NOTICE 13 OF 2005

SOUTH AFRICAN RESERVE BANK

SECTION 30 (a) (vi) OF THE BANKS ACT, 1990 (ACT No. 94 OF 1990)

CHANGE OF NAME—BANK OF CHINA LIMITED JOHANNESBURG BRANCH (TRADING AS BANK OF CHINA JOHANNESBURG BRANCH)

Notice is hereby given, for general information, that Bank of China Limited, trading as Bank of China Johannesburg Branch, conducting the business of a bank by a foreign institution by means σ a branch in the Republic of South Africa, changed its name to Bank of China Limited Johannesburg Branch (trading as Bank σ China Johannesburg Branch), with effect from 15 December 2004.

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