UNAUTHORIZED BANKS LIST November 8, 2002

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT NUMBER &	COMMENTS
Access Bank International (Nauru), Ltd.	DATE Alert 97-16	May be operating a banking
629 Second Street, SE	07/07/1997	business in the U.S. without
Puyallup, WA 98371		authorization. Has not been
		granted permission to operate in Washington.
Al-Manaf International Merchant Bank, Inc.	Alert 98-31	May be operating a banking
1819 Pauger Street	09/22/1998	business in the U.S. without
New Orleans, LA 70126		authorization. Has not been
		granted permission to operate in Louisiana.
Allied Boston Bank, Inc. (Palau)	Alert 2000-7	Is conducting banking business in
100 Pine Street, Suite 2260	06/29/2000	the U.S. without authorization. The
San Francisco, CA 94111 HQ: 523 Toirois Malakal		subject is reported to have a bank charter issued by the Republic of
Koror, Republic of Palau 96940		Palau, with an office in San
120101, 130 40110 01 1 4144 505 10		Francisco, California. No license or
		charter from the Office of the
		Comptroller of the Currency, nor
		the state of California. The state of
		California, Department of Financial
		Institutions, issued a cease-and-desist order to subject on June 23,
		2000.
Atlantic Bank, Ltd.	Alert 98-8	May be operating a banking
1300 Division Street, #200	02/23/1998	business in the U.S. without
Nashville, TN 37203-4023		authorization. Has not been
		granted permission to operate in
		Tennessee.
Atlantic Caribbean Bank & Trust Co., Ltd.	Alert 98-36	Not authorized, supervised, or
St. John's, Antigua, West Indies	11/04/1998	regulated by any U.S. financial
	A1 + 00 41	institutions regulator.
Banca Populara Ardealul	Alert 98-41	Not authorized by the government
Bistrita, Romania Banhofstrasse, Commercial Bank AG	11/20/98 Alert 98-9	of Romania.
(Melchizedek)	03/05/1998	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without
110 East 59 th Street	03/03/1770	authorization. Has not been
6 th Floor	See Also Alert	granted permission to operate in
New York, NY 10022	98-20	New York.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT	COMMENTS
	NUMBER &	
Bank of Business Western Samoa	Alert 98-10	May be operating a banking
12-A Nampacia-Center	03/23/1998	business in the U.S. without
Apia Upolu, Samoa	03/23/1770	authorization. Has not been
and		granted permission to operate in
6223 NE 8 th Avenue		Oregon.
Portland, OR 97211-3760		
Bank of Finance	Alert 97-31	May be operating a banking
P.O. Box 770-729	12/01/1997	business in the U.S. without
Woodside, NY 11377		authorization. Has not been
		granted permission to operate in
DANOVE L D C MADERNOVE	A1 400 7	New York.
BANQUE de Petite MARTINIQUE	Alert 98-7	Not authorized, supervised, or
St. George's Granda West Indies	02/18/1998	regulated by any U.S. bank
Grenada, West Indies British Bank of Commerce	Alert 2001-2	regulator. May be operating a banking
a.k.a. British Bank of Trade & Commerce	02/21/2001	business in the U.S. without
499 Park Avenue, Ste 621	02/21/2001	authorization. Has not been
New York, NY 10022		granted permission to operate in
		New York.
Caribbean Bank of Commerce, Ltd	Alert 98-38	Struck from the register in
P.O. Box W291	11/13/1998	Antigua and Barbuda.
St. John's, Antigua, West Indies		
and	Alert 99-07	Government of Antigua and
U.S. Representative Office	06/21/1999	Barbuda has revoked the license
c/o Global Underwriters Inc.		effective April 6, 1999
17 Chestnut Street Pidgawaad Naw Jarsay 07450		
Ridgewood, New Jersey 07450 Chase Bank of Las Vegas, Nevada	Alert 97-26	May be operating a banking
C.I.A. of Las Vegas	09/24/1997	business in the U.S. without
7624 San Mateo Way, Suite 206	03/21/1337	authorization. Has not been
Las Vegas, Nevada 89123		granted permission to operate in
		Nevada.
Chase (Trust) Bank	Alert 2001-1	May be operating a banking
365 Madison Avenue	02/21/2001	business in the U.S. without
New York, NY 10002		authorization. Has not been
		granted permission to operate in
		New York. Not associated with
		Chase Manhattan Bank of New
		York or any of Chase Manhattan
		Bank of New York's subsidiaries
		or affiliates.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT NUMBER &	COMMENTS
	DATE	26 1
Chase Trust Bank	Alert 2002-2	May be operating a banking
2706 Wisconsin Avenue	03/14/2002	business in the U.S. without
Washington, DC		authorization. Has not been
		granted a national bank charter,
		and the District of Columbia has
		not granted permission for it to
		operate a banking business. This
		entity is not associated with Chase Manhattan Bank of New York or
		any of Chase Manhattan Bank of New York's subsidiaries or
		affiliates.
Commercial Credit of New York, LLC	Alert 98-20	May be operating a banking
Holding Group Corporation	06/17/1998	business in the U.S. without
Commercial Credit of New York Holding	00/17/1770	authorization. Has not been
Corp.	See also Alert	granted permission to operate in
Commercial Banking Group	98-9	New York. None of these entities
Commercial Bank, AG and	03/05/1998	are affiliated with Creditanstalt,
Creditanstalt AG		AG, Greenwich, Connecticut.
110 East 59 th Street (6 th Floor)		
New York, NY 10022		
Commercial Intercontinental Bank, Inc.	Alert 97-21	May be operating a banking
(NAURU)	08/27/1997	business in the U.S. without
8249 NW 36 th Street, Suite N-106		authorization. Has not been
Miami, FL 33166	Alert 98-2	granted permission to operate in
	01/12/1998	Florida. Nauru has revoked its
		license.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT	COMMENTS
	NUMBER &	
Digital Commerce Bank, Ltd (Kuiu Thlingit Nation) Top Floor, Atlantis Building Shallow Draught Bridgetown, Barbados	Alert 2000-5 03/29/2000	Subject is transacting bank depository business in the U.S. without authorization. Reported to have a bank charter issued by an entity known as the Kuiu Thlingit Nation, a non-recognized jurisdiction of indeterminate origin. The chartering jurisdiction claims to be a tribe of people native to the state of Alaska. The tribe is not recognized by the Bureau of Indian Affairs nor the state of Alaska. No license or charter has been issued by the OCC, or the state of Alaska.
Dominion International Bank, Ltd. Christchurch Barbados, West Indies	Alert 97-37 11/04/1998	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Banking license has been revoked.
Dunbar National Bank of Maryland	Alert 97-23	Not authorized, supervised, or
http://www.ncsinc cards.com	08/29/1997	regulated by the OCC.
Equity Bank and Trust Co Ltd Montserrat, West Indies	Alert 99-13 12/21/1999	License, issued under the Offshore Banking Ordinance, was revoked effective December 15, 1999.
European Union Bank	Alert 96-40 10/22/1996	Not authorized, supervised, or regulated by any U.S. financial institutions regulator.
The Excelsior Bank/The Excelsior International Bank Corp. Barbados, West Indies	Alert 97-33 12/04/1997	Not authorized, supervised, or regulated by any U.S. financial institutions regulator.
Fidelity International Bank 520 Madison Avenue New York, NY 10022	Alert 98-5 02/12/1998	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in New York.
First Americans Trust 211 South Washington Street Sonora, CA 95370	Alert 96-33 09/10/1996	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in California.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT	COMMENTS
	NUMBER & DATE	
First Americans Trust Company aka "First Americans," Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Apache Tribe General Bank of Anadarko, Oklahoma 620 East Colorado Anadarko, OK	Alert 97-25 09/15/1997	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in Oklahoma.
First Lenape Nation Bank Route 1, Box 174D Anadarko, OK 73005	Alert 97-6 03/24/1997	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in Oklahoma.
First National Bank, FSB First National Bank National Trust and Savings Association First National Trust 2614 Wyoming Avenue Burbank, CA 91505	Alert 97-18 08/19/1997	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in California.
First Pacific Development Bank, Ltd.	Alert 2001-12 10/12/2001	The corporate charter for the First Pacific Development Bank, Ltd. has been revoked effective August 27, 2001, by the Republic of Palau. The subject entity had only been issued a corporate charter and had never applied for nor was granted banking authority by the Republic of Palau. Accordingly, entity never had any authority to perform banking functions.
First Savings Bank 800 West Oakland Park Blvd, Suite 306 Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311	Alert 97-8 04/15/1997	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in Florida.
First State Bank of Montana P.O. Box 278 Fairfield, MT	Alert 96-31 08/27/1996	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in Montana.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT	COMMENTS
	NUMBER & DATE	
First Zurich National Bank Examiner P.O. Box 20290 Cheyenne, WY 82003-7007	Alert 97-30 11/18/1997	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in Wyoming.
Focus International, Ltd. West Indies	Alert 97-27 10/10/1997	Not authorized, supervised, or regulated by any U.S. financial institutions regular.
Greater International Bank of Nauru 719 E. Bird Street, Suite 444 Tampa, Florida 33604	Alert 97-22 08/27/1997 Alert 98-2	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in
Industrial Bank, Inc.	01/12/1998 Alert 98-4	Florida. Nauru has revoked its license. Samoa has canceled its license.
industrial bank, file.	02/06/1998	Samoa has canceled its needse.
International Business Bank Corporation, Ltd. Level 2, Chandra House Apia, Samoa	Alert 2000-10 10/18/2000	The Registrar, Office of the Registrar of International and Foreign Companies, Samoa, has informed the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency that the following company's "A" class banking license, No. 107, has been canceled effective October 12, 2000.
Liechetensteinische-Amerikanische Union Bank Corp. USA Management Office 545 8th Avenue, Suite 401 New York, New York 10018	Alert 99-04 02/24/1999	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. The Office of the Comptroller of the Currency has not granted a national bank charter to this entity. Further, the New York State Banking Department has advised that the subject entity has not been granted permission to operate in New York.
London Chartered Bank, Ltd. (Melchizedek) 28720 Roadside Drive, Suite 178 Agoura Hills, California 91301-3317	Alert 98-24 08/07/1998	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in California.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT	COMMENTS
	NUMBER &	
	DATE	
Meridian Merchants Bank, Inc. (Nauru) 1420 Fifth Avenue, 22 nd Floor	Alert 98-16 04/22/1998	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without
Seattle, Washington 98101	04/22/1998	authorization. Has not been
Scattic, washington 98101		granted permission to operate in
		Washington.
Metrobank International Limited	Alert 2000-12	Entity, incorporated in the
P.O. Box 211, Moore Stephens House	12/01/2000	Republic of Vanuatu, may be
Lini Highway		operating a banking business in
Port Vila, Vanuatu		the U.S. without authorization.
		The Office of the Comptroller of
		the Currency has not granted a
		national bank charter to this
		entity. Furthermore, we know of no state in the United States that
		has granted permission for it to
		operate a banking business.
Midland Credit & Guarantee Bank, Ltd.	Alert 96-42	May be operating a banking
67 Wall Street	11/26/1996	business in the U.S. without
New York, NY 10003	11,20,1330	authorization. Has not been
,		granted permission to operate in
		the state of New York.
Mitsubishi Trust & Banking Co. Finance	Alert 97-5	Fraudulent CDs have been issued
Corporation	03/06/1997	by this entity. This entity is not
		related to Mitsubishi Trust and
	11 . 25 5	Banking Corporation.
Mitsubishi Finance Corporation	Alert 97-5	Fraudulent drafts have been
	03/06/1997	issued by this entity. This entity
		is not related to Mitsubishi Trust and Banking Corporation.
National State Bank in Ohio	Alert 99-12	May be operating a banking
Cleveland, Ohio	12/22/1999	business in the U.S. without
Cicvolana, Onio	12,22,1777	authorization. Has not been
		granted permission to operate in
		Ohio.
Netware International Bank	Alert 97-14	May be operating a banking
136 Stutts Road #2	06/24/1997	business in the U.S. without
Mooresville, NC 28115		authorization. Has not been
		granted permission to operate in
		North Carolina.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT NUMBER &	COMMENTS
Occidental Bank Limited Level 2, Lotemau Centre P.O. Box 3271 Vaea Street Apia, Samoa	Alert 99-11 09/07/1999	Samoa has informed the OCC that the company's restricted B(2) class license, issued March 13, 1997, has been canceled effective August 16, 1999
Osmi Bank Fullerton Financial Corporation	Alert 99-9 08/06/1999	Osmi Bank is not and never has been registered nor issued a bank license by the government of Antigua and Barbuda. Fullerton Financial Corporation has not been registered in the jurisdiction of Antigua and Barbuda. An order to cease and desist from such claims was faxed to Fullerton on July 6, 1999.
Panacea Bank & Trust P.O. Box 30054 Bellingham, Washington 98228-2054	Alert 97-7 03/28/1997	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in Washington.
Prime Bancorp, Ltd. 82 Wall Street New York, NY	Alert 96-45 12/12/1996	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in New York.
Richard Jones' Bank 111 South Lewis Street, Apartment B New Iberia, LA 70560	Alert 98-30 09/01/1998	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in Louisiana.
Royal Meridian International Bank Nauru, Mid-Pacific	Alert 98-12 04/15/1998	Not regulated or supervised by any U.S. bank regulator.
South Atlantic International Bank, Ltd f/n/a Americapital International	Alert 99-5 03/12/1999	The Assistant Secretary, Financial Services Centre, Government of Montserrat, has informed the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency that the license, issued under the Offshore Banking Ordinance, was revoked effective February 24, 1999.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT	COMMENTS
	NUMBER	
	& DATE	
Sunfirst Trust Co., Ltd.	Alert 98-22	May be operating a banking business in
912 Thousand Oaks Drive	08/04/1998	the U.S. without authorization. There
Virginia Beach, VA 23454		is no permission to operate in Virginia.
Sunlight Church World National Bank	Alert 96-38	May be operating a banking business in
2255 West 15 th Street, #2; and	10/11/1996	the U.S. without authorization. There
777 South Figueroa Street		is no permission to operate in
Los Angeles, CA		California.
Swiss Merchant Bank, AG	Alert 98-28	May be operating a banking business in
1730 K Street, NW	08/14/1998	the U.S. without authorization. There
Washington, DC 20006		is no permission to operate in D.C.
Trinity Savings Bank	Alert 2002-8	Entities are not authorized to conduct
Goldman & Stein	07/22/2002	banking or financial business in Belize
Belize		or the U.S.
Unauthorized Banks in the State of Indiana	Alert 2000-3	First National Bank of the Americas, Inc.
The Department of Financial Institutions, State of	03/15/2000	First National Commonwealth Bank Corp.
Indiana has informed the Office of the Comptroller		First Royal Bank of Commerce, Inc.
of the Currency that the entities listed in the		First State Bank of the USA, Inc. (f/k/a
attachment have acquired business licenses from the		Caralfan International Bank Corporation,
Indiana secretary of state. However, the Indiana		Inc.)
Department of Financial Institutions has not issued a		U. S. Banking Confederation for Investment, Inc.
banking license to any of them. Accordingly, they are not authorized to conduct banking business in		Wall Street Investment Banking
Indiana.		Corporation, Inc.
marana.		Geneva Bank of Commerce & Credit, Inc.
American Bank of Commerce Corp.		Intercontinental Bank of the Americas, Inc.
American Overseas Bank for Trade, Inc.		Intercontinental Bank of the Middle East,
American Overseas Trust Bank, Inc.		Inc.
Benelux Bank of Commerce & Credit, Inc.		Monaco Bank of Commerce, Inc.
British Royal Bank of Commerce, Inc.		National Bank of Commonwealth Corp.
California Bank for Commerce & Industry, Inc.		National Bank of Comores, Inc.
California Bank of Commerce, Inc.		Overseas Investment Banking Corporation
Canadian-American Banking Corporation for		for Trade, Inc. Redland Merchant Bank of New York, Inc.
Trade, Inc. Channel Island Bank of Trade, Inc.		Reserve Bank & Trust of the Americas,
Charter Bank of USA, Inc. (a/k/a Charter		Inc.
Bank of America, Inc.)		Royal Trust Bank of the Americas, Inc.
Credit & Guaranty Bank for Commerce &		Saudi Bank of the Middle East & the
Industry, Inc.		Americas, Inc.
Credit Bank of the Americas, Inc.		Transcontinental Investment Banking
FIR Bank & Trust Corp.		Corporation, Inc.
First International Commonwealth Bank		Transpacific Investment Banking
Corporation		Corporation of Commerce, Inc.
First Interstate Bank of the Americas, Inc.		U.S. Bank for Trade & Industry, Inc.
(continued in "Comments" column)		

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT	COMMENTS
	NUMBER &	
	DATE	
Unauthorized Banks in the State of Oregon	Alert 2000-6	The listed entities have acquired
Knightsbridge International Bank, Inc.	05/25/2000	business licenses from the Oregon
Stratford International Bank, Inc.		secretary of state. However, the
DC International Bank, Inc.		Division of Finance and Securities
US Metropolitan Bank, Inc.		has not issued a banking license to
Frederick Conway, Agent		any of them. Accordingly, they are
818 SW 3rd Avenue, #401		not authorized to conduct banking
Portland, Oregon 97204		business in Oregon.
United Bank and Trust Company (NAURU)	Alert 97-24	May be operating a banking
13351 Bridgeford Avenue #36	08/29/1997	business in the U.S. without
Bonita Springs, FL 33923		authorization. Has not been granted
and	Alert 98-2	permission to operate in Florida.
P.O. Box 9076	01/12/1998	Nauru has revoked its license.
Naples, FL 33941		
United Funding Bancorporation, Ltd.	Alert 98-17	May be orrating a banking business
318 North Carson Street, Suite 214	04/22/1998	in the U.S. without authorization.
Carson City, Nevada 89701		Has not been granted permission to
***	11	operate in Nevada.
United Overland Trust & Bancorp	Alert 97-1	May be operating a banking
2005 Woodmont	01/14/1997	business in the U.S. without
Austin, TX 78703		authorization. Has not been granted
III . ID . C. D. I. V. I	11 +06 11	permission to operate in Texas.
United Pacific Bank, Ltd.	Alert 96-41	May be operating a banking
Port Vila, Republic of Vanuatu	10/30/1996	business in the U.S. without
South Pacific		authorization. Banking license has
H. D. OM.	11 + 2000 11	been revoked.
Uro Banque (Montenegro)	Alert 2000-11	It has recently been brought to our attention that Uro Banque is operating
www.urobanque.com	10/03/2002	in Canada in violation of the Canadian
		Bank Act. Uro Banque is identifying
		itself as a bank incorporated in
		Montenegro with an operation in
		Quebec and is soliciting individuals in
		the United States from such operation in
		Quebec to subscribe for credit cards.
		Subject entity has no license or charter
		from the Office of the Comptroller of
		the Currency or the government of
		Canada.

BANK NAME & ADDRESS	ALERT NUMBER & DATE	COMMENTS
Western Credit Bank, L.L.C. 245 Winter Street, SE Salem, Oregon 97301	Alert 98-35 10/19/98	May be operating a banking business in the U.S. without authorization. Has not been granted permission to operate in Oregon.
WITHERSPOON, SEYMOUR & ROBINSON INCORPORATED (WSR II C.) Office of New York 1461 A First Avenue, Suite 360 New York, NY 10021-2209 Office Chicago 3105 North Ashland Avenue Chicago, IL 60657-3013 Office Beverly Hills 9663 Santa Monica Blvd Beverly Hills, CA 90210-4303 Office Miami 8306 Mill Drive, Suite 222 Miami, FL 33183-4838 E-mail: inf @wsr.biz Internet: www.wsr.biz Phone: 1(646) 205-8170 Fax: 1(646) 365-3400	Alert 2002-09 8/8/2002	The American company has been advertising on the Internet the availability of capital management companies registered in Samoa, and is soliciting buyers for pre-approved banking licenses allegedly in Samoa and other Pacific Island jurisdictions. The company is not and never has been a licensed trustee company in Samoa and has no authority to sell Samoan companies, banks or any other entities.