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**TO: All Authorised Dealers**

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE MARKET (WDAS) AUCTION NO. 21/2009**

FURTHER TO OUR CIRCULAR REF. TED/FEM/FPC/01/110/09 OF 8<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2009, THE CBN HEREBY INTERVENES WITH AN OFFER OF USD450.00 MILLION (FOUR HUNDRED AND FIFTY MILLION UNITED STATES DOLLARS) FOR SALE AT THE FOREIGN EXCHANGE AUCTION OF WEDNESDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2009

AUTHORISED DEALERS ARE THEREFORE INVITED TO SUBMIT THEIR BID REQUESTS FOR WDAS AND BDC CASH THROUGH REUTERS DEALING 3000 XTRA TO THE CBN ABUJA AT THE ADDRESS STIPULATED IN THE CIRCULAR UNDER REFERENCE BETWEEN 9.00 A.M. AND 10.30 A.M.

THEY ARE ALSO REMINDED THAT THEIR CURRENT ACCOUNTS WITH THE CBN MUST BE ADEQUATELY FUNDED ON THE DAY OF BIDDING AND THE ACCOUNTS SHOULD REMAIN FUNDED AT THE TIME OF DISBURSEMENT, FAILING WHICH THE BIDS WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.

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