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Chair, Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (Cayman Islands)

Dear Heads of Private Sector Associations:

Re: <u>Summary of Consultation and Feedback Statements: Guidance Notes</u> (Amendment) - Part IX - Section 1: Sector Specific Guidance - Virtual Asset Service Providers

The Cayman Islands Monetary Authority ("the Authority") refers to our email sent on **13 February 2024**, providing written feedback to the industry comments received during the private sector consultation on the following:

(1) Guidance Notes (Amendment) - Part IX - Section 1 - Virtual Asset Service Providers

In accordance with section 4(1)(b) of the Monetary Authority Act (as amended), the Authority reviewed and considered all comments received. In some instances, amendments were made to the proposed measure(s) in response to industry comments.

The Authority would like to thank the industry for its participation in this process. We further advise that the measure was published in the Cayman Islands **Extraordinary Gazette No. 12/2024** on **Friday, 16 February 2024**. If you have any questions, please email <u>contactpolicy@cima.ky</u>.

The feedback statement will be posted under the Prior Consultation Page of the Authority's website at www.cima.ky.

Sincerely,

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cc:

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