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CIRCULAR LETTER TO:

ALL CREDIT UNIONS

THE CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT UNION LEAGUE OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE ASSOCIATION OF CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT UNION PRESIDENTS OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE CENTRAL FINANCE FACILITY CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO LIMITED

THE COMMISSIONER FOR CO-OPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT

THE TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO CREDIT UNION DEPOSIT INSURANCE

FUND CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY LIMITED

REF: CB-OIFI-2902/2011

DRAFT CREDIT UNION BILL

The Central Bank of Trinidad and Tobago (Central Bank) wishes to advise that a Draft Credit Union Bill (the Bill) has been developed based on the Policy Proposal Document (PPD) that was approved by Cabinet in November 2009.

The draft Bill is being issued for your comments and can be downloaded from the Central Bank's website via the following link: www.central-bank.org.tt. Alternatively a printed copy may be obtained at the Central Bank's reception desk from December 5, 2011 to January 20, 2012.

Please be advised that the Bank will be hosting information sessions for Credit Unions to provide an overview of the Bill during the period Thursday January 12, to Friday January 20, 2012. Credit Unions are encouraged to take advantage of these sessions as they prepare to review the Bill. Further details on the information sessions will be provided in the near future.

The Bank invites you to provide your comments by Wednesday March 28, 2012. These may be submitted via email to nbrathwaite@central-bank.org.tt or shunte@central-bank.org.tt or <a href="mailto:mai

Yours sincerely,

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