



Announcement

SUSPESION OF TRADING OF CAPITAL SECURITIES 2013/2018 OF BANK OF CYPRUS PUBLIC COMPANY LTD

Nicosia, 2 June 2009

The investing public is informed that, due to the suspension of trading of the Convertible Bonds 2013/2018 of Bank of Cyprus Public Company Ltd from Tuesday, June 2, 2009 to Monday, June 15, 2009 (inclusive), no transfers of Convertible Bonds 2013/2018 from Cyprus to Greece and vice versa will be effected from Tuesday, 2 June 2009 until Monday, 15 June 2009 (inclusive).

Founded in 1899, the Bank of Cyprus Group is the leading Cypriot banking and financial services group. In addition to retail and commercial banking, the Group's activities include finance, factoring, investment banking, brokerage, fund management, life and general insurance. The Group currently operates through a total of 591 branches, of which 224 operate in Russia, 163 in Greece, 146 in Cyprus, 33 in Ukraine, 10 in Australia, 9 in Romania, 4 in the United Kingdom, and 1 in the Channel Islands. Bank of Cyprus also has representative offices in Russia, Canada, South Africa and Ukraine. The Bank of Cyprus Group employs 11.999 staff worldwide.

At 31 March 2009, the Group's Total Assets reached €36,33 bn and the Shareholders' Funds were €2,02 bn. The Bank of Cyprus shares are listed on the Cyprus and Athens Stock Exchanges. Additional information can be found at the Group's website www.bankofcyprus.com