**BANK OF BOTSWANA** 

PRESS RELEASE

**REVOCATION OF BUREAU de CHANGE LICENCE** 

The Bank of Botswana wishes to inform members of the public that pursuant to

Section 30(1) of the Bank of Botswana Act (CAP. 55:01), read with the Bank of

Botswana (Bureaux de Change) Regulations, 2004, it has revoked with immediate

effect, the licence to transact foreign exchange business issued to Edcom Bureau de

Change, following its failure to commence operations.

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

person purporting to trade in the name of Edcom 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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