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Head offices/principal offices of all

Authorized Dealers in Bangladesh

Dear Sirs,

Settlement of payment against inland LCs in foreign exchange

Attention of the Authorized Dealers (ADs) is invited to paragraph 3(c), chapter 3 of

the Guidelines for Foreign Exchange Transactions-2018 (GFET), Vol-1 in terms of which

payment against permissible inland LCs in foreign currency as per paragraphs 35 and 40

respectively of chapter 7 ibid needs to be settled through Bangladesh Bank FC clearing

accounts of the concerned ADs.

2. To facilitate settlement of inland LCs amid COVID-19 related disruptions, ADs

may settle the payments through their nostro accounts. Considering the small volume of

transactions, ADs should have suitable arrangements with their correspondents abroad for

the transactions with minimum charges.

Please bring the contents of this circular letter, effective during banking operation in

limited scale on general holidays, to the notice of your concerned clientele.

Yours faithfully,

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