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FIRSTCARIBBEAN WITHDRAWS IPO

Bridgetown, Barbados 19th April 2018. FirstCaribbean International Bank Limited announced the withdrawal of the US registered public offering and listing of its shares on the NYSE in view of market conditions at this juncture.

FCIB had filed a registration statement in December 2017 relating to this public offering and proposed listing on the NYSE under the symbol “FCI”.

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About FirstCaribbean

FirstCaribbean is a relationship bank offering a full range of market leading financial services through our Corporate and Investment Banking, Retail and Business Banking and Wealth Management segments. We are located in seventeen (17) countries around the Caribbean, providing the banking services that fit our customers’ lives through approximately 3,000 employees in 68 branches and offices. We are one of the largest regionally listed financial services institutions in the English and Dutch speaking Caribbean, with over US\$12 billion in assets and market capitalization of US \$2 billion. We also have an office in Hong Kong. The face of banking is changing throughout the world and CIBC FirstCaribbean intends to lead these changes with the expertise, integrity and knowledge gained from banking in the Caribbean since 1836.

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