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Dear Mr Mazzaferro

I am writing to notify you that Národná banka Slovenska (NBS) has taken a decision on the list of Other Systemically Important Institutions (O-SIIs) in Slovakia and on the introduction of O-SII buffer and systemic risk buffer (SRB) for the identified O-SIIs.

In its meeting on 26 May 2015, the NBS Bank Board decided the list of O-SIIs and on the introduction of SRB and O-SII buffer as follows:

Bank	From 1 January 2016	From 1 January 2017	From 1 January 2018
Všeobecná úverová banka, a.s.	1% O-SII buffer	2% O-SII buffer	2% O-SII buffer + 1% SRB
Slovenská sporiteľňa, a.s.	1% O-SII buffer	2% O-SII buffer	2% O-SII buffer + 1% SRB
Tatra banka, a.s.	1% O-SII buffer	1.5% O-SII buffer + 0.5% SRB	1.5% O-SII buffer + 1% SRB
Československá obchodná banka, a.s.	1% O-SII buffer	2% O-SII buffer	2% O-SII buffer
Poštová banka, a.s.	1% O-SII buffer	2% O-SII buffer	2% O-SII buffer

Both SRB and O-SII buffer should be maintained on an individual and also on sub-consolidated basis. The O-SII buffer applies to the total risk exposure of banks. The SRB buffer applies to all exposures in the Slovak Republic. As the SRB buffer applies only to domestic exposures, it shall be additive to the O-SII buffer, pursuant to Article 33e(5) of the Slovak Banking Act.

Yours sincerely