

To: ALL MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTE

ALL FIRMS

ALL COMPLIANCE OFFICERS

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Subject: IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

CONCERNING CIRCULAR 20/2023 -

Reporting template for sectoral

sanctions

Further to <u>CC 20/2023</u>, we would like to highlight the importance of certain provisions and provide additional instructions regarding reporting obligations. It is crucial to note that <u>only</u> firms with clients engaged in activities subject to sectoral sanctions are required to report.

Reporting must be conducted **via email,** and all reports should be sent to <u>compliance@icpac.org.cy</u>. For any assistance or queries related to reporting, please utilize the same email address for communication.

We would like to clarify that there is **no specific deadline for submission**, as this reporting obligation constitutes a **continuous requirement**. It is essential for firms to remain vigilant and update their reports **every time they identify clients** involved in activities captured by the sectoral sanctions provisions.

Before submitting the reporting template, we strongly urge all firms to familiarize themselves with the important guidance provided in <u>CC 19/2023</u>. This circular pertains to the issuance of the guideline titled "Sanctions 101: Basic Principles of the EU Sanctions against Russia."