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### Pricing Supplement Dated June 21, 2019



### **ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**

(a Canadian chartered bank)

### **Issue of Series CB43**

CAD \$1,250,000,000 Floating Rate Covered Bonds due June 27, 2022 under the

€32,000,000,000

Global Covered Bond Programme unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed as to payments by RBC COVERED BOND GUARANTOR LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

(a limited partnership formed under the laws of Ontario)

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### PART A - CONTRACTUAL TERMS

Any person making or intending to make an offer of the Covered Bonds may only do so in circumstances in which no obligation arises for the Issuer or any Dealer to publish a prospectus pursuant to Article 3 of the Prospectus Directive, in each case, in relation to such offer.

This document constitutes the Pricing Supplement of the Covered Bonds described herein. This document must be read in conjunction with the offering document of the Issuer relating to the Series CB43 Covered Bonds dated June 21, 2019 (the "Canadian Offering Document"). Full information on the Issuer and the offer of the Covered Bonds is only available on the basis of the combination of this Pricing Supplement and the Canadian Offering Document. The Canadian Offering Document and all documents incorporated by reference therein are available for viewing and may be obtained from the offices of the Issuer, 14<sup>th</sup> Floor, 155 Wellington Street West, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5V 3K7, and the offices of the Issuing and Paying Agent, One Canada Square, London E14 5AL, England.

Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the Conditions (the "Conditions") set forth in the Canadian Offering Document.

1. (i) Series Number: **CB43** (ii) Tranche Number: (iii) Date on which the Covered Bonds become fungible: Not Applicable Specified Currency or Currencies: Canadian dollars 2. (Condition 1.10) Aggregate Principal Amount 3. (i) Series: \$1,250,000,000 (ii) Tranche: \$1,250,000,000 100% of the Aggregate Principal Amount 4. Issue Price: 5. **Specified Denominations:** \$1,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess thereof (a) (Condition 1.09) (b) Calculation Amount: \$1,000 Issue Date: 6. June 27, 2019 (i) (ii) Interest Commencement Issue Date Date: 7. (i) Final Maturity Date: June 27, 2022

(ii) **Extended Due for Payment Date of Guaranteed Amounts** corresponding to the Final Redemption Amount under

the Covered Bond Guarantee: June 27, 2023

8. Interest Basis: 3-month CDOR rate plus 0.14% per annum from and including the

Interest Commencement Date to but excluding the Final Maturity

Date:

and

1-month CDOR rate plus 0.1825% per annum from and including the Final Maturity Date to but excluding the earlier of (i) the date on which the Covered Bonds are redeemed in full and (ii) the Extended

Due for Payment Date.

9. Redemption/Payment Basis: Subject to any purchase and cancellation or early redemption, the

Covered Bonds will be redeemed on the Maturity Date or Extended

Due for Payment Date, as applicable, at par.

10. Change of Interest Basis: Applicable, see item 8 above.

11. Put Option/Call Option: Not Applicable

12. Date of Board approval for issuance of

Covered Bonds obtained: Not Applicable

## PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE

13. **Fixed Rate Covered Bond** Not Applicable

**Provisions** (Condition 5.02)

14. Floating Rate Covered Bond Applicable

**Provisions** (Condition 5.03)

The period from and including each Specified Interest Payment Date (i) Specified Period(s):

to but excluding the following Specified Interest Payment Date with the first such period being the period from and including the Interest Commencement Date to but excluding the first Specified Interest

Payment Date.

Specified Interest Payment (ii)

Date:

The 27th day of March, June, September and December of each year from and including the First Interest Payment Date to and including

the Final Maturity Date;

and

The 27<sup>th</sup> day of each month from but excluding the Final Maturity Date to and including the Extended Due for Payment Date.

September 27, 2019 (iii) First Interest Payment Date:

(iv) **Business Day Convention:** Modified Following Business Day Convention

Business Centre(s): (v) Toronto

(vi) Manner in which the Rate(s) of Interest is/are to be

determined:

Screen Rate Determination

(vii) Party responsible for calculating the Rate(s) of Interest and Interest

Amount(s):

RBC Dominion Securities Inc. shall be the Calculation Agent.

(viii) Screen Rate Determination: Applicable. Reference in paragraph (d) of Condition 5.03 under the

heading Screen Rate Determination to "leading European banks"

shall be to the "Reference Banks".

Reference Rate: The average bid rate of interest for Canadian dollar bankers'

acceptances ("CDOR").

3-month CDOR rate in respect of the period from and including the Interest Commencement Date to but excluding the Final Maturity

Date.

1-month CDOR rate in respect of the period from and including the Final Maturity Date to but excluding the Extended Due for Payment

Interest Determination

Date(s):

First day of each Interest Period.

Relevant Screen

Page:

The display designated as page "CDOR" on the Reuters Monitor Money Rates Service (or such other page as may replace the CDOR page on that service or any other service, by the Administrator) for purposes of publishing or displaying, among other things, Canadian dollar bankers' acceptance rates, as published by Refinitiv Benchmark Services (UK) Limited or any successor thereto, as administrator (the "Administrator") in accordance with its CDOR

Methodology, as amended from time to time.

Relevant Time: 10:15 am (Toronto time)

Reference Banks: Banks (as defined in the Bank Act) listed in Schedule I of the Bank

Act

Relevant Financial

Centre:

Not Applicable

Principal Financial

Centre:

Not Applicable

Observation Look Back Period:

Not Applicable

(ix) ISDA Determination: Not Applicable

(x) Linear Interpolation:

Margin(s):

(xi)

Not Applicable

0.14% per annum in respect of the period from and including the Interest Commencement Date to but excluding the Final Maturity

Date:

and

0.1825% per annum in respect of the period from and including the Final Maturity Date to but excluding the Extended Due for Payment

Date.

Minimum Rate of Interest: (xii)

(Condition 5.05)

Not Applicable

Maximum Rate of Interest: (xiii)

(Condition 5.05)

Not Applicable

(xiv) Day Count Fraction: Actual/365 (Fixed)

(xv) Fall back provisions, rounding provisions, denominator and any other terms relating to the method of calculating interest on Floating Rate Covered Bonds, if different than those set out in the Conditions:

If the Calculation Agent, after consultation with the Bank, determines that CDOR for a period of the duration of the relevant Interest Period has been permanently or indefinitely discontinued, the Calculation Agent shall use, as a substitute for CDOR for such relevant Interest Period and for each such future Interest Period, the alternative reference rate selected or recommended by the central bank, monetary authority, relevant regulatory supervisor or any similar institution (including any committee or working group thereof), or identified through any other applicable regulatory or legislative action or guidance, that is consistent with accepted market practice for debt obligations such as the Covered Bonds (the "Alternative Rate"). As

part of such substitution, the Calculation Agent shall, after consultation with the Bank make such adjustments to the Alternative Rate and the spread thereon, as well as the Business Day Convention, Interest Payment Dates and related provisions and definitions, in each case that are consistent with accepted market practice or applicable regulatory or legislative action or guidance for the use of such Alternative Rate for debt obligations such as the Covered Bonds. If the Calculation Agent determines, after consultation with the Bank that there is no clear market consensus as to a Alternative Rate for such Interest Period, the CDOR rate for such Interest Period shall be the CDOR rate for such Interest Period for the immediately preceding Interest Period, and the process set forth in this paragraph to determine an Alternative Rate shall be repeated for each subsequent Interest Period until such time as an Alternative Rate for the relevant Interest Period is determined. At any time the Guarantor LP is required to be Independently Controlled and Governed, references to the Bank in this paragraph shall be to the Guarantor LP. Condition 13.02(c) is not applicable.

15. Zero Coupon Covered Bond

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

#### PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION

16. Call Option

(Condition 6.03)

17. Put Option

(Condition 6.06)

18. Final Redemption Amount of

each Covered Bond

19. Early Redemption Amount

Early Redemption Amount(s) payable on redemption for taxation reasons or illegality or upon acceleration following an Issuer Event of Default or Guarantor LP Event of Default or other early redemption and method, if any, of calculation of such amount(s):

Early Redemption Amount includes amount in respect of accrued interest:

Not Applicable

\$1,000 per Calculation Amount

\$1,000 per Calculation Amount

No: together with the Early Redemption Amount, accrued interest shall also be paid.

## GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE COVERED BONDS

20. Form of the Covered Bonds: Registered Covered Bonds held only through the book-based system

of CDS. See Depository Service and Transfer in the Canadian

Offering Document.

21. New Global Covered Bond: No

22. Financial Centre(s) or other special

provisions relating to payment dates: Toronto

23. Talons for future Coupons to be attached to Definitive Covered Bonds (and dates on which such Talons

mature):

No

24. Euro Conversion Rate: The Aggregate Principal Amount of the Covered Bonds issued has

been translated into euros at the rate of €1.00 = \$1.49082

25. Branch of Account: Main branch of the Bank located in Toronto

## **RESPONSIBILITY**

(signed)

The Bank and the Guarantor LP accept responsibility for the information contained in this Pricing Supplement.

Signed on behalf of the Bank:

Signed on behalf of the Managing GP for and on behalf of the Guarantor LP:

(signed) "James Salem"

(signed) "Ken Mason"

(signed)

(signed) "David Power"

#### **PART B - OTHER INFORMATION**

#### 1. LISTING

(i) Listing and admission to

trading:

Not Applicable

2. RATINGS

Ratings: The Covered Bonds to be issued have been rated:

Moody's: Aaa Fitch: AAA DBRS: AAA

### 3. INTERESTS OF NATURAL AND LEGAL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE OFFER

Save as discussed in "Subscription and Sale and Transfer and Selling Restrictions" in the Canadian Offering Document, so far as the Bank is aware, no person involved in the offer of the Covered Bonds has an interest material to the offer. The Dealers and their affiliates have engaged, and may in future engage, in investment banking and/or commercial banking transactions with and may perform services for the Issuer, the Guarantor LP and their affiliates.

#### 4. OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

ISIN Code: CA780086QX58 (i) (ii) Common Code: Not Applicable (iii) WKN Code: Not Applicable CUSIP: 780086QX5 (iv) (v) CINS: Not Applicable Not Applicable

(vi) Any clearing system(s) other than Euroclear Bank SA/NV, Clearstream Banking S.A., DTC, CDS, their addresses and the relevant identification number(s):

(vii) Delivery Delivery free of payment

(viii) Name(s) and address(es) Royal Bank of Canada, acting through its offices located at 55 wellington Street West, 14th Floor, South Tower, Toronto, Ontario Agent(s) Transfer Agent(s): M5V 3K7, has been appointed as Issuing and Paying Agent in respect of the Covered Bonds.

(ix) Intended to be held in a manner which would allow Eurosystem eligibility:

Not Applicable

# 5. DISTRIBUTION

(i) U.S. Selling Restrictions: The Covered Bonds are being sold in Canada only.

(ii) Canadian selling restrictions: The Covered Bonds are being sold on a private placement basis as

exempt securities pursuant to applicable securities laws and are only being sold to "accredited investors" as defined pursuant to applicable

securities laws.

(iii) Method of distribution: Syndicated

(iv) If syndicated, names of <u>Lead and Bookrunner:</u>

Dealer: RBC Dominion Securities Inc.

## Syndicate:

CIBC World Markets Inc.

The Bank wholly-owns RBC Dominion Securities Inc., one of the Dealers. The Bank is a related and connected issuer of RBC Dominion Securities Inc. under applicable securities legislation. The decision to distribute the Covered Bonds and the determination of the terms of this offering were made through negotiations between the Bank on the one hand and the Dealers on the other. CIBC World Markets Inc., a Dealer in respect of which the Bank is not a related or connected issuer, has participated in the structuring and pricing of the offering and in the due diligence activities performed by the Dealers for the offering. RBC Dominion Securities Inc. will not receive any benefit from the Bank in connection with this offering other than a portion of the Dealers' fee.

(v) Stabilisation Manager(s) (if any):

Not Applicable

(vi) If non-syndicated, name of Dealer:

Not Applicable

(vii) Additional selling restrictions:

The Covered Bonds are being sold in Canada only.

## **6. USE OF PROCEEDS**

As specified in the Canadian Offering Document