Münchener Rückversicherungs-Gesellschaft

Aktiengesellschaft in München



Key figures (IFRS) for the first quarter 2008

(in €m unless otherwise indicated)

At a glance:

- Satisfactory first quarter in primary insurance and reinsurance
- Target: RORAC of at least 15%, with profit of €3.0–3.4bn aimed at
- CFO Schneider: "Solid quarterly profit despite substantial major losses and volatile capital markets."

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MUNICH RE GROUP	1st quarter 2008	1st quarter 2007*		Change
			absolute	%
Gross premiums written	9,844	10,020	-176	-1.8
Net earned premiums	8,547	8,794	-247	-2.8
Investment result	1,687	3,161	-1,474	-46.6
Thereof realised gains	1,592	2,039	-447 500	-21.9
realised losses	850	348	502	144.3
Net expenses for claims and benefits	6,935	8,421	-1,486	-17.6
Operating result				
(before finance costs and taxes on income)	1,151	1,313	-162	-12.3
Finance costs	86	70	16	22.9
Taxes on income	280	269	11	4.1
Consolidated result	785	974	-189	-19.4
Thereof attributable				
to Munich Re equity holders to minority interests	775 10	958 16	–183 <i>–</i> 6	–19.1 –37.5
	31.3.2008	31.12.2007		00
Investments	170,159	176,154	-5,995	-3.4
Shareholders' equity	23,757	25,458	-1,701	- 6.7
Employees	39,279	38,634	645	1.7
REINSURANCE**	1st quarter 2008	1st quarter 2007		Change
	2006	2007	absolute	%
Gross premiums written	5,492	5,820	-328	
Thereof life and health	1,678	1,791	-113	-6.3
property-casualty	3,814	4,029	-215	-5.3
Combined ratio (%) Property-casualty	103.8	101.8	2.0	
Thereof natural catastrophes	10.7	12.2	-1.5	
Operating result	862	1,059	-197	-18.6
Result	586	798	-212	-26.6
PRIMARY INSURANCE**	1st quarter	1st quarter		Change
	2008	2007*	obsoluto	%
	4.000	4.750	absolute	
Gross premiums written Thereof life and health	4,803 2,857	4,758 2,855	45 2	0.9 0.1
property-casualty	1,946	1,903	43	2.3
Combined ratio (%) property-casualty,				
including legal expenses insurance	89.0	102.1	-13.1	
Operating result	246	316	-70	-22.2
Result	163	250	-87	-34.8
SHARE	1st quarter	1st quarter		Change
-	2008	2007*		
Earnings per share (€)	3.79	4.32	-0.53	-12.3

Adjusted pursuant to IAS 8.

^{**} Before elimination of intra-Group transactions across segments.