



Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY GOVERNOR SUPERVISION AND EXAMINATION SECTOR

CIRCULAR LETTER

TO: ALL BANKS

For information, listed below are the (1) approved applications for new banking offices; and (2) new banking offices opened during the 2nd Quarter of 2004:

I. APPROVED APPLICATIONS

A. COMMERCIAL BANK

<u>Type of Office</u>	<u>Date Approved</u>	<u>City/ Municipality</u>
Branch	0513/04	Carmona, Cavite
Branch	05/13/04	Tanza, Cavite
Branch	05/13/04	San Jose, Batangas
Branch	05/13/04	Tanauan, Batangas

B. THRIFT BANK

None

C. RURAL BANKS

1. Rural Bank of Pilar (Sorsogon), Inc.	Branch	04/05/04	Bacacay, Albay
2. Agri-business Rural Bank	Branch	04/15/04	Kasibu, Nueva Vizcaya
3. Cooperative Bank of Cagayan	Branch	04/16/04	La-Ho, Cagayan
4. Summit Bank (Rural Bank of Tublay)	Branch	04/20/04	Atok, Benguet
5. Surigaonon Rural Banking Corp.	Branch	04/20/04	Bantay, Ilocos Sur
	Branch	04/26/04	Kitcharao, Agusan del Norte
	Branch	04/26/04	Libjo, Surigao del Norte
6. Rural Bank of Cauayan (Isabela)	Branch	04/26/04	San Mariano, Isabela
7. Mallig Plains Rural Bank (Isabela)	Branch	05/14/04	Sto. Tomas, Isabela
8. Rural Bank of Cantilan (Surigao del Norte)	Branch	06/02/04	Socorro, Surigao del Norte

MAG-IMPOK SA BANGKO

	<u>Type of Office</u>	<u>Date Approved</u>	<u>City/ Municipality</u>
9. Rural Greenbank of Caraga, Inc.	MF Branch	06/03/04	Ampayon, Butuan City
	MF Branch	06/03/04	Trento, Agusan del Sur
	MF Branch	06/03/04	Dapa, Surigao del Norte
	MF Branch	06/03/04	Cabadbaran, Agusan del Sur
	MF Branch	06/03/04	Bislig, Surigao del Sur
10. Rural Bank of Sto. Tomas (Davao del Norte)	Branch	06/29/04	Kapalong, Davao del Norte
	Branch	06/29/04	Asuncion, Davao del Norte

<u>Type of Office</u>	<u>Date Opened</u>	<u>City/ Municipality</u>
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II. OPENED/RE-OPENED

Re-Opened

A. COMMERCIAL BANKS

1. Banco de Oro	Branch	04/02/04	Lipa City
	Branch	05/20/04	Dasmarinas, Cavite
	Branch	06/03/04	Makati City
	Branch	06/10/04	Naga City
2. East West Bank	Branch	04/14/04	Pasig City
	Branch	04/14/04	Muntinlupa City
	Branch	05/05/04	Tarlac City
3. Bank of Commerce	Branch	05/17/04	Quezon City
	Branch	05/31/04	Baguio City
4. Maybank Phils., Inc.	Branch	05/24/04	Baguio City
5. Asia United Bank	Branch	06/28/04	Caloocan City
6. Metrobank	Branch	06/03/04	Manila
	Branch	06/03/04	Manila
	Branch	06/03/04	Makati City
	Branch	06/03/04	Makati City
	Branch	06/03/04	Makati City
	Branch	06/03/04	Las Pinas City
	Branch	06/03/04	Malolos, Bulacan

<u>Type of Office</u>	<u>Date Opened</u>	<u>City/ Municipality</u>
Branch	06/03/04	Dasmarinas, Cavite
Branch	06/03/04	Sta. Rosa, Laguna
Branch	06/03/04	Canlubang, Laguna
Branch	06/03/04	Cebu City
Branch	06/03/04	Boracay Island, Aklan
Branch	06/03/04	Lapu-Lapu City
Branch	06/03/04	Dipolog City
Branch	06/03/04	Ozamis City

B. THRIFT BANKS**SAVINGS AND MORTGAGE BANK**

1. Robinsons Savings Bank	Branch	05/06/04	Sta. Rosa, Laguna
	Branch	05/17/04	Dasmarinas, Cavite
	Branch	05/17/04	Lipa City
2. Philippine Business Bank	Branch	05/24/04	Quezon City
3. Keppel Bank Phils., Inc.	Branch	06/18/04	Marilao, Bulacan

PRIVATE DEVELOPMENT BANK

1. Planters Development Bank	Branch	04/27/04	Quezon City
	Branch	04/27/04	Calapan, Oriental Mindoro
	Branch	06/29/04	Paranaque City

STOCK SAVINGS & LOANS ASSN.

1. Merchants SLA, Inc.	Branch	04/19/04	Cebu City
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C. RURAL BANKS**Opened**

1. Rural Bank of Santiago de Libon	Branch	04/18/04	Pio Duran, Albay
2. Rural Bank of Sto. Domingo (Nueva Ecija)	Branch	04/19/04	San Manuel, Pangasinan
3. Rang-ay Rural Bank, Inc.	MF Branch	04/26/04	Vigan City, Ilocos Sur
4. Bangko Nuestra Senora del Pilar, Inc. (A RB)	H.O.	06/08/04	San Simon, Pampanga
5. Cooperative Bank of Cagayan	Branch	05/28/04	La-Ho, Cagayan

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6. Producers Rural Banking Corp.	Branch	04/28/04	Plaridel, Bulacan
	Branch	05/25/04	Bambang, Nueva Vizcaya
7. RB of Kapatagan Valley	MF Branch	05/18/04	Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay
8. Rural Greenbank of Caraga	Branch	06/01/04	Ormoc City, Leyte
	Branch	06/01/04	Nabunturan, Compostela Valley
	Branch	06/01/04	Tagum City, Davao del Norte
	Branch	06/01/04	Valencia City, Bukidnon
	Branch	06/21/04	Gingoog City, Misamis Oriental
	MF Branch	06/14/04	Ampayon, Butuan City
	MF Branch	06/15/04	Trento, Agusan del Norte
	MF Branch	06/16/04	Dapa, Surigao del Norte
	MF Branch	06/17/04	Cabadbaran, Agusan del Norte
	MF Branch	06/18/04	Mangagoy, Bislig City, Surigao del Sur
9. RB of Barotac Viejo (Iloilo)	Branch	06/18/04	Concepcion, Iloilo
10. Asian Hills Bank (Bukidnon)	Branch	06/23/04	Talakag, Bukidnon


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