

NDB Bank Demonstrates its Commitment to Data Security



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NDB has obtained the ISO27001:2013 Certification in an astounding four-month period, underscoring the Bank's commitment to protecting the privacy and security of customer data. The ISO27001:2013 Certification, issued by the International Organisation for Standardisation (ISO), is an internationally recognized standard that sets out the requirements for an Information Security Management System (ISMS).

The certification process involved a rigorous assessment of NDB Bank's policies, procedures, and infrastructure to ensure they met the highest standards for information security.

Conforming to these guidelines ensures that NDB has established a system to manage risks related to the security of data owned or handled by the Bank and that this system adheres to all the best practices and principles enshrined in this International Standard.

Bureau Veritas Country General Manager presented the certificate to Dimantha Seneviratne, CEO, NDB; Deepal Akuretiyagama, COO; and Indika Gunawardena, CIO, from NDB Bank.

Dimantha Seneviratne, Chief Executive Officer of NDB, stated, "We are extremely

proud to have obtained the ISO27001:2013 certification, which highlights our commitment to ensuring that customer data is protected at all times.” He added that “This certification reaffirms our dedication to providing secure banking services to our customers and maintaining their trust in us.” With the gradual increase in cybercrimes and the looming threat of new attacks, it is imperative that organizations become risk-aware and proactively identify and rectify any security breaches. ISO 27001:2013 allows companies to be resilient against cyber threats and maintain operational excellence by responding to evolving security risks.

The ISO 27001:2013 certification has allowed NDB to sustain its strategic commitment to become a more digitally enabled bank by introducing numerous innovative banking solutions and subsequently establishing a highly secure and reliable technological environment comprised of advanced electronic delivery channels, features, and services.

This remarkable achievement assures stakeholders and customers of NDB’s ability and sustained commitment to safeguarding their information and privacy.