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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Superintendent of Banks

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 9 of Rule 1-2004 dated 29 December 2004,

ANNOUNCES:

1. That BANCO DE SABADELL, S.A. submitted a request to the Superintendency of Banks of the Republic of Panama through its Resident Agent for authorization to sell and transfer to BANCO CONTINENTAL DE PANAMA, S.A. all issued and outstanding common shares of ATLÁNTICO HOLDINGS FINANCIAL LIMITED, which is the exclusive and sole owner of the issued and outstanding common shares of BANCO ATLÁNTICO (PANAMÁ), S.A.
2. That BANCO DE SABADELL, S.A. is a corporation established according to the laws of Spain and the exclusive and sole owner of all issued and outstanding shares of ATLÁNTICO HOLDINGS FINANCIAL LIMITED.
3. That ATLÁNTICO HOLDINGS FINANCIAL LIMITED is a corporation established according to the laws of the British Virgin Islands and the exclusive and sole owner of all issued and outstanding shares of BANCO ATLÁNTICO (PANAMÁ), S.A.
4. That BANCO ATLÁNTICO (PANAMÁ), S.A. is a corporation established according to the laws of the Republic of Panama, filed in Microjacket 5365, Roll 217, image 292 of the Microfilms Section of the Public Registry and duly authorized by Resolution 97-74 dated 30 August 1974 of the National Banking Commission (today known as the Superintendency of Banks) to engage in the banking business within the Republic of Panama and abroad.
5. That as registered in the Public Registry of the Republic of Panama, the principal Directors, Dignitaries and Senior Executives of BANCO ATLÁNTICO (PANAMÁ), S.A. are:

Name	Position
Jose Permanyer Cunillera	Chairman/Director
Francisco Vallejo	Vice Chairman/Director
Javier Gallardo Vilajuana	Vice Chairman/Director/General Manager
Carlos Manjarin Albert	Secretary/Director
Jose Tarres Busquets	Director
Jose Luis Negro Rodriguez	Director
Cirus Andreu Cabot	Director

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6. That BANCO CONTINENTAL DE PANAMÁ, S.A. is a corporation established according to the laws of the Republic of Panama, filed in Microjacket 1232, Roll 37, Image 29 of the Microfilms Section of the Public Registry and duly authorized by Resolution 13 dated 7 June 1972 of the National Banking Commission (today known as the Superintendency of Banks) to engage in the banking business within the Republic of Panama and abroad.
7. That as registered in the Public Registry of the Republic of Panama, the principal Directors, Dignitaries and Senior Executives of BANCO CONTINENTAL DE PANAMÁ, S.A. are:

Name	Position
Stanley Motta	Legal Representative/Chairman/Director
Jaime Alberto Arias	Secretary/Director
Alfredo De La Guardia	Vice Chairman/Director
Oswaldo Heilbron	Treasurer/Director
Gilberto Guardia Garcia de Paredes	Director
Francisco Salerno	Director
Roberto Motta Alvarado	Director
Walter Andreas Jacobs	Director
Roberto Pascual	Director

Given in the city of Panama on the seventeenth (17th) day of August, two thousand six (2006).

(signed)
Olegario Barrelier
Superintendent