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General Manager

Dear General Manager:

We have attached, for your further knowledge and application, a copy of Law No. 97 of 21 December 1998, published in Official Gazette No. 23,698 of 23 December 1998, whereby the MINISTRY OF ECONOMY AND FINANCE is created, at the same time, Article 19 of Decree Law 9 of 1998 (Banking Law) is rescinded and Article 73-A is added to this Decree Law.

Please note that, pursuant Article 23 of Law 97 of 1998, this law will have a term of twelve (12) months, from its promulgation, to be enacted, this means on 23 December 1999, unless the Executive Branch provides, by means of Executive Resolution a new enactment date.

Best regards,

Carlos A. Vallarino R. Superintendent

Enc.: the aforementioned

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