**BANK OF BOTSWANA** 

PRESS RELEASE

REVOCATION OF BUREAU de CHANGE LICENCE

The Bank of Botswana wishes to inform members of the public that in line

with licensing powers enshrined in Section 30(1) of the Bank of Botswana

Act (CAP. 55:01), and Bank of Botswana (Bureaux de Change) Regulations

(Regulations), it has revoked, with immediate effect, the licence issued to Maeto

Bureau de Change in Mahalapye to transact foreign exchange business, following

its decision to voluntarily close operations.

Accordingly, the public is advised not to transact foreign exchange business with

any person purporting to trade in the name of Maeto Bureau de Change.

Members of the public are also reminded that it is a criminal offence, under

Section 30(4) of the Bank of Botswana Act (CAP. 55:01), to conduct the business

of buying and selling foreign currency without a valid licence issued by the Bank.

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