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Caretaker Finance Minister Dr. Ghazi Wazni sent a letter to PM Dr. Hassan Diab stating the below: #

“Pursuant to the decision of the Parliament that was adopted in the session it held on 27/11/2020 following the discussion of the letter sent by the President of the Republic regarding forensic audit, which stipulated that: “The accounts of Lebanon’s Central Bank (BDL), ministries, independent establishments, councils, public funds and institutions shall concurrently be subject to forensic audit, without any hindrance or invocation of banking secrecy or other”, #

Whereas the Governor of BDL requested to be provided with letters, according to which banking secrecy shall be lifted from the accounts of the State and public authorities and institutions, #

And since the Ministry of Finance is directly responsible of the State's accounts, it has sent a letter to the Governor of BDL according to which all its accounts shall be subjected to forensic audit pursuant to the abovementioned decision taken by the Parliament. #

Consequently, you are requested to ask all legal persons of public law (public institutions, municipalities, administrations with annexed budgets ...) that have accounts at BDL to send a letter authorizing their accounts to undergo forensic audit.”#

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