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Message



I would like to congratulate Standard Chartered Bank on the occasion of its 50 years of service to the people of Bangladesh. Foreign banks have an important role to play in our economy, providing their clients with easy access to overseas financial markets, encouraging trade and dissemination of global standards of good practice, and introducing new technology and services to the financial community. Standard Chartered has certainly played its part in these roles in recent years and its successful growth has brought significant benefits for our economy.

I look forward to seeing Standard Chartered continue to grow its investment in Bangladesh and to further broaden its involvement in the country's economic development and in the expansion of its expertise in financial services. I wish it a happy anniversary and many returns for the future.

Shah A M S Kibria
Minister for Finance
Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh



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I extend my heartiest congratulations to Standard Chartered Bank on completion of their 50 years of service in Bangladesh. During this long journey they have marched forward with commitment and determination and gathered significant experience and success. Their investments have also grown significantly during this period. This is really praiseworthy that they could maintain the quality of their credit and investment uniformly throughout the period making themselves an example to others from around the world.

The Standard Chartered Bank has been playing an important role in today's financial community introducing welcome level of international services and facilities which has helped the financial community immensely and encouraged greatly local financial institutions to compete in the same way. They have also been providing many opportunities for direct training both in this country and outside, not only for their own staff, but also for other banks' employees.

I wish the Standard Chartered Bank every success in the future.

Lutfar Rahman Sarkar
Governor
Bangladesh Bank



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I have great pleasure in congratulating Standard Chartered Bangladesh on celebrating its Fiftieth anniversary this year. Fifty years is a significant milestone for any business, representing, as it does, customer relationships of nearly two generations.

Our business in Bangladesh has been particularly successful in recent years, with considerable growth in assets, profit, and re-investment. This success derives both from the great team of people who represent the Bank in Bangladesh today, and also from Standard Chartered sharing in the nation's economic growth. As Bangladesh moves ahead to join the world's more successful economies, Standard Chartered wants to see world-class banking facilities become a natural part of the country's financial scene. Our investment in technology, to expand the service environment for our clients, is testimony to our belief in the future of Bangladesh. This investment is particularly evident in our new premises such as our Dhanmondi branch which opens this month.

I would therefore like to take this opportunity to thank firstly our clients, without whose support these fifty years would not have been possible; secondly, the government of Bangladesh, through the Ministry of Finance and Bangladesh Bank, for their support and encouragement; and lastly but by no means least, each of our 190 staff whose work has facilitated this success.

On behalf of the board of directors I wish Standard Chartered Bangladesh every success over the next 50 years.

Malcolm Williamson
Group Chief Executive
Standard Chartered Bank London



Our heartiest congratulations
to
Standard Chartered Bank
on its 50th anniversary in Bangladesh



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