

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

We wish to inform the general public hereby, that the company called "Financial Intelligence Council (FIC)" and Mr. Marcelo E. Decoud, Director General of this company, have included Mr. Pedro Chaluja and his position in the Superintendency, Director of International Projects and Affairs, on its website http://ficlatam.org/informacion/index.php?CategoryId=1&InfoId=14 without authorization from this Institution, implying that he is a member of the council of advisers of the above company.

In this regard, we wish to clarify and inform the general public that the Superintendency **DOES NOT** have any relationship with the above company.

In addition, we wish to inform the public that Mr. Pedro Chaluja, Director of International Projects and Affairs of the Superintendency, does not hold any position at, nor is he a member of, the above company.

Given in the city of Panama on the fourth (4th) day of August, two thousand nine (2009).

Olegario Barrelier Superintendent

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