

**PRESS RELEASE****Lagos, August 29, 2024****NOTICE OF DELAY IN PUBLICATION OF AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE HALF YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

Fidelity Bank Plc ("the Company") wishes to inform its esteemed shareholders, Nigerian Exchange Limited (NGX), and other stakeholders of a delay in publication of its Audited Financial Statements (AFS) for the Half Year Ended June 30, 2024 as required by the listing rules of NGX.

The AFS is currently being reviewed and upon completion of the audit shall be presented to the Central Bank of Nigeria for approval and thereafter, published in compliance with the provisions of the Nigerian Exchange Limited's Rulebook and other relevant statutes/regulations.

Premised on the foregoing, the Company's Insiders and their Connected Persons are reminded that the trading window for dealing in its shares is currently closed and shall remain closed until 24 hours after publication of the AFS for H1 2024.

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