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Division of Corporation Finance  
Room 3094 (3-6)  
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Athens, April 11, 2006  
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Attention: Special Counsel, Office of  
International Corporate Finance

RE: Rule 12g3-2  
File No. 82-3399



Dear Sir or Madam,

The enclosed information is being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission ("the Commission") pursuant to the exemption from the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") afforded by Rule 12g3-2(b) thereunder.

This information is being furnished under Paragraph (1) of Rule 12g-3(b) with the understanding that such information and documents will not be deemed to be "filed" with the Commission or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Exchange Act and that neither this letter nor the furnishing of such information and documents shall constitute an admission for any purpose that ALPHA BANK A.E. (former ALPHA CREDIT BANK A.E.) is subject to the Exchange Act.

Yours faithfully,  
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### **Comment on press articles [10.4.2006]**

In reply to a letter sent on 6.4.2006, by the Athens Exchange, in relation to certain articles in the financial press which indicate Alpha Bank as having expressed interest in participating in a sale process of the Turkish bank Denizbank, Alpha Bank announces that the articles in question express presumptions of their authors, and do not reflect reality.