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**Chief Executive Officer/General Manager**  
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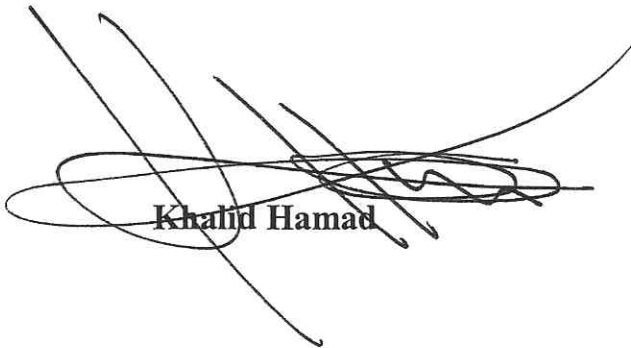
Dear Sir,

**Secured Lending Baseline Survey for the Arab Monetary Fund**

The CBB has received a letter from the Arab Monetary Fund "AMF" in connection with its intention to conduct a survey in association with the International Finance Corporation "IFC". The objective of the survey is to consider the opportunities and options of developing the baseline for lending to SMEs in the Arab region.

Accordingly, the CBB requests you to complete in the survey (a soft copy will be sent to you) and send it to [acbs@amfad.org.ae](mailto:acbs@amfad.org.ae) no later than 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2012.

Yours sincerely,

  
**Khalid Hamad**