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January 16, 2012

The Chairmen
All Regional Rural Banks (RRBs)

Dear Sir,

Anti-Money Laundering (AML) / Combating of Financing of Terrorism (CFT) - Standards

Please refer to our <u>circular RPCD.CO.RRB.AML.No.1203 /03.05.28 (A)/2011-12</u> <u>dated July 29, 2011</u> on risks arising from the deficiencies in AML/CFT regime of certain jurisdictions.

- 2. Financial Action Task Force (FATF) has updated its Statement on October 28, 2011 on the subject (copy enclosed).
- 3. All RRBs are accordingly advised to consider the information contained in the enclosed statement.
- 4. This, however, does not preclude Indian banks or financial institutions from legitimate trade and business transactions with these countries and jurisdictions.
- 5. Please advise Principal Officer of your bank to acknowledge receipt of this circular letter to our Regional Office concerned.

Yours faithfully

(C.D.Srinivasan)
Chief General Manager
Encls: As above