

## ANNOUNCEMENT

The Cyprus Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") announces the following, regarding the certification of persons employed by Investment Firms, Credit Institutions, Management Companies and Investment Companies of Variable Capital and regarding the Public Register of Certified Persons (the "Public Register"):

1. Persons, who wish to renew their registration in the public register, must complete and submit the following link [Forms \(Registration Renewal\)](#) via the e-mail address [certifications@cysec.gov.cy](mailto:certifications@cysec.gov.cy).
2. In addition they have to pay the fee of €80 through jcc smart (<https://www.jccsmart.com>) or send a cheque to the Commission at PO Box 24996 1306 Nicosia, by the end of February 2014, the latest, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 16(2) of the [Directive \(R.A.D. 499/2012\)](#).
3. According to subparagraph 16(3) of the Directive (R.A.D. 499/2012) should a person registered in the Public Register fail to renew his registration within the deadline provided for in subparagraph 16(1), the person should pay an additional renewal fee equal to 50% of the annual registration fee.
4. As this is the first renewal under Directive of the registration to the Public Register, extra information may be required to ensure the correctness of the information in the current database register.

For inquiries/information regarding the certification of persons and the public register, you may contact the email: [certifications@cysec.gov.cy](mailto:certifications@cysec.gov.cy).

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