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Republic of Panama National Government National Customs Authority

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Mr. Amauri Castillo Superintendent of Banks of Panama Superintendency of Banks of Panama (SBP)

Mr. Superintendent:

We wish to inform you hereby that, pursuant to Executive Decree 507 dated 24 March 2020 and its Erratum, the activities conducted by the Customs Brokers and their employees, holding safeconducts validated by this Authority, were included as exempted activities. Nevertheless, Customs brokers and their employees are currently facing difficulties to accessing bank premises nationwide to pay for the customs clearance taxes, including the taxes for necessities.

In connection with the above, we will highly appreciate your informing the different banks in the country to allow customs brokers and their employees, holding ID badges or safe-conducts, to access bank premises.

Sincerely yours,

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