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April 8, 2003

To: The President

The Stock Exchange of Thailand

Re: Change in English Name of the Bank

The General Meeting of Shareholders of the Thai Farmers Bank, No. 91, on April 3, 2003, resolved to change the bank's English name from "Thai Farmers Bank" to "**KASIKORNBANK**".* The name change had duly been registered with the Ministry of Commerce on April 4, 2003.

This is to inform you that the bank will officially adopt the new English name of "KASIKORNBANK" in its business contact with customers and the general public beginning April 8, 2003 onwards. Accordingly, the trading symbol of the bank's stocks in the Stock Exchange of Thailand will concurrently be changed from "TFB" to "KBANK".

Your attention is appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

KASIKORNBANK PCL

* KASIKORN is the pronunciation of the bank's Thai name

Which means people who are engaged in the agricultural profession.