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Mr. General Manager In Your Office.

Ref.: Quarterly delivery of Consolidated Financial

Statements

Dear Manager:

We hereby inform you that starting from the first quarter of the year 2001, all general license banks shall, on a quarterly basis, remit to this Superintendency the consolidated financial statements with opinion of revision of their external auditors firm, including the consolidation sheet.

Said report must be submitted not later than 30 days after the end of each quarterly term.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation and will appreciate your remittance of the requested forms within the above-mentioned term.

Yours truly,

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Delia Cárdenas
Superintendent of Banks

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