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Your Excellency,

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Section 35 of the Monetary Law Act (Chapter 422) requires the Monetary Board of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka to submit an Annual Report to the Minister of Finance on the state of the economy, the condition of the Central Bank and a review of the policies and measures adopted by the Monetary Board, within four months after the end of each financial year.

The Sixtieth Annual Report of the Monetary Board of the Central Bank, in respect of the year 2009, is submitted herewith in fulfilment of this obligation.

Yours sincerely,

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