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Head offices/principal offices of all
Authorized Dealers in Bangladesh

Remittance of Consular fees

Dear Sirs,

Please refer to paragraph 31(1) of FE Circular No. 37 dated September 30, 2025. The sub-paragraph (1) is hereby substituted by the following:

‘(1) Consular fees collected by foreign embassies in Bangladesh Taka and deposited in a Taka Account maintained with an AD solely for depositing the consular fee collections may be remitted abroad without prior Bangladesh Bank approval. Besides, collection of visa processing fees through nominated resident agents of foreign embassies may be remitted abroad to bank account designated by embassies or their home offices/competent authorities. In this context ADs shall observe the following instructions:

- (a) Collection of visa fee shall be as per the rate determined by the concerned embassies;
- (b) ADs shall obtain invoice from embassies/home offices/competent authorities supported by visa applicant-wise statement of collection;
- (c) ADs shall ensure deduction of applicable taxes.’

All other instructions in this regard shall be remain unchanged.

Please bring the content of this circular letter to the notice of all relevant constituents.

Yours faithfully,



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