the matter.
Attendance	The 4 th Audit Committee held 13 meetings in 2024. The attendance rate of all
Status	Independent Directors reached 100%. Please refer to the website:
	http://mops.twse.com.tw/mops/web/t100sb03_1
The Committee's	I. According to the matters listed in Article 14-5 of the Securities and Exchange Act, The Committee's resolutions:

meeting date, terms of meeting, content of motion, and the resolution	Date, terms of the meetings	Content of motion	Opposed opinion, qualified opinion or significant recommendation of Independent Directors	Audit Committee Resolutions, and the Bank's handling of such resolutions
result	January 18, 2024 The 8 th meeting of the 4 th term	Amendments to the Bank's "Internal Control System for Securities Firms."		Approved unanimously by the attending Independent Directors and subsequently ratified by the Board of Directors according to the proposal.
	February 21, 2024 The 9 th meeting of	The Bank's 2023 "Internal Control System Statements for AML/CFT." Amendments to the Bank's "Internal Control System for Securities Firms."		Approved unanimously by the attending Independent Directors and subsequently ratified by the Board of Directors according to the proposal.
	the 4 th term	The Bank's 2023 Business Report and Financial Statements.		Approved unanimously by the attending Independent Directors, ratified by the Board of Directors, and acknowledged by the Shareholders' Meeting.
	March 11, 2024 The 10 th meeting of the 4 th term	The Bank's 2023 "Internal Control Statement." Amendments to the Bank's		Approved unanimously by the attending Independent Directors and subsequently ratified by the Board of Directors according to the

	"Internal	proposal.
	Control System	
	for Securities	
	Investment	
	Consulting	
	Enterprises."	
	Authorization	
	for the New	
	York Branch VP	
	& GM to sign	
	the 2023	
	Compliance	
	Statement to the	
	New York State	
	Department of	
	Financial	
	Services.	
	Participates in	
	Urban Renewal	
	Plan of 14 lands	
	including	
	No.814-1,	
	Subsection 4,	
	Jinhua Section,	
	Da'an District,	
	Taipei City.	
	The	
	appointment and	
	remuneration of	
	the auditor for	
	the financial and	
	tax audit of the	
	Bank for 2024.	
April 8, 2024	Amendments to	Approved unanimously
The 11 th	the Bank's	by the attending
meeting of	"Internal	Independent Directors
the 4 th term	Control System	and subsequently ratified

	for Securities Firms."	by the Board of Directors according to the proposal.
	Amendments to the Bank's "Accounting System."	Except for the revisions and additions to the board proposal discussed at the meeting, all other parts were approved as proposed by the attending independent directors; subsequently, the Board of Directors agreed to approve the proposal as presented.
	Distribution of the Bank's 2023 earnings.	Approved unanimously by the attending Independent Directors, ratified by the Board of Directors, and acknowledged by the Shareholders' Meeting.
	The Bank's earnings capitalization proposal.	Approved unanimously by the attending Independent Directors, ratified by the Board of Directors, and approved by the Shareholders' Meeting.
May 6, 2024 The 12 th meeting of the 4 th term	The Bank's Taoyuan Branch to applies for rebuilding based on the "Statute for Expediting Reconstruction of Urban Unsafe and Old	Approved unanimously by the attending Independent Directors and subsequently ratified by the Board of Directors according to the proposal.

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	Buildings."	
	Approved the	
	retirement case	
	of the Bank's	
	EVP & Chief	
	Auditor.	
June 2024 The meeting the 4 th ter	Amendments to the Bank's "Internal Control System for Securities Firms."	Approved unanimously by the attending Independent Directors and subsequently ratified by the Board of Directors according to the proposal.
	Amendments to	
	the Bank's	
	"Internal	
	Control System	
	for Securities	
	Firms."	
	Amendments to	
	the Bank's	
	"Internal	Approved unanimously
July 4, 20	Control System	by the attending
The	14 th for Securities	Independent Directors
meeting	of Brokerage	and subsequently ratified
the 4 th ter	Firm's Auxiliary	by the Board of Directors
	Business of	according to the
	Futures Trading."	proposal.
	Approved the	
	retirement case	
	of the Bank's	
	SVP & Division	
	Head of	
	Financial	
	Management	

		D	
		Division.	
	Approved the		
		change of the	
		Bank's	
		Accounting	
		Officer (SVP &	
		Division Head	
		of Financial	
		Management	
		Division).	
		Amendments to	
		the Bank's	
		"Internal	
		Control System	
		for Securities	
		Firms."	Approved unanimously
	August 12,	The Bank's	by the attending
	2024		Independent Directors
	The 15 th	annual financial	and subsequently ratified
	meeting of	statement.	by the Board of Directors
	the 4 th term	Assigned the	according to the
		appointment of	proposal.
		Ms. Yu-Chin	
		Fan as the EVP	
		& Chief Auditor	
		of the Bank.	
		Amendments to	
		the "Chang Hwa	
September 9, 2024 The 16 th meeting of the 4 th term		Bank	Approved unanimously
	September 9,	Regulations	by the attending
		C : 41	Independent Directors
	The 16 th	Governing the	and subsequently ratified
	Implementation	by the Board of Directors	
	of Internal	according to the	
		Control and	proposal.
	Business		
		Solicitation	

	System of	
	Insurance	
	Agency	
	Business."	
	Participates in	
	Urban Renewal	
	Plan of "26	Approved unanimously
October 11,	lands including	by the attending
2024	No.788,	Independent Directors
The 17 th	Subsection 1,	and subsequently ratified
meeting of	, i	by the Board of Directors
the 4 th term	Section,	according to the
	Zhongzheng	proposal.
	District, Taipei	
	City."	
	Amendments to	
	the Bank's	
	"Internal	
	Control System	Approved unanimously
November 6,	for Securities	by the attending
2024	Firms."	Independent Directors
The 18 th	Amendments to	and subsequently ratified
meeting of	the Bank's	by the Board of Directors
the 4 th term	"Internal	according to the
	Control System	proposal.
	for Trust	
	Enterprises."	
	Amendments to	
	the "Operational	Approved unanimously
November	Guidelines	by the attending
26, 2024	Governing	Independent Directors
The 19 th	Financial	and subsequently ratified
meeting of		by the Board of Directors
the 4 th term	Transactions for	according to the
		proposal.
	Č	proposar.
	Bank."	

	The Bank's draft	Except for the revisions
	budget for 2025.	to the board proposal
	Establishment	materials discussed at the
	of the	meeting, all other parts
	responsibility	were approved as
	map for the	proposed by the attending
	Bank and	Independent Directors;
	related	subsequently, the Board
	management	of Directors agreed to
	rules and	approve the proposal as
	regulations.	submitted.
	Amendments to	
	the Bank's	
	"Internal	Approved unanimously
	Control System	by the attending
	for Securities	Independent Directors
	Brokerage	and subsequently ratified
	Firm's Auxiliary	by the Board of
December	Business of	Directors.
12, 2024	Futures	
The 20 th	Trading."	
_	Formulated the	
the 4 th term	Bank's	Approved unanimously
	"Regulations on	by the attending
	Sustainability	Independent Directors
	Information	and subsequently ratified
	Management."	by the Board of Directors
	The Bank's	according to the
	auditing plan for	proposal.
	2025.	

II. Other resolutions that have not been passed by The Audit Committee but have been approved by more than two-third of all Directors:
None.