



Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY GOVERNOR SUPERVISION AND EXAMINATION SECTOR

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To **ALL BANKS**

Subject **Approved Applications for New Banking Offices
and Banking Offices which Opened/Re-opened**

For information, listed below are the: (1) approved applications for new banking offices;
and (2) banking offices which opened/re-opened during the 2nd Quarter of 2008:

I. APPROVED APPLICATIONS

	<u>Type of Office</u>	<u>Date Approved</u>	<u>City/Municipality</u>
A. COMMERCIAL BANKS			
1 Rizal Commercial Banking Corporation	Branch	04/15/08	Matina, Davao City
	Branch	04/15/08	Iloilo City
	Branch	04/15/08	Alabang, Muntinlupa City
2 Metropolitan Bank & TCO	Branch	04/21/08	Batangas City
	Branch	04/21/08	Mandaue City
	Branch	04/21/08	Urdaneta City
	Branch	04/21/08	Zamboanga City
	Sub-Branch	06/06/08	Puxi, China
3 Bank of Commerce	Branch	06/21/08	Valenzuela City
	Branch	06/21/08	Cebu City
	Branch	06/21/08	Cainta
	Branch	06/21/08	Subic, Olongapo City
	Branch	06/21/08	Cabanatuan City
4 East West Banking Corporation	Branch	06/19/08	Valenzuela City
	Branch	06/19/08	Baliwag, Bulacan
	Branch	06/19/08	Lipa City
	Branch	06/19/08	Taguig City
	Branch	06/19/08	Matina, Davao City
B. THRIFT BANKS			
1 RCBC Savings Bank Inc.	Branch	04/03/08	San Mateo, Rizal
	Branch	06/27/08	Lingayen, Pangasinan
	Branch	06/27/08	San Jose, Batangas
	Branch	06/27/08	Tagbilaran City
	Branch	06/27/08	Zamboanga City
2 Philippine Savings Bank	Branch	04/25/08	Bacolod City
3 Robinsons Savings Bank	Branch	05/19/08	Meycauayan City
	Branch	05/19/08	Urdaneta City

PANANALAPING MATATAG, BANSANG PANATAG

	<u>Type of Office</u>	<u>Date</u> <u>Approved</u>	<u>City/Municipality</u>
4 Sterling Bank of Asia Inc. (A Savings Bank)	Branch	05/19/08	Taguig City
	Branch	05/19/08	Alabang, Muntinlupa City
	Branch	05/19/08	Las Piñas City
	Branch	05/19/08	Malabon City
	Branch	05/19/08	Marikina City
5 Equicom Savings Bank Inc.	Branch	05/26/08	Valenzuela City
	Branch	05/26/08	Alabang, Muntinlupa City
	Branch	05/26/08	Cubao, Quezon City
6 Planters Development Bank	Branch	06/12/08	Tagum City
7 Kauswagan Bank (A Microfinance Thrift Bank)	Branch	04/30/08	Sigma, Capiz
	Branch	04/30/08	Kalibon, Aklan
	Branch	04/30/08	Ubay, Bohol
	Branch	04/30/08	Ormoc City
	Branch	04/30/08	Calbayog City
C. RURAL BANKS			
1 Peninsula Rural Bank Inc.	Branch	04/16/08	Cebu City
	Branch	04/16/08	Cebu City
	Branch	04/16/08	Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay
	Branch	04/16/08	Ozamiz City
2 Malarayat Rural Bank Inc.	Branch	04/22/08	Calamba City
3 Gateway Rural Bank Inc.	Branch	04/25/08	Pulilan, Bulacan
4 Rang-ay Rural Bank Inc.	Branch	04/25/08	Magsingal, Ilocos Sur
	Branch	04/25/08	Narvacan, Ilocos Sur
	Branch	04/25/08	Tagudin, Ilocos Sur
	Branch	04/25/08	Rosario, La Union
	Branch	04/25/08	Rosales, Pangasinan
5 Rural Bank of Sta. Ignacia Inc. (Signa Bank)	Branch	05/13/08	Gerona, Tarlac
6 St. Michael Rural Bank	Branch	05/16/08	Tarlac City
7 Rural Bank of Mangaldan Inc.	Branch	06/19/08	Binalonan, Pangasinan
8 One Network Rural Bank Inc.	Branch	06/19/08	Dipolog City
	Branch	06/19/08	Sindangan, Zamboanga del Norte
	Branch	06/19/08	Gingoog City
	Branch	06/19/08	Ozamiz City
	Branch	06/19/08	Surigao City
9 Producers Rural Banking Corporation	Branch	06/19/08	Aparri, Cagayan
	Branch	06/19/08	Cabarroguis, Quirino
	Branch	06/19/08	Camiling, Tarlac
	Branch	06/19/08	Olongapo City
	Branch	06/19/08	Sorsogon City

II. OPENED

A. COMMERCIAL BANKS

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1 Security Bank Corporation	Branch	05/02/08	Urdaneta City
	Branch	05/09/08	Laoag City
	Branch	05/09/08	Velez-Cagayan de Oro City
	Branch	06/16/08	Banilad-Cebu City
	Branch	06/16/08	North Road-Mandaue City
2 China Banking Corporation	Branch	04/14/08	Banawe-Quezon City
	Branch	04/14/08	SM Supercenter-Pasig City
	Branch	04/14/08	Legaspi Village-Makati City
	Branch	04/25/08	Gapan City
	Branch	05/02/08	Valenzuela City
	Branch	05/02/08	Lanang-Davao City
	Branch	05/02/08	La Trinidad, Benguet
	Branch	05/02/08	Carcar City
	Branch	05/02/08	Catarman, Northern Samar
	Branch	05/12/08	Ermita-Manila
	Branch	06/27/08	Bonny Serrano-Quezon City
	Branch	06/27/08	Calapan City
3 Union Bank of the Philippines	Branch	04/10/08	Subic, Zambales
	Branch	04/10/08	Magsaysay-Davao City
4 Rizal Commercial Banking Corporation	Branch	04/29/08	Sta. Maria, Bulacan
	Branch	06/19/08	Cebu Business Park-Cebu City
5 Metropolitan Bank & TCO	Branch	06/16/08	San Nicolas, Ilocos Norte
6 Asia United Bank Corporation	Branch	06/11/08	Dagupan City

B. THRIFT BANKS

1 Tong Yang Savings Bank Inc.	Branch	05/09/08	Alabang, Muntinlupa City
2 Sterling Bank of Asia	Branch	05/02/08	Magallanes-Cebu City
3 RCBC Savings Bank Inc.	Branch	05/05/08	Angeles City
4 Philippine Business Bank	Branch	06/27/08	Angeles City
5 Queen City Development Bank	Branch	04/02/08	Urdaneta City
6 City Savings Bank	Branch	04/01/08	Tagum City

C. RURAL BANKS

1 Peninsula Rural Bank Inc.	Branch	04/25/08	Buhangin-Davao City
2 Katipunan Bank Inc. "A Rural Bank"	Branch	05/01/08	Liloan, Cebu
	Branch	06/20/08	Compostela, Cebu
3 BHF Rural Bank Inc.	Branch	05/22/08	Alaminos City, Pangasinan

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4 Rural Bank of Talisay (Batangas) Inc.	Branch	05/15/08	Tanauan City
5 Cooperative Bank of Nueva Vizcaya	Branch	06/18/08	Bambang, Nueva Vizcaya
6 Bangko Kabayan (A Rural Bank)	Branch	05/16/08	Tanauan City
7 Rural Bank of Barotac Viejo (Iloilo) Inc.	Branch	05/19/08	Estancia, Iloilo
8 1st Valley Bank (A Rural Bank)	Branch	06/27/08	Malaybalay City
9 Zambales Rural Bank Inc.	Branch	06/02/08	Mabalacat, Pampanga
10 Cooperative Bank of Benguet	Branch	06/05/08	Rosario, La Union
11 CARD Bank Inc. (A Microfinance Rural Bank)	Branch Branch	04/21/08 05/05/08	Tacloban City San Jose, Antique

III. RE-OPENED

A. COMMERCIAL BANKS

1 Banco de Oro Unibank Inc.	Branch	04/04/08	Mall of Asia Complex-Pasay City
	Branch	04/04/08	San Fernando City, Pampanga
	Branch	05/15/08	North EDSA-Quezon City
	Branch	05/21/08	Cainta, Rizal
	Branch	05/21/08	Pascor Drive-Parañaque City
	Branch	05/26/08	Legaspi Village-Makati City
	Branch	05/26/08	East Greenhills-San Juan City
	Branch	06/24/08	Filinvest Alabang-Muntinlupa City

For information and guidance.


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