

# TRANSLATION

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## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

As promoter of the public confidence in the banking system, the Superintendency of Banks of the Republic of Panama would like to inform you that fraudulent advertisements using the name of member banks to Panama's Banking Center and identify theft messages are being sent through emails.

In this regard, we would like to warn the general public that all security measures must be taken when making e-banking transactions.

Among such are, check that the website of your bank is correct by noticing the message on your web browser evidencing the digital certificate before introducing your password.

Also, you must procure to use computers with updated antivirus programs and with the latest operative system updates.

Should you have doubts about the accuracy of these advertisements or the legitimacy of the website you are visiting, we would like to recommend you to contact directly your bank as soon as possible.

Given in the city of Panama, on the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) June, two thousand eleven (2011)

(Original signed)  
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