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The Chief Executive Officers

All Bank Licensees Financing Companies Ancillary Service Providers Manama Kingdom of Bahrain

Dear Sirs,

Re: Specialized Workshop on Cyber Security in Banks & Fintech

The CBB is pleased to advise you that the Union of Arab Banks in collaboration with the Central Bank of Bahrain is organizing a specialized workshop on "Cyber Security in Banks & Fintech" during the period 13-15 November 2016 in Bahrain.

The workshop will address the latest technologies and the means to be taken to protect the information systems in financial institutions and to ensure that the secret of electronic transactions and continuity in a safe technological environment, especially electronic piracy crimes, computer crimes that target the security of information technology in the banking and financial institutions and the hazards involved. It also aims to train participants on how to create and manage security and preventive operations in order to protect the system of information technology and how to defend and deter against cyber-attacks. This workshop will highlight also the Fintech Phenomenon and its mechanism.

In view of the critical relevance of the issues covered, the CBB encourages you to nominate your concerned staff to participate in the above workshop.

You may kindly note that for online registration, you can access the Union of Arab Banks website (<u>www.uabonline.org</u>.), and for any further inquiries you may email to <u>training@uabonline.org</u>.

We look forward to your entity's participation in the above event.

Yours sincerely,

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