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The Chief Executive
All authorized institutions

Dear Sir/Madam,

**United Nations Sanctions (Democratic People's Republic of Korea) (Amendment) Regulation 2013**

I am writing to inform you that the Chief Executive-in-Council has approved the United Nations Sanctions (Democratic People's Republic of Korea) (Amendment) Regulation 2013 under the United Nations Sanctions Ordinance (Cap. 537). The Amendment Regulation was published in the Government Gazette (L.N. 54 of 2013) on 12 April 2013 and is available on the Government's website (http://www.gld.gov.hk/egazette).

The Amendment Regulation amends the existing sanctions against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK) to implement the United Nations Security Council Resolution (UNSCR) 2087 to expand the scope of sanctions against DPRK under UNSCR 1718 to include a list of additional items, materials, equipment, goods and technology related to ballistic missile programmes.

Yours faithfully,

Henry Cheng
Executive Director (Banking Supervision)