



Cayman Monetary Regulatory Authority International

At the forefront of financial regulation, the Cayman Monetary Regulatory Authority International (CMRAI) is dedicated to upholding the highest standards of financial oversight and compliance. Our mission is to safeguard the stability and integrity of the global financial system by ensuring that financial services operate within a framework of transparency, accountability, and excellence.

As a trusted partner to financial institutions worldwide, CMRAI provides rigorous supervision, innovative solutions, and strategic guidance to foster a secure and thriving financial environment. With decades of experience and a commitment to global standards, we stand as a pillar of trust and security in an ever-evolving financial landscape.

With a legacy of excellence in financial oversight, the Cayman Monetary Regulatory Authority International (CMRAI) is a beacon of trust in the international financial community. Our role extends beyond regulation; we are innovators, collaborators, and protectors of the global financial ecosystem. By fostering compliance, promoting best practices, and embracing technological advancements, CMRAI ensures that financial services remain resilient and adaptable in a dynamic global market.

Our comprehensive approach to regulation encompasses a deep understanding of financial risks and a proactive stance on emerging challenges. We are committed to empowering financial institutions with the tools and guidance necessary to navigate complex regulatory landscapes, thereby contributing to global economic stability and growth.

12 May 2008 Page 1 of 2 Rule on Operational Risk Management Rule on Operational Risk Management Rule on Operational Risk Management Rule on Operational Risk Management for Banks for Banks for Banks for Banks 1.1.1.1. S SS STATEMENT OF TATEMENT OF TATEMENT OF TATEMENT OF O OO OBJECTIVES BJECTIVES BJECTIVES BJECTIVES To set out the Cayman Islands Monetary Authority (Authority s) rule on Operational Risk Management for banks, (each of the sub-paragraphs of section 4 below referred to as a Rule, and collectively, the Rules), pursuant to the Monetary Authority Law (2004 Revision) (MAL). 2.2.2.2. I II INTRODUCTION NTRODUCTION NTRODUCTION NTRODUCTION 2.1. Section 34 of the MAL provides that the Authority may issue rules: 34. 34. 34. 34. (1) After private sector consultation and with the approval of the Governor, the Authority may (a) issue or amend rules or statements of principle or guidance concerning the conduct of licensees and their officers and employees; ... 2.2. This document establishes the Rule on Operational Risk Management for banks and should be read in conjunction with the Statement of Guidance on Operational Risk Management for banks. 12 May 2008 Page 2 of 2 3.3.3.3. S SS SCOPE OF COPE OF COPE OF COPE OF A AA APPLICATION PPLICATION PPLICATION PPLICATION This rule applies to all banks regulated by the Authority under the Banks and Trust Companies Law (2007 Revision). 4.4.4.4. R RR RULES ULESULES ULES 4.1. A bank must establish, implement, and maintain strategies, policies, and processes to identify, assess, monitor, and mitigate operational risk that are appropriate for the size, complexity, and nature of the bank s activities. 4.2. A bank s Board of directors must: a) approve such strategies, policies, and processes; b) oversee the management of these policies and processes to ensure they are implemented effectively; and c) periodically review these strategies, polices and processes. 5.5.5.5. E EE ENFORCEMENT NFORCEMENT NFORCEMENT NFORCEMENT Whenever there has been a breach of the Rules, the Authority s policies and procedures as contained in its Enforcement Manual will apply, in addition to any other powers provided in the Banks and Trust Companies Law (2007 Revision) and the Monetary Authority Law (2004 Revision).