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Republic of Panama Superintendency of Banks

August 6, 2002 CIRCULAR No. 031-2002

Mr. General Manager In Your Office.

Ref.: Circulars 39-2001, 42-2001, 04-2002, 13-2002 and 27-2002.

Dear Manager, Sir:

We hereby inform you that the continuous sanctions established by the United States of America against the Taliban have been updated, thus putting up to date the List of Frozen Assets of Persons and Entities pointed out by reason of their link with terrorist organizations in accordance with Executive Decree No. 13268.

For your fast reference, we indicate you that it is necessary to go to the link to the page of OFAC, located in the section "English Information" of our web page www.sbancos.gob.pa.

There being no further matter, we remain,

Yours truly,

Delia Cárdenas Superintendent

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