

COMMUNIQUÉ

The Superintendency of Banks of Panama recommends the general public ignore baseless and malicious rumors that are circulating or are posted on social media and other unauthorized media about fake information on Banistmo, S.A., which seeks to generate uncertainty and destabilization.

We reiterate that one should pay attention only to the official information issued by this institution.

The Superintendency informs the citizenship in general that we have not seized any bank in particular.

We reaffirm that all Banks running operations in the Banking Center, including Banistmo, S.A., fully meet the prudential solvency and liquidity ratios required by the Panamanian legal and regulatory framework.

We also wish to inform everyone that publishing this type of unfounded information may be punishable under Article 260 of the Penal Code.

Panama, June 13, 2019.