## APPLICABLE PRICING SUPPLEMENT

Applicable Pricing Supplement dated 04 March 2025



**The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited** (Incorporated with limited liability under Registration Number 1962/000738/06 in the Republic of South Africa)

# Issue of ZAR742,000,000 Senior Unsecured Floating Rate Notes due 07 March 2032 Under its ZAR110,000,000,000 Domestic Medium Term Note Programme

This document constitutes the Applicable Pricing Supplement relating to the issue of Notes described herein. Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the terms and conditions (the **"Terms and Conditions**") set forth in the Programme Memorandum dated 19 December 2024 (the **"Programme Memorandum**"), as updated and amended from time to time. This Pricing Supplement must be read in conjunction with such Programme Memorandum. 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.

## **Description of the Notes**

1. Issuer	The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited	
2. Debt Officer	Arno Daehnke, Chief Finance and Value Management Officer of Standard Bank Group	
3. Status of the Notes	Senior Unsecured	
4. a. Series Number	1	
b. Tranche Number	1	
5. Aggregate Nominal Amount		
a. Series	ZAR742,000,000	
b. Tranche	ZAR742,000,000	
6. Redemption/Payment Basis	Not applicable	
7. Type of Notes	Floating Rate Notes	
8. Interest Payment Basis	Floating Rate	
9. Form of Notes	Registered Notes	
10. Automatic/Optional Conversion from one Interest/Payment Basis to another	Not applicable	
11. Issue Date	07 March 2025	
12. Business Centre	Johannesburg	
13. Additional Business Centre	Not applicable	
14. Specified Denomination	ZAR1,000,000	

15. Calculation Amount	ZAR1,000,000		
16. Issue Price	100%		
17. Interest Commencement Date	07 March 2025 07 March 2032		
18. Maturity Date			
19. Maturity Period	Not applicable		
20. Specified Currency	ZAR		
21. Applicable Business Day Convention	Following Business Day		
22. Calculation Agent	The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited		
23. Paying Agent	The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited		
24. Transfer Agent	The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited		
25. Settlement Agent	The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited		
26. Specified Office of the Calculation Agent, Paying Agent and Transfer Agent	30 Baker Street, Rosebank, 2196		
27. Specified office of the Settlement Agent	30 Baker Street, Rosebank, 2196		
28. Final Redemption Amount	Aggregate Nominal Amount		
Partly Paid Notes	Applicable		
Instalment Notes	Applicable		
Fixed Rate Notes	Applicable		
Floating Rate Notes	Applicable		
29. a. Interest Payment Date(s)	07 June, 07 September, 07 December and 07 March of each year until the Maturity Date, with the first Interest Payment Date being 07 June 2025 (each Interest Payment Date adjusted 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) an Interest Payment Date and ending on (but excluding) the following Interest Payment Date; <i>provided that</i> the first Interest Period will commence on (and include) the Interest Commencement Date and the last Interest Period shall commence on the Interest Payment Date immediately preceding the Maturity Date and end on (but exclude) the Maturity Date (each Interest Payment Date as adjusted in accordance with the Applicable Business Day Convention (as specified in this Applicable Pricing Supplement)		
c. Definitions of Business Day (if	Not applicable		

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	d.	Interest Rate(s)	The Reference Rate plus Margin	
	e.	Minimum Interest Rate	Not applicable	
	f.	Maximum Interest Rate	Not applicable	
	g.	Day Count Fraction	Actual/365	
	h.	Other terms relating to the method of calculating interest (e.g. rounding up provision, if different from Condition 7.2 (Interest on Floating Rate Notes and Indexed Notes))	Not applicable	
30.		anner in which the Interest Rate is to be termined	Screen Rate Determination	
31.	Ma	urgin	113 basis points	
32.	If I	SDA Determination:		
	a.	Floating Rate	Not applicable	
	b.	Floating Rate Option	Not applicable	
	c.	Designated Maturity	Not applicable	
	d.	Reset Date(s)	Not applicable	
33. If Screen Rate Determination:		Screen Rate Determination:		
	a.	Reference Rate (including relevant period by reference to which the Interest Rate is to be calculated)	3-month ZAR-JIBAR-SAFEX	
	b.	Interest Determination Date(s)	07 June, 07 September, 07 December and 07 March from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date with the first Interest Determination Date being 04 March 2025	
	c.	Relevant Screen Page	Reuters page SAFEY MNY MKT code 0#SFXMM: or any successor page	
	d.	Relevant Time	11h00	
	e.	Reference Banks	The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, FirstRand Bank Limited, Nedbank Limited and Investec Bank Limited, and each of their successors	
34. Interest Rate to be calculated otherwise than by reference to 32 or 33 above				
	a.	Margin	Not applicable	
	b.	Minimum Interest Rate	Not applicable	
	c.	Maximum Interest Rate	Not applicable	
	d.	Business Day Convention	Not applicable	
	e.	Day Count Fraction	Not applicable	

f.	Default Rate	Not applicable
g.	Fall back provisions, rounding provisions and any other terms relating to the method of calculating interest for Floating Rate Notes	Not applicable
age	different from the Calculation Agent, ent responsible for calculating amount principal and interest	Not applicable
Mixed Rat	e Notes	Not Applicable
Zero Coup	oon Notes	Not Applicable
Indexed N	otes	Not Applicable
Exchangea	able Notes	Not Applicable
Other Not	Not Applicable	
Provisions	<b>Regarding Redemption/Maturity</b>	
	demption at the Option of the Issuer all Option):	Not Applicable

If applicable:

a.	Optional Redempti	on Date(s) (Call)	Not applicable
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- b. Optional Redemption Amount(s) Not applicable (Call) and method, if any, of calculation of such amount(s)
- c. Minimum period of notice (if different Not applicable from Condition 9.3 (*Redemption at the Option of the Issuer (Call Option)*)

d.	. If redeemable in part:			Not applicable	
	Minimum Redemption Amount(s)		Not applicable		
	Higher Redemption Amount(s)		Not applicable		
e.	Other Redemp	terms tion	applicable	on	Not applicable

37. Redemption at the option of Noteholders Not Applicable of Senior Notes (Put Option):

If applicable:

	a.	Optional Redemption Date(s) (Put)	Not applicable
	b.	Optional Redemption Amount(s) (Put) and method, if any, of calculation of such amount(s)	Not applicable
	c.	Minimum period of notice (if different to Condition 9.4 ( <i>Redemption at the</i> <i>Option of Noteholders of Senior Notes</i> ( <i>Put Option</i> ))	Not applicable
	d.	If redeemable in part:	
		Minimum Redemption Amount(s)	Not applicable
		Higher Redemption Amount(s)	Not applicable
	e.	Other terms applicable on Redemption	Not applicable
	f.	Attach pro forma Put Notice(s)	
3.	Ear	rly Redemption Amount(s) payable on	100% of the aggregate Nominal Amount

- Early Redemption Amount(s) payable on redemption pursuant to the provisions of Conditions 9.2 (*Redemption for Tax reasons or Change in Law*) or Condition 13 (*Events of Default*) and/or the method of calculating same (if required or if different from that set out in Condition 9.6 (*Early Redemption Amounts*))
- 39. Date for payment of Early Redemption Amount(s) payable on redemption pursuant to the provisions of Condition 13 (*Events of Default*)

### General

40. Material Changes

Date specified in announcement published by the Issuer on SENS in the case of the JSE and in the case of any other Financial Exchange, the relevant electronic news service accepted by that relevant Financial Exchange, in accordance with the timetable set out in paragraph 3 of Schedule 4, Form A5 of the JSE Debt and Specialist Securities Listings Requirements, which date will be on or before the day which is five Business Days after

that date of receipt by the Issuer of the notice referred to in Condition 13 (*Events of Default*)

As at the date of this Applicable Pricing Supplement, 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 unaudited interim results, dated 30 June 2024. As at the date of this Applicable Pricing Supplement, there has been no involvement by Ernst & Young Incorporated and PricewaterhouseCoopers, the

	auditors of the Is aforementioned stateme	ssuer, in making the nt.			
41. Other terms or special conditions	Not Applicable				
42. Date of Board approval for issuance of Notes obtained	Not applicable				
43. Additional selling restrictions	Not applicable				
44. International Securities Identification Number (ISIN)	ZAG000213117				
45. Stock code	SBS97	SBS97			
46. Financial Exchange	JSE Limited				
a. Relevant sub-market of the Financial Exchange	Interest Rate Market				
b. Clearing System	Strate Proprietary Limit	ed			
47. If syndicated, names of managers	Not applicable				
48. Receipts attached? If yes, number of Receipts attached	No				
49. Coupons attached? If yes, number of Coupons attached	No				
50. Credit Rating assigned to the Issuer	Fitch:				
	Issuer Local:	Long term BB-			
	Issuer Foreign	Short term B			
		Long term BB-			
	Issuer National	Short term F1+(zaf)			
		Long term AA+(zaf)			
	Moody's:				
	Issuer Rating Local	Long term Ba1			
	Issuer National:	Short term P-1.za			
		Long term Aaa.za			
51. Date of issue of Credit Rating and date of next review	On 13 September 2024, Fitch affirmed the sovereign rating of the Republic of South Africa (RSA) at BB- for the long-term foreign and local currency ratings respectively and the outlook remains stable. On 22 April 2024, Fitch affirmed the long-term Issuer Default Ratings for Standard Bank Group (SBG) and The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited (SBSA) and the outlook remains stable. Review expected annually with the next review anticipated in December 2025.				

On 3 December 2024, Moody's affirmed RSA's sovereign rating at Ba2 and the outlook on the longterm local and foreign currency issuer ratings remains stable. On 3 May 2024, Moody's issued a new long term Issuer Rating for SBSA of Ba1 and, on 6 March 2024, upgraded the Ba3 long term Issuer Rating of SBG to Ba2, and set the outlook for both entities as stable. Review expected annually with the next review anticipated in March 2025.

- 52. Stripping of Receipts and/or Coupons No prohibited as provided in Condition 15.4 (*Prohibition on Stripping*)?
- 53. Governing law (if the laws of South Africa are not applicable)
- 54. Banking Jurisdiction
- 55. Last Day to Register, which shall mean that the "books closed period" (during which the Register will be closed) will be from each Last Day to Register to the applicable Payment Day until the date of redemption
- 56. Books Closed Period
- 57. Stabilisation Manager (if any)
- 58. Method of distribution
- 59. Total Notes in issue (including current issue)
- 60. Rights of cancellation

Not applicable

Not applicable

17h00 on 27 May, 27 August, 26 November and 24 February of each year commencing on 27 May 2025, or if such day is not a Business Day, the Business Day before each Books Closed Period until the Maturity Date

The Register will be closed from 28 May to 6 June, 28 August to 6 September, 27 November to 6 December and 25 February to 6 March (all dates inclusive) in each year until the Maturity Date

Not applicable

**Dutch Auction** 

ZAR54,656,000,000. The Issuer confirms that aggregate Nominal Amount of all Notes Outstanding under this Programme is within the Programme Amount.

The Notes will be delivered to investors on the Issue Date through the settlement system of the Central Depository, *provided that*:

no event occurs prior to the settlement process being finalised on the Issue Date which the Dealers (in their sole discretion) consider to be a *force majeure* event; or

no event occurs which the Dealers (in their sole discretion) consider may prejudice the issue, the Issuer, the Notes or the Dealers,

### (each a "Withdrawal Event").

If the Issuer decides to terminate this transaction due to the occurrence of a Withdrawal Event, this

transaction shall terminate and no party hereto shall have any claim against any other party as a result of such termination. In such event, the Notes, if listed, will immediately be de-listed.

The Issuer certifies that to the best of its knowledge and belief, there are no facts that have been omitted 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 as read together with this Applicable Pricing Supplement contains all information required by Applicable Laws and the JSE Debt and Specialist Securities Listings The Requirements. Issuer accepts full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in the Programme Memorandum as read together with the annual financial statements and this Applicable Pricing Supplement and the annual reports and any amendments or any supplements to aforementioned documents, except the otherwise stated therein or herein.

The JSE takes no responsibility for the contents of the information contained in the Programme Memorandum as read together with this Applicable Pricing Supplement, and the annual financial statements, and any amendments or anv supplements to the aforementioned documents. The JSE makes no representation as to the accuracy or completeness of the Programme Memorandum, this Applicable Pricing Supplement and any amendments or any 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 or the Issuer or of any of the Notes and that, to the extent permitted by law, the JSE will not be liable for any claim whatsoever. The Issuer further confirms that the amount of the Programme authorised of ZAR110,000,000,000 has not been exceeded.

General corporate purposes

Not applicable

62. Use of proceeds

63. Other provisions

61. Responsibility statement

Application is hereby made to list this issue of Notes 07 March 2025. The Programme Memorandum was, approved by, and registered with the JSE on 19 December 2024.

Signed at Rosebank on this 4th day of March 2025

For and on behalf of **The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited Issuer** 

Name: Jan Brits Capacity: Authorised Signatory Head Group Capital Management

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Name: Paul Burgoyne Capacity: Authorised Signatory SBSA Head Treasury and Money Markets