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 in conjunction with the Bank of

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

licence issued to Universal Bureau de Change, 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 Universal 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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