

Deposit Protection Corporation Subsidiary of State Bank of Pakistan SBP, Boulton Market Building M.A Jinnah Road <u>KARACHI</u>

DPC Circular No. 2

May 31, 2018

The Presidents/Chief Executives All Banks/DFIs/MFBs

Dear Sir/Madam,

## **Declaration of Commencement of Business of Deposit Protection Corporation**

Consequent upon the promulgation of Deposit Protection Corporation Act, 2016 (the Act), the Deposit Protection Corporation has been established as a subsidiary of State Bank of Pakistan for protection of small depositors in order to ensure financial stability of the system.

2. The objective of the Corporation as enshrined in Section 5 of the Act is "to compensate the depositors for losses incurred by them to the extent of protected deposits in the event of failure of a member institution, as notified by State Bank of Pakistan under sub-section (1) of Section 21".

3. In this backdrop, it is hereby announced that the Deposit Protection Corporation shall commence its business with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2018. Further, in terms of Section 33 and 7(4) of DPC Act, Deposit Protection Regulations for banks and guaranteed amount will be communicated in due course.

4. Please acknowledge receipt.

Yours truly,

Sd/-

(Lubna Farooq Malik) Managing Director