ANNOUNCEMENT

In response to the request no. 1257/27.3.2013 by the Hellenic Capital Market Commission, and in the framework of informing investor community with a view to safeguarding investors and the proper functioning of the exchange market, Piraeus Bank S.A. announces that:

a) Neither Piraeus Bank nor its subsidiaries hold any deposits exceeding €100,000 at the Bank of Cyprus and in CPB Bank in Cyprus.

b) The Group's only exposure in securities (such as shares, bonds) or financial instruments of the aforementioned Banks, refers to an investment in bonds issued by Bank of Cyprus London, with a book value of \in 2.2 mn as at 26.3.2013

c) Net revenues stemming form the Group's activities in Cyprus represent 1.4% of the Group's total net revenues in full year 2012.

d) Based on the aforementioned, no major impact is anticipated on the Group's financial results and equity.