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Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed information is being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on behalf of Akbank T.A.S. (the "Company") pursuant to the exemption from the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") afforded by Rule 12g3-2(b) thereunder.

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Very truly yours,

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**Cancellation of the Sabanci Bank plc. deal**

According to the decision taken on February 22, 2006 by the Board of Directors, Akbank signed a 'Shares Purchase Agreement' with Capital Development Bank Holdings Ltd. -a subsidiary of Meridian Capital Limited- to sell 65% shares in its subsidiary Sabanci Bank plc. In the coverage of the same agreement, it was also stated that, the other partner Universal Trading (Jersey) Limited with a 35% share in Sabanci Bank plc. will also sell its shares.

But, it is announced that the conditions stated in the 'Shares Purchase Agreement' is not fulfilled and therefore, the deal is cancelled.