

AEON CREDIT SERVICE (M) BERHAD 28TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday | 25 JUNE 2025 | 10.00 am

Responses to Questions from Minority Shareholders Watch Group (MSWG)

via Letter dated 20 June 2025





Question 1

AEONCR shifts the focus to growing quality assets through M40 segment acquisition and seamless digital onboarding, while tightening credit disbursement of Auto and Personal Financing, with a focus on young age and low-score customers.







| No | Question | Answer |
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| 1(a) | The M40 segment generally receives a higher income, has a better credit score, and better access to a greater variety and lower-cost financing options. How does AEONCR compete with conventional financial institutions (FIs) | AEONCR is strategically expanding its footprint in the M40 segment by deploying seamless digital onboarding channels integrated with AI-powered credit scoring and instant approval capabilities. This accelerates the approval process and reduces the turnaround time which contributing to faster customer acquisition, and improved operational efficiency. |
| | to vie for these better-quality assets? | As part of the boarder AEON Living Zone strategy, AEONCR has upgraded its AEON Wallet to deliver exclusive privileges and lifestyle rewards via AEON Loyalty Programme, which integrates personalised promotions and tiered membership benefits, enabling AEONCR to effectively cross-sell our products to the growing middle-income consumer. |





| No | Question | Answer |
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| 1(b) | As the Vehicle and Personal Financing businesses led the expansion of financing receivables (+15.4% y-o-y to RM14.12 billion), how would the measure of credit tightening in Auto and Personal Financing, focusing on young age and low-score customers, impact the financing growth? | Auto and Personal Financing are projected to grow by 4% and 14% y-o-y respectively, underpinned by a strategic focus on enhancing overall asset quality. This growth will be driven by a targeted approach that prioritises customers with good scores and FinPlus members, i.e. our existing customers with proven repayment records. AEONCR will also leverage the AEON ecosystem to support sensible expansion, ensuring credit risk is managed effectively through refined approval criteria and AI-driven scoring models. |
| | | criteria and Al-driven scoring models. |





| No | Question | Answer | |
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| 1(c) | Which business segment is expected to drive the circa 10% financing growth target in FY2026 (page 5 of Q4FY2025 Financial Results Presentation)? | The Group remains cautious about the outlook due to rising geopolitical tensions, inflationary pressures and global trade and tariff uncertainties. Barring unforeseen circumstances, the Group expects to achieve the financing receivables growth by product for FYE2026 as outlined below: | |
| | | | FYE2026 Growth |
| | | Payment Business Group | 10% |
| | | Vehicle Financing Group | 10% |
| | | Personal Financing Group | 13% |
| | | Overall FYE2026 Growth | 11% |
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| No | Question | Answer |
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| 1(d) What is the current customer mix between B40 and M40? Kindly illustrate the profile of your customers by age, income bracket, and size of financing for a better understanding of the impact | AEONCR's current customer portfolio demonstrates a strategic commitment to financial inclusion, with approximately 61% of our customers from the B40 income segment and 39% from the M40 segment. The customer profile is outlined below: | |
| | arising from the changing business strategy. | Income Band Age |
| | | Size of Financing (RM) |
| | | Average Credit Card Limit 7,000 |
| | | Auto Financing 38,000 |
| | | Motor Financing 12,000 |
| | | Personal Financing 15,000 |





Question 2

In FY2025, AEONCR's total allowance for impairment loss and write-off on financing receivables jumped 32.6% y-o-y to RM757.69 million from RM569.91 million the year before (page 188 of IAR2025), partly due to the absence of impairment loss reversal that amounts to RM90.53 million in FY2024, compared to an allowance of RM81.67 million made in FY2025.









| No | Question | Answer |
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| 2(b) | The Management explained that the prior year's reversal was mainly attributed to the expected credit loss (ECL) model refresh and a one-off adjustment for the early | AEON Credit undertook a recalibration of its Loss Given Default (LGD) assumptions within the ECL framework based on the requirement of MFRS 9. |
| | settlement automation exercise (page 18 of Q4FY2025 Financial Results Presentation). | The previous LGD model was captured based on closed accounts. With the automation of early settlements, a significant number of accounts were closed earlier, and |
| | Please elaborate on this statement. | these accounts typically exhibit higher recovery rates, which in turn lowered the overall LGD ratio. This recalibration led to a reversal in impairment loss as the model reflected improved recoverability in the prior financial year. |





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| No 2(c) | In view of the signs of deterioration in key asset quality metrics — namely the Loan Loss Coverage Ratio, Non-Performing Loan (NPL) ratio, and Net Credit Cost (NCC) in FY2025, please provide forward guidance on the expected trajectory of these indicators in FY2026. | The Group projects the NCC ratalongside with an improved NPL Item Loan Loss Coverage ratio NCC NPL ratio | io to stabilise | in FYE2026, Projection 220% < 4.0% < 2.5% |
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| 2(d) | How is the progress of implementing a salary deduction scheme for civil servant borrowers as reported by a business weekly recently? What is the ratio of civil servants to total customers? Accordingly, what is the size of the financing that AEONCR extended to them? | AEONCR is actively progressing toward securing a strategic partnership to implement a salary deduction scheme for civil servants, with a targeted rollout in Quarter 3 of FYE2026. The civil servant segment currently represents approximately 20% of our customer base. Through this initiative, AEONCR aims to provide financing solutions that are both accessible and sustainable, with loan amounts ranging from RM5,000 to RM100,000, depending on each borrower's repayment capacity. |





Question 3

AEONCR recognized a higher share of losses at RM68.33 million (FY2024: RM16.58 million) from an associate company – AEON Bank.





| No | Question | Answer |
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| 3(i) | With AEON Bank now entering into its second year of operation and more product offerings in the offing, does AEONCR foresee losses from the associate company to be intensified in FY2026? | AEON Bank is expected to report higher budgeted losses in FYE2026, primarily due to continued investments in product development and IT infrastructure expansion. These losses are aligned with the Bank's strategic roadmap, which includes the phased rollout of new Business Banking products scheduled for broader release in Q3 and Q4 of FYE2026. The elevated cost base reflects upfront commitments in technology, personnel and marketing to support long-term growth. To mitigate bottom-line pressure, AEON Bank remains prudent in managing both investment income and overhead expenses. Barring unforeseen circumstances, AEON Bank hopes to be able to reduce losses moving forward, supported by timely financing product launches. |





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| 3(ii) | Upon experiencing aggressive deposit-taking activities in the first year of operation, what are the areas of focus for the Bank in FY2026? Has the Bank been able to maintain its competitive edge against peers in terms of product offerings and product reach? Otherwise, what are the areas for improvement? | After the launch campaign, AEON Bank has adopted a cautious deposit-taking strategy and focusing on building accessible financial solutions and enhanced customer experience. The Bank is expanding its Business Banking portfolio to strengthen its position within the AEON ecosystem. The Business Current Account-i is scheduled for rollout to selected merchants and businesses in Q3, followed by a full launch in Q4 of FYE2026 to AEON's existing merchants and |
| | | This phased rollout aligns with AEON Bank's strategy to deliver differentiated products, deepen business engagement and optimize costs through group synergies. |





| No | Question | Answer |
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| 3(iii) | Is the Bank on track to achieve a break- even in the fifth year of operation? | AEON Bank has remained on track in meeting its budgeted bottom line over the past two financial years. |
| | | The Bank is also actively pursuing strategic partnerships to enhance its product reach and customer value proposition. These initiatives are aligned with the Bank's roadmap to achieve breakeven by its fifth (5th) year of operations, supported by a growing financing portfolio and prudent cost management. |



Sustainability Matters



Question 1

AEONCR began reporting Scope 3 emissions in FY2025, including Category 6 (Business Travel) and Category 7 (Employee Commuting).

For financial institutions, particularly banks, financed emissions from lending and investment activities typically represent the most material component of Scope 3 emissions.

Is the disclosure of financed emissions applicable and relevant to non-bank lenders like AEONCR? If so, does the Company intend to progressively expand its Scope 3 reporting to include these emissions in future disclosures?



Sustainability Matters



| No | Question | Answer |
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| 1 | AEONCR began reporting Scope 3 emissions in FY2025, including Category 6 (Business Travel) and Category 7 (Employee Commuting). | Financed emissions, categorised under Scope 3 of the GHG Protocol, are particularly relevant to AEONCR due to our core business in consumer financing. |
| | For financial institutions, particularly banks, financed emissions from lending and investment activities typically represent the most material component of Scope 3 emissions. | As a material source of our overall emissions, we plan to expand disclosures on financed emissions in our FYE2026 reporting to strengthen transparency and reinforce our commitment to |
| | Is the disclosure of financed emissions applicable and relevant to non-bank lenders like AEONCR? If so, does the Company intend to progressively expand its Scope 3 reporting to include these emissions in future disclosures? | climate accountability. |



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Responses to Pre-AGM Questions raised by Shareholders





AGM Matters

| Shareholder Name | Question |
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| 1. Chua Book Khai | Refer to the subject mentioned above, please confirm online virtual meeting is available or not for AEON Credit 28th 2025 AGM? |
| 2. Jack | I am unable to locate the administrative details for the AGM. Could you please provide guidance on where I can find this document? |

Response

The 28th AGM will be held physically at Grand Ballroom, Level 2, InterContinental Kuala Lumpur, 165, Jalan Ampang, 50450 Kuala Lumpur.

Administrative details for the AGM are available in the Investor Relations section of AEON Credit website under "General Meeting", or via the QR Quote included in the email sent to shareholders on 21 May 2025, titled AEON Credit Service (M) Berhad – Notification to Shareholders.





AGM Matters

| Shareholder Name | Question |
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| 3. Goay Chin Long | I am a shareholder of AEON Credit through a CIMB iTrade nominee account (CIMB Investment Bank Nominees). I would like to attend the upcoming 28th AGM in person. May I confirm if I can attend the AGM by presenting only my MyKad (IC) without requiring any additional authorization letter from CIMB Nominees |

Response

If you hold shares via a nominee account, you may not be permitted to attend the AGM directly. To do so, you may need to request your nominee (such as your bank or broker) to appoint you as their proxy, enabling you to attend and vote at the AGM. In this regard, our share registrar has already contacted you to facilitate the necessary assistance.





AGM Matters

| Shareholder Name | Question |
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| 4. Eik Choo Sing | May I know whether there is any breakfast coupon and lunch coupon for redemption? Food coupon for lunch and no breakfast? |

Response

Please be informed that meal coupons will be provided for both breakfast and lunch.





AEON Bank Matters

| Shareholder Name | Question |
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| 1. Seah BK | What is the plan to make the digital banking (Aeon Bank) business to break even? How long will it take? |

Response

AEON Bank aims to achieve operational breakeven within 5 years of its launch, in line with the business plan.

Years 1 – 2: Start-up losses are expected. Efforts will focus on building competitive IT infrastructure and a strategic business model aligned with the AEON Group ecosystem.

Years 3 – 5: To expand credit and product offerings to AEON Credit's merchant network and AEON Group stakeholders, tapping into untapped market potential within the Group.

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Pre-AGM Questions from Shareholders



AEON BANK Matters

| Shareholder Name | Question |
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| 2. Lee Tat Chor | 1) Could you state the default rate of customer in AEON Bank, compares to in Auto financing as well as Superbike financing business for FY2025. |
| | 2) Could you explain the major cause for the 'Loss for the financial year 2025' amounting to RM136,662,000 under note No. 8 Investment in an Associate, and with your expectation. |

Response

- 1) We regret that we are unable to disclose this information due to confidentiality obligations.
- 2) The Bank's financials for the FYE2025 were within the budget.

AEON Bank invested significantly during the financial year to support product development and launch. Key initiatives included building its Tech team, developing core banking system and mobile security infrastructure. Marketing efforts such as online campaigns, branding, roadshows and promotional rates during the launch period were aimed to accelerate market capture. Besides, efforts were made to build the Business Banking infrastructure, culminating in the successful rollout of Business Banking Financing products in this financial year.





AEON BANK Matters

| Shareholder Name | Question |
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| 3. Low Kah Soon Joshua | 1) What are the company's more active strategies (other than the passive ad placement in AEON Wallet) in converting the more than 1.8 million AEON Wallet users to also be AEON Bank's customers? |
| | 2) What are the new products that will be introduced by AEON Bank in the near future (given that rival digital banks have already introduced business current account and business financing products)? |
| | 3) With two more digital banks launching operations soon (the playing field will be more competitive), what are the company's strategies in attracting deposits and selling its products? |
| | 4) With the AEON Group in Malaysia having more than 12,000 employees, are there any plans to make AEON Bank the group's salary account? |





AEON BANK Matters

Response

Response to Strategies

- AEON Bank is leveraging the AEON ecosystem, including AEON Credit's merchant network and AEON Group's stakeholders to expand its customer base, grow deposits, and promote product adoption.
- Developing seamless onboarding via AEON Wallet, including embedded AEON Bank account for loan disbursement for better customer experience and engagement.
- Adopting Generative AI to strengthen data analytics capabilities, enabling deeper insights into customer behavior and delivering personalised offerings.

Response to products rollout progress

AEON Bank plans to rollout Business Banking products covering Current Account-i, Working Capital Financing-i, Term Financing-i as well as GenAl-powered financial analytics within the current financial year.

Response to AEON Group Salary Account

Yes, this is part of our near-term strategy. AEON Bank will support AEON Group companies by providing employee payroll services and fund placement solutions.







Request for Printed Copy of Annual Report

Question

I would like to request for a printed annual report. In total we received 34 requests from shareholders.

Response

Kindly note that we have dispatched the printed annual report to all the shareholders.