



**BNP PARIBAS PERSONAL FINANCE SOUTH AFRICA LIMITED**

*(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa with limited liability under registration number 2000/017884/06)*

**unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by**

**RCS CARDS PROPRIETARY LIMITED**

*(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa with limited liability under registration number 2000/017891/07)*

and

**conditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by**

**BNP PARIBAS**

*(Incorporated in the Republic of France under number 662 042 449)*

**Issue of ZAR271,000,000 Senior Unsecured Floating Rate Notes due 24 August 2024**

**Under its ZAR10,000,000,000 Domestic Medium Term Note Programme**

This Applicable Pricing Supplement must be read in conjunction with the Programme Memorandum, dated 5 September 2016, prepared by BNP Paribas Personal Finance South Africa Limited in connection with the BNP Paribas Personal Finance South Africa Limited ZAR10,000,000,000 Domestic Medium Term Note Programme, as amended and/or supplemented from time to time (the **Programme Memorandum**).

Any capitalised terms not defined in this Applicable Pricing Supplement shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the section of the Programme Memorandum headed “*Terms and Conditions of the Notes*”.

This document constitutes the Applicable Pricing Supplement relating to the issue of Notes described herein. The Notes described herein are issued on and subject to the Terms and Conditions as amended and/or supplemented by the Terms and Conditions contained in this Applicable Pricing Supplement. To the extent that there is any conflict or inconsistency between the contents of this Applicable Pricing Supplement and the Programme Memorandum, the provisions of this Applicable Pricing Supplement shall prevail.

**PARTIES**

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| 1. | Issuer           | BNP Paribas Personal Finance South Africa Limited  |
| 2. | Guarantors       | RCS Cards Proprietary Limited<br>BNP Paribas   |
| 3. | Dealer(s)        | Absa Corporate and Investment Bank, a division of Absa Bank Limited<br>The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division |
| 4. | Managers         | N/A  |
| 5. | Debt Sponsor     | The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division  |
| 6. | Paying Agent     | Rand Merchant Bank, a division of FirstRand Bank Limited   |
|    | Specified Office | 1 Merchant Place, Cnr Fredman Drive and Rivonia Road, Sandton, 2196  |

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| 7. | Calculation Agent             | Rand Merchant Bank, a division of FirstRand Bank Limited            |
|    | Specified Office              | 1 Merchant Place, Cnr Fredman Drive and Rivonia Road, Sandton, 2196 |
| 8. | Transfer and Settlement Agent | Rand Merchant Bank, a division of FirstRand Bank Limited            |
|    | Specified Office              | 1 Merchant Place, Cnr Fredman Drive and Rivonia Road, Sandton, 2196 |
| 9. | Issuer Agent                  | Rand Merchant Bank, a division of FirstRand Bank Limited            |
|    | Specified Office              | 1 Merchant Place, Cnr Fredman Drive and Rivonia Road, Sandton, 2196 |

#### **PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE NOTES**

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| 10. | Status of Notes   | Senior Unsecured  |
| 11. | Form of Notes   | Listed Notes, issued in uncertificated form and held by the CSD   |
| 12. | Series Number   | 35  |
| 13. | Tranche Number  | 1   |
| 14. | Aggregate Nominal Amount:   |   |
|     | (a) Series  | ZAR271,000,000  |
|     | (b) Tranche   | ZAR271,000,000  |
| 15. | Interest  | Interest-bearing  |
| 16. | Interest Payment Basis  | Floating Rate   |
| 17. | Automatic/Optional Conversion from one Interest/Redemption/Payment Basis to another | N/A   |
| 18. | Issue Date  | 24 August 2021  |
| 19. | Nominal Amount per Note   | ZAR1,000,000  |
| 20. | Specified Denomination  | ZAR1,000,000  |
| 21. | Specified Currency  | ZAR   |
| 22. | Issue Price   | 100%  |
| 23. | Interest Commencement Date  | 24 August 2021  |
| 24. | Maturity Date   | 24 August 2024  |
| 25. | Applicable Business Day Convention  | Following Business Day  |
| 26. | Final Redemption Amount   | 100% of the Aggregate Nominal Amount  |
| 27. | Last Day to Register  | By 17h00 on 13 November, 13 February, 13 May and 13 August in each year until the Maturity Date or, if any early redemption occurs, 11 calendar days prior to the early Redemption Date, or, if such day is not a Business Day, the Business Day preceding each Books Closed Period |

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| 28. | Books Closed Period(s)   | The Register will be closed from 14 November to 23 November, 14 February to 23 February, 14 May to 23 May and 14 August to 23 August (all dates inclusive), in each year until the Maturity Date or if any early redemption occurs, 10 calendar days prior to the early Redemption Date  |
| 29. | Default Rate   | N/A  |
|     | <b>FIXED RATE NOTES</b>  | N/A  |
|     | <b>FLOATING RATE NOTES</b>   |  |
| 30. | (a) Floating Interest Payment Date(s)  | 24 November, 24 February, 24 May and 24 August in each year until the Maturity Date, with the first Floating Interest Payment Date being 24 November 2021, or, if such day is not a Business Day, the Business Day on which interest will be paid, as determined in accordance with the Applicable Business Day Convention (as specified in this Applicable Pricing Supplement)  |
|     | (b) Interest Period(s)   | Each period commencing on and including the applicable Floating Interest Payment Date and ending on but excluding the following Floating Interest Payment Date, with the first Interest Period commencing on (and including) the Interest Commencement Date and ending on the day before the next Floating Interest Payment Date (each Floating Interest Payment Date as adjusted in accordance with the Applicable Business Day Convention) |
|     | (c) Definition of Business Day (if different from that set out in Condition 1) ( <i>Interpretation</i> )         | N/A  |
|     | (d) Minimum Rate of Interest   | N/A  |
|     | (e) Maximum Rate of Interest   | N/A  |
|     | (f) Other terms relating to the method of calculating interest (e.g.: Day Count Fraction, rounding up provision) | Day Count Fraction: Actual/365   |
| 31. | Rate of Interest and the manner in which the Rate of Interest is to be determined                                | Screen Rate Determination (Reference Rate plus Margin)   |
| 32. | Margin   | 125 basis points to be added to the Reference Rate   |
| 33. | If ISDA Determination  | N/A  |
| 34. | If Screen Determination:   |  |
|     | (a) Reference Rate (including relevant period by reference to which the Rate of Interest is to be calculated)    | 3 month ZAR-JIBAR  |
|     | (b) Interest Rate Determination Date(s)  | 24 November, 24 February, 24 May and 24 August (or the first Business Day of each Interest Period) in each year until the Maturity Date, with the first Interest Rate Determination Date being 19 August 2021  |

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|     | (c) Relevant Screen Page and Reference Code   | Reuters page SAFETY code 01209 or any successor page |
| 35. | If Rate of Interest to be calculated otherwise than by ISDA Determination or Screen Determination, insert basis for determining Rate of Interest/Margin/ Fallback provisions  | N/A  |
| 36. | Calculation Agent responsible for calculating amount of principal and interest  | N/A  |
|     | <b>ZERO COUPON NOTES</b>  | <b>N/A</b>   |
|     | <b>PARTLY PAID NOTES</b>  | <b>N/A</b>   |
|     | <b>INSTALMENT NOTES</b>   | <b>N/A</b>   |
|     | <b>MIXED RATE NOTES</b>   | <b>N/A</b>   |
|     | <b>INDEX-LINKED NOTES</b>   | <b>N/A</b>   |
|     | <b>DUAL CURRENCY NOTES</b>  | <b>N/A</b>   |
|     | <b>EXCHANGEABLE NOTES</b>   | <b>N/A</b>   |
|     | <b>OTHER NOTES</b>  | <b>N/A</b>   |
|     | <b>PROVISIONS REGARDING REDEMPTION/MATURITY</b>   |  |
| 37. | Redemption at the Option of the Issuer:   | No   |
| 38. | Redemption at the Option of the Senior Noteholders:   | No   |
| 39. | Redemption in the event of a failure to maintain JSE Listing and credit rating at the election of Noteholders pursuant to Condition 10.5 ( <i>Redemption in the event of a failure to maintain JSE Listing and credit rating</i> ):   | Yes  |
| 40. | Early Redemption Amount(s) payable on redemption for taxation reasons, at the option of the Issuer in terms of Condition 10.3 ( <i>Redemption at the Option of the Issuer</i> ), at the option of the Noteholders in terms of Condition 10.4 ( <i>Redemption at the Option of the Senior Noteholders</i> ), at the option of the Noteholders in terms of Condition 10.5 ( <i>Redemption in the event of a failure to maintain JSE listing and credit rating</i> ) or on Event of Default in terms of Condition 16 ( <i>Events of Default</i> ) (if different from that set out in the relevant Conditions). | No   |
|     | <b>GENERAL</b>  |  |
| 41. | Financial Exchange  | Interest Rate Market of the JSE                      |
| 42. | Additional selling restrictions   | N/A  |
| 43. | ISIN No.  | ZAG000179094   |

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| 44. | Stock Code   | BPPF32                                    |
| 45. | Stabilising Manager  | N/A                                       |
| 46. | Provisions relating to stabilisation                           | N/A                                       |
| 47. | Method of distribution   | Dutch Auction                             |
| 48. | Credit Rating assigned to the Programme                        | “zaA-1+” Short term and “zaAAA” Long-term |
| 49. | Credit Rating assigned to the Issuer                           | “zaAAA” Long term and “zaA-1+” Short-term |
| 50. | Applicable Rating Agency                                       | S&P Global Ratings                        |
| 51. | Governing law (if the laws of South Africa are not applicable) | N/A                                       |
| 52. | Other provisions   | N/A                                       |

**DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 3(5) OF THE COMMERCIAL PAPER REGULATIONS IN RELATION TO THIS ISSUE OF NOTES**

53. Paragraph 3(5)(a)

The “*ultimate borrower*” (as defined in the Commercial Paper Regulations) is the Issuer.

54. Paragraph 3(5)(b)

The Issuer is a going concern and can in all circumstances be reasonably expected to meet its commitments under the Notes.

55. Paragraph 3(5)(c)

The auditor of the Issuer is Deloitte & Touche.

56. Paragraph 3(5)(d)

As at the date of this issue:

- (a) the Issuer has issued ZAR6,156,000,000 (excluding this tranche of Notes, and the BPPF31 Notes, issuing on the same Issue Date) of Commercial Paper (as defined in the Commercial Paper Regulations); and
- (b) the Issuer estimates that it will issue ZAR1,200,000,000 further Commercial Paper during the current financial year, ending 31 December 2021.

57. Paragraph 3(5)(e)

All information that may reasonably be necessary to enable the investor to ascertain the nature of the financial and commercial risk of its investment in the Notes is contained in the Programme Memorandum and the Applicable Pricing Supplement.

58. Paragraph 3(5)(f)

There has been no material adverse change in the Issuer’s financial position since the date of its last audited financial statements.

59. Paragraph 3(5)(g)

The Notes issued will be listed.

60. Paragraph 3(5)(h)

The funds to be raised through the issue of the Notes are to be used by the Issuer for its general corporate purposes.

61. Paragraph 3(5)(i)

The payment obligations of the Issuer in respect of the Notes are guaranteed in terms of the Guarantees provided by each Guarantor but are otherwise unsecured.

62. Paragraph 3(5)(j)

Deloitte & Touche, the statutory auditor of the Issuer, have confirmed that nothing has come to their attention to indicate that this issue of Notes issued under the Programme does not comply in all material respects with the relevant provisions of the Commercial Paper Regulations.

**Responsibility:**

The Issuer certifies that to the best of its knowledge and belief there are no facts that have been omitted from the Programme Memorandum or this Applicable Pricing Supplement which would make any statement false or misleading and that all reasonable enquiries to ascertain such facts have been made as well as that the Programme Memorandum together with this Applicable Pricing Supplement, contains all information required by law and the Debt Listings Requirements of the JSE. The Issuer accepts full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in the Programme Memorandum, the Applicable Pricing Supplement, the integrated reports, which include the annual financial statements of the Issuer and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents, except as otherwise stated therein.

The JSE takes no responsibility for the contents of the Programme Memorandum read with this Applicable Pricing Supplement, the integrated reports, which include the annual financial statements of the Issuer, and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents. The JSE makes no representation as to the accuracy or completeness of the Programme Memorandum read with this Applicable Pricing Supplement, the integrated reports, which include the annual financial statements of the Issuer and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents and expressly disclaims any liability for any loss arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the aforementioned documents. The JSE's approval of the registration of the Programme Memorandum and listing of the Notes is not to be taken in any way as an indication of the merits of the Issuer or of the Notes and that, to the extent permitted by law, the JSE will not be liable for any claim whatsoever.

**Programme Amount:**

As at the date of this Applicable Pricing Supplement, the Issuer confirms that the authorised Programme Amount of ZAR10,000,000,000 has not been exceeded.

**Material Change:**

As at the date of this Applicable Pricing Supplement, and after due and careful enquiry, there has been no material change in the financial or trading position of the Issuer and its Subsidiaries since the date of the Issuer's latest audited financial statements. As at the date of this Applicable Pricing Supplement, there has been no involvement by Deloitte & Touche in making the aforementioned statement.

**Listing:**

Application is hereby made to list this issue of Notes on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 2021.

**SIGNED** at Johannesburg on this 19th day of August 2021.

For and on behalf of

**BNP PARIBAS PERSONAL FINANCE SOUTH AFRICA LIMITED**



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Name: R Adams  
Capacity: Director  
Who warrants his/her authority hereto



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Name: D Balraj  
Capacity: Director  
Who warrants his/her authority hereto