

**COMMISSION de SURVEILLANCE  
du SECTEUR FINANCIER**

In case of discrepancies between the French and the English text, the French text shall prevail

Luxembourg, 10 March 2009

To all professionals of the financial sector subject to the supervision of the CSSF and to whom the amended law of 12 November 2004 on the fight against money laundering and terrorist financing applies

**CIRCULAR CSSF 09/394**

**Re: Identification and declaration of business relationships with terrorist circles**

Ladies and Gentlemen,

We are pleased to draw your attention to Commission Regulation (EC) No 184/2009 of 6 March 2009 amending for the 104th time Council Regulation (EC) No 881/2002 imposing certain specific restrictive measures directed against certain persons and entities associated with Usama bin Laden, the Al-Qaida network and the Taliban.

The purpose of this new Regulation is to amend the list of natural persons to whom the freezing of funds and economic resources applies and which is included in Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 881/2002.

Regulation (EC) No 184/2009 entered into force on the day of its publication in the [Official Journal of the European Union No L 63, pages 11-12](#), of 7 March 2009.

It is binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

We remind you that you are required to immediately report any relevant information relating to this Regulation to the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier, which will forward the information to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Immigration, Division of International Economic Relations, as well as to the Ministry of Finance.

As the information included in Regulation (EC) No 184/2009 shall be considered as a fact that might be an indication of terrorist financing within the meaning of article 5(1) of the amended law of 12 November 2004 on the fight against money laundering and terrorist financing, you are also required to inform, where applicable, the Financial Intelligence Unit of the State Prosecutor's office to the Luxembourg district court.

We would also like to point out the notice of the European Commission for the attention of the persons and entities associated with Usama bin Laden, the Al-Qaida network and the Taliban published in the Official Journal of the European Union No C 56, pages 52-53, of 10 March 2009.

Yours faithfully,

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