# Republic of Panama Superintendency of Banks

### **RESOLUTION SBP-0084-2017**

(dated 25 May 2017)

#### THE SUPERINTENDENT OF BANKS

in use of his legal powers, and

## **WHEREAS:**

**BANCO CITIBANK (PANAMÁ), S.A.** is a corporation established according to the Laws of the Republic of Panama and authorized to engage in the banking business in and from the Republic of Panama under a General Banking License granted by the Superintendency by means of Resolution SB 101-2002 dated 10 December 2002;

By means of Resolution SBP-0186-2015 dated 9 December 2015, the Superintendency authorized CITIBANK OVERSEAS INVESTMENT CORPORATION to transfer 100% of the issued and outstanding shares of BANCO CITIBANK (PANAMÁ), S.A. and its subsidiary to SCOTIABANK CARIBBEAN HOLIDNGS LTD pursuant to the terms established for the proposed transaction. As a result, both banks became part of the same Economic Group;

By means of Resolution SBP-0036-2016 dated 1 February 2016, the Superintendency authorized BANCO CITIBANK (PANAMÁ), S.A. to change its corporate name to SCOTIABANK (PANAMÁ), S.A.;

Pursuant to Paragraph 2 of Article 58 of the Banking Law, **SCOTIABANK** (**PANAMÁ**), **S.A.** has requested the Superintendency authorize it to close its "Colon Free Zone" branch office;

**SCOTIABANK (PANAMÁ), S.A.** has indicated that the closure date would be within thirty (30) days from the date the requested authorization is received;

According to Subparagraph 2, Paragraph I of Article 16 of the Banking Law, the Superintendent of Banks is the approving authority for closing banking establishments, and

After the relevant analyses, the request submitted by **SCOTIABANK** (PANAMÁ), S.A. raises no objections.

## **RESOLVES:**

To authorize **SCOTIABANK** (**PANAMÁ**), **S.A.** to close its "Colon Free Zone" branch office in the city of Colon, province of Colon.

**LEGAL GROUNDS**: Paragraph 2, Article 58 and Subparagraph 2, Paragraph I, Article 16 of the Banking Law.

Given in the city of Panama on the twenty-fifth (25<sup>th</sup>) day of May, two thousand seventeen (2017).

FOR COMMUNICATION, PUBLICATION, AND ENFORCEMENT,

THE SUPERINTENDENT OF BANKS,

Ricardo G. Fernandez D.

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