## **Translation of Immediate Report**

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#### Bank Leumi le-Israel B.M.

Registration No. 520018078

Securities of the Corporation are listed on The Tel Aviv Stock Exchange Abbreviated Name: Leumi

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# <u>Immediate Report of an Event or Matter Outside the Ordinary Course of the</u> Corporation's Business

# Regulation 36 to the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970

Issuance results should be reported using T20 form and not this form. Report on the rating of bonds or a corporation should be filed using a T125 form

### Details of signatories authorized to sign on behalf of the corporation:

bylaws.

Name of signatory	Title	other
Shmulik Arbel	By: Ms. Shmulik Arbel, I	Head of Banking
	Division	
	and Chairman of the Boar	rd of Directors of
	BLUK	

5. 

The company is an envelope company as that term is defined in the Stock Exchange

In accordance with Regulation 5 of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970, a report filed pursuant to these regulations shall be signed by the corporation's authorized signatories. For a staff position of this matter, see the Authority's website: <a href="click">click</a> here.

Reference numbers of previous documents on this subject (this reference does not constitute inclusion by way of reference):

The securities of the corporation are listed for trading on the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange Ticker: Leumi

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To The Tel Aviv Stock Exchange Ltd. 2 Ahuzat Bayit St. <u>Tel Aviv 6525216</u> To
The Israel Securities Authority
2 Kanfei Nesharim St.
Jerusalem 95464

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Bank Leumi UK (hereinafter - "BLUK")

Bank Leumi le-Israel B.M. (hereafter – the "Bank") is pleased to report as follows:

1. BLUK is a UK corporation, which holds a banking license in the UK; the Bank holds 100% of its share capital (both directly and indirectly). BLUK holds 100% of the share capital of Leumi ABL Limited, which operates primarily in the field of receivables financing (hereinafter – "LABL").

2. BLUK's business activity focuses mainly on commercial banking with an emphasis on the funding of real estate, hotels and ABL.

3. On March 8 2022, the Bank's Board of Directors approved the recommendation of BLUK's Board of Directors to proceed with a proposal to withdraw from regulated banking whereby BLUK will return its banking license and become a credit company.

4. To achieve that, BLUK's activity will be merged into LABL (hereinafter – the "Merged Company").

5. The Merged Company will be engaged in providing commercial credit mainly in the sectors of real estate, hotels and ABL to customers in the UK and in Europe, including Israeli customers operating in those areas.

6. The implementation of this proposal is subject to a number of conditions, including: A final decision by the Boards of Directors of BLUK and LABL, obtaining a permit from the Bank of Israel and the approval of the UK regulators, and fulfilment of the requirements set in English law in connection with the execution of such a proposal.

7. The proposal is not expected to have a material effect on the Bank's financial results.

Sincerely,

Bank Leumi le-Israel B.M.

By: Ms. Shmulik Arbel, Head of Banking Division and Chairman of the Board of Directors of BLUK