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With respect to the anticipated benefits from the acquisition of CIT Canada and statements with regards to this transaction being accretive to earnings, such factors also include, but are not limited to: the ability to realize synergies in the anticipated time frame, the ability to promptly and effectively integrate

the businesses, reputational risks and the reaction of the Bank's and CIT Canada's customers to the transaction, and diversion of management time on acquisition-related issues.

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Only the delivered speech shall be considered as authoritative.

Last year, I stood before you to share the vision for the future of our organization. It started with the launch of a transformation plan which will take us towards a renewed financial institution by 2022 and includes three overarching corporate goals we set for ourselves:

- To achieve an adjusted return on equity that is comparable to the Canadian banking average,
- To double the size of our organization, and;
- To build a solid strategic foundation.

Let's not kid ourselves, these are lofty goals – but all three are required in order to achieve, what we believe, should be the performance of an organization like ours.

After 170 years of existence, the interests of our three main stakeholders – customers, employees and shareholders – are aligned and reliant on transformation. In this digital world, it is our responsibility, as an organization, to rethink:

- How customers are going to be served in the future and how dramatically different this new reality will be compared to the past;
- How team members can add true value and elevate themselves from manual tasks into knowledge and advice-based professions and;
- How shareholders can appreciate and get rewarded by investing in a growing, modern and socially-responsible financial institution.

In the past 12 months, the team has made considerable progress and today, I will spend a few moments speaking about the main achievements of 2016 – which was year one of a seven-year transformation plan – as well as highlighting our priorities for 2017.

First, let's talk performance. In 2016, through a combination of growth initiatives, cost control and credit risk management efforts, we were able to maintain an adjusted ROE of 12% while the Canadian Banking average fell from 17.0% to 15.4%. This reduction in the gap that separates our organization from the average is noteworthy, in that it was achieved in a very short period of time. And, however challenging it may be in this ever-changing environment, we are maintaining the 2019 and 2022 commitment to closing this gap completely, even hoping to do so before then, if possible.

2017 will be a year of continued performance work in this regard as we:

- Finalize the outsourcing of IT infrastructure and storage operations to IBM Canada;
- Continue the optimization of Retail Services activities by merging 50 branches; going from 150 branches to 100, simplifying the product line and increasing the size and effectiveness of the team of advisors and, finally;
- Complete the integration of CIT Canada into LBC Capital.

Now let's talk growth. We made important progress in key businesses namely in B2B Bank broker mortgages and Laurentian Bank Business Services where an already impressive organic growth was compounded with the acquisition of the Canadian CIT business. We had already been growing the equipment financing business, but this takes it to a whole new level with the addition of a well-established process, a strong team, and new customers. This acquisition also demonstrates the commitment to expanding our pan-Canadian presence. I would also like to make a special mention of the Capital Markets segment – they had their best year ever in 2016.

Going forward in 2017, we will continue towards meeting our 2019 growth targets. Our dedicated and strong business development teams across the organization will continue focusing on building strong advice-based relationships with their clients.

Finally, in our world today, what building a solid strategic foundation really means is transforming, from a traditional bank to a digital bank, and doing so quickly. Indeed, as customers are adopting a digital way of life, personal and business customers' needs and behaviours are changing and our financial institution must stay relevant.

During 2016, we laid the first foundations to becoming a digital bank, by:

- Redesigning our customer process and by selecting and standardizing our product line-up;
- Choosing Temenos – an international software specialist in banking and finance – to develop and build a new core banking system which will be the backbone to the digital offer and;
- Building up the technology teams in order to provide access to smart client-facing technologies.

At the end of 2017, we will have:

- Implemented the backbone of the new core banking engine;
- Migrated all accounts from B2B Bank and a large portion of Business Services activities onto the new platform;
- Made progress on the development of a more robust credit framework as well as continued work towards the migration to the AIRB methodology so we can level the playing field for commercial opportunities.

In summary, 2016 has been a good, productive year across the board and a great start to the transformation plan. I look forward to 2017 – it will be a big year for us – full of challenges, rewards and opportunities!

In conclusion, I am confident that the investments we are making in people and in technology will allow us to better serve the needs of customers now and in the future.

We have chosen to focus and promote a value proposition that is relevant to today's customers, choosing to be better than average on client facing technology, ease of doing business and advisor/account manager competency.

I am encouraged that this message is being heard and by the fact that the 10 year total shareholder return in 2016 was greater than the average of the Big 6 banks.

We are committed to our mission: to help customers improve their financial health. This will translate into better value for customers, more engagement for team members and better performance for shareholders.

I would like to end this address with a few personal words of thanks.

Thank you to customers for your patronage and loyalty. We look forward to continuing to provide a level of service that meets your needs.

Thank you to current and future shareholders for your confidence and interest in our organization.

Thank you to the members of the Board and its chair, Isabelle Courville, for your counsel and ongoing support.

I also want to thank my seasoned and dedicated executive team:

- Susan Kudzman
- François Laurin

- Deborah Rose
- Stéphane Therrien
- Michel Trudeau

Your commitment and passion toward achieving our goals inspires me each day, so again, thank you.

Lastly, I would like to thank our awesome employees for their dedication and for staying the course along the journey toward building the next great Canadian financial institution.