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**All Member Banks of West Bengal**  
**All LDMs of West Bengal**

**Sub: Closure of Bank Branches / Offices on the days of Lockdown in August, 2020**

**Ref : Notification Issued by Chief Secretary, Govt. of WB vide order bearing Memo No.287- CS/2020 dated 03.08.2020**

Apropos to the above this is to inform that Government of West Bengal has modified the dates of complete "Lockdown" to be implemented in the state during the month of August, 2020. The order, which is self explicit, is attached.

In terms of the afore-stated order, the following days in the month of August, 2020 will be observed as complete "Lockdown" in the state and Branches / Offices of the Banks operating in the state shall remain closed on the said "Lockdown" days:

**5th August (Wednesday)**  
**8th August ( 2nd Saturday & declared as Holiday under NI Act)**  
**20th August (Thursday)**  
**21st August (Friday)**  
**27th August (Thursday)**  
**28th August (Friday)**  
**31st August (Monday)**

In this connection we are to inform you also that the competent authority of Govt. of WB has reiterated that " in terms of "Notification" of the Finance Department, Government of West Bengal bearing No. 2259-F (P2) dated 20th July, 2020, all Saturdays shall be observed as public holidays under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 and accordingly applicable to all bank branches / offices operating in the State of West Bengal, in addition to the existing holidays on 2nd and 4th Saturdays. This will remain in force until further notification."

The State Heads of the member banks are requested kindly to advise their respective branches/offices suitably in this regard. This Advisory will supersede our earlier Advisory vide Ref.No.WB(SLBC)/202/2020 Dtd.03.08.2020.

Yours faithfully



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Encl : Copy of Memo No. 287-CS/2020 dated 03.08.2020

