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FinCEN Further Extends FBAR Filing Deadline for Certain Financial Professionals

Recognizing the need for further study of related questions and concerns, FinCEN today issued Notice 2012-2 which further extends the Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR) filing deadline for a small subset of individuals with only signature authority over certain foreign financial accounts. The filing deadline for those individuals previously identified in Notice 2011-1, Notice 2011-2, and Notice 2012-1 has been extended from June 30, 2013 to June 30, 2014.

All other U.S. persons required to file an <u>FBAR</u> this year are required to meet the June 30, 2013 filing date. Unlike federal income tax returns, extensions of time to file FBARs are generally not available.

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