Financial Statements of

# CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS IN INSURANCE

Year ended December 31, 2013

### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of the Canadian Association of Financial Institutions in Insurance

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Canadian Association of Financial Institutions in Insurance, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2013, the statements of operations and changes in unrestricted net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes, comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, we consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Canadian Association of Financial Institutions in Insurance as at December 31, 2013, and its results of operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

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Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

April 8, 2014 Toronto, Canada

### **DRAFT** Statement of Financial Position

Year ended December 31, 2013, with comparative information for 2012

		2013		2012
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash and short-term deposits (note 4)	\$	294,201	\$	237,005
Accounts receivable		-		594
Interest receivable Prepaid expenses		344 9,672		493 10,339
Capital assets (note 5)		1,828		2,295
	\$	306,045	\$	250,726
Current liabilities: Accounts payable	\$	17,754	\$	71,302
Unrestricted net assets	Ψ	288,291	Ψ	179,424
	\$	306,045	\$	250,726
The accompanying notes are an integral part of the finan  On behalf of the Board:  Director	cial statements.			
Director				

**DRAFT** Statement of Operations and Changes in Unrestricted Net Assets

Year ended December 31, 2013, with comparative information for 2012

	2013	2012
Revenue:		
Membership fees	\$ 400,500	\$ 410,100
Interest	607	709
	401,107	410,809
Expenses:		
Association operating	244,889	273,742
Distribution and Market Conduct Committee	8,059	67,515
Licensing Efficiency Issues Committee	992	_
Media and Advocacy Strategy Committee	4,633	2,420
Networking and Events Committee	33,667	14,597
Media Relations, CAFII Consultant	_	10,430
	292,240	368,704
Excess of revenue over expenses	108,867	42,105
Unrestricted net assets, beginning of year	179,424	137,319
Unrestricted net assets, end of year	\$ 288,291	\$ 179,424

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

### **DRAFT** Statement of Cash Flows

Year ended December 31, 2013, with comparative information for 2012

	2013	2012
Cash provided by (used in):		
Operating activities:		
Excess of revenue over expenses	\$ 108,867	\$ 42,105
Amortization which does not involve cash	467	39
Change in non-cash operating working capital	(52,138)	51,620
	57,196	93,764
Financing activities:		
Purchase of capital assets		(2,334)
Increase in cash position	57,196	91,430
Cash position, beginning of year	237,005	145,575
Cash position, end of year	\$ 294,201	\$ 237,005
Represented by:		
Cash	\$ 241,349	\$ 184,908
Short-term deposits	52,852	52,097
	\$ 294,201	\$ 237,005

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

### **DRAFT** Notes to Financial Statements

Year ended December 31, 2013

The Canadian Association of Financial Institutions in Insurance ("CAFII") is a not-for-profit association incorporated under the Canada Corporations Act. CAFII was incorporated on October 29, 1997 and commenced operations on January 1, 1998. CAFII was established to provide an industry-based forum to represent a range of financial institutions in insurance in Canada and to work in partnership with governments to create an efficient and effective regulatory framework that provides consumer choice in the purchase of insurance products and services. CAFII's members provide life, property and casualty, travel and credit insurance, reinsurance and other products and services through a wide variety of distribution systems. CAFII is exempt from income taxes under paragraph 149(1)(i) of the Income Tax Act (Canada).

### 1. Significant accounting policies:

### (a) General:

The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian Accounting Standards for Not-For-Profit Organizations in Part III of The Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants' Handbook.

### (b) Revenue recognition:

CAFII derives its revenue primarily through membership fees. Fees are recognized as revenue in the membership period to which they relate.

Deferred membership fees represent fees received in advance of the membership period to which they relate.

### (c) Cash and cash equivalents:

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and short-term deposits which are highly liquid with original maturities of less than three months.

**DRAFT** Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2013

### 1. Significant accounting policies (continued):

### (d) Capital assets:

Capital assets are recorded at cost. When a capital asset no longer contributes to CAFII's ability to provide services, its carrying amount is written down to its residual value.

Capital assets consist of computer equipment and are amortized on a straight-line basis over five years.

### (e) Financial instruments:

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value on initial recognition. Financial instruments are subsequently recorded at cost or amortized cost, unless management has elected to carry the instruments at fair value. CAFII has not elected to carry any such financial instruments at fair value.

Financial assets are assessed for impairment on an annual basis at the end of the fiscal year if there are indicators of impairment. If there is an indicator of impairment, CAFII determines if there is a significant adverse change in the expected amount or timing of future cash flows from the financial asset. If there is a significant adverse change in the expected cash flows, the carrying value of the financial asset is reduced to the highest of the present value of the expected cash flows, the amount that could be realized from selling the financial asset or the amount CAFII expects to realize by exercising its right to any collateral. If events and circumstances reverse in a future period, an impairment loss will be reversed to the extent of the improvement, not exceeding the initial carrying value.

### (f) Use of estimates:

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the year. Significant items subject to such estimates and assumptions include the carrying amount of capital assets. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

**DRAFT** Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2013

### 2. Unrestricted net assets:

Management intends to utilize unrestricted net assets on projects subject to approval by the Board.

### 3. Financial instruments:

The carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities approximate their fair values due to the short-term nature of these financial instruments.

### 4. Cash and cash equivalents:

Cash and cash equivalents are comprised of the following:

	2013	2012
Cash Short-term deposits	\$ 241,349 52,852	\$ 184,908 52,097
	\$ 294,201	\$ 237,005

### 5. Capital assets:

					2013		2012
	Cost	Accumulated amortization				Net book value	
Computer equipment	\$ 2,334	\$	506	\$	1,828	\$	2,295

**DRAFT** Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2013

### 6. Financial risks and concentration of credit risk:

### (a) Liquidity risk:

Liquidity risk is the risk that CAFII will be unable to fulfill its obligations on a timely basis or at a reasonable cost. CAFII manages its liquidity risk by monitoring its operating requirements. CAFII prepares budget and cash forecasts to ensure it has sufficient funds to fulfill its obligations. There has been no change to the risk exposures from 2012.

### (b) Credit risk:

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty may default on its contractual obligations resulting in a financial loss. CAFII is exposed to credit risk with respect to the accounts receivable. CAFII assesses, on a continuous basis, accounts receivable and provides for any amounts that are not collectible in the allowance for doubtful accounts.