

## FINANCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION

3 January 2018

## **Financial Sanctions Notice**

## North Korea (Democratic People's Republic of Korea)

## Introduction

1. The United Nations Security Council's sanctions list has been updated.

Notice summary (Full details are provided in the Annex to this Notice)

 By virtue of the United Nations and European Union Financial Sanctions (Linking) Regulations 2017, the following 4 entries listed in the Annex to this Notice been <u>added</u> to the consolidated list and are now subject to an asset freeze.

## Legislative Details

- 3. On 28<sup>th</sup> December 2017 the United Nations Security Council Committee established by Resolution 1718/2006 concerning North Korea (Democratic People's Republic of Korea) approved the addition of 4 entries to its list of individuals and entities subject to an asset freeze.
- 4. Unless the DP is listed under EU Regulation 2017/1509 by 27<sup>th</sup> January 2018, the asset freeze will cease to apply from 11:59 p.m. on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2018 until the date upon which the DP is listed by the EU.

## What you must do

## 5. You must:

 check whether you maintain any accounts or hold any funds or economic resources for the persons set out in the Annex to this Notice;

- ii. freeze such accounts, and other funds or economic resources;
- iii. refrain from dealing with the funds or assets or making them available (directly or indirectly) to such persons unless licensed by the Governor;
- iv. report any findings to the Governor, together with any additional information that would facilitate compliance with the Regulation;
- v. provide any information concerning the frozen assets of designated persons that the Governor may request. Information reported to the Governor may be passed on to other regulatory authorities or law enforcement.
- Failure to comply with financial sanctions legislation or seeking to circumvent its provisions is a criminal offence.

#### **Further Information**

- The UN's press release describing these changes can be found here: https://www.un.org/press/en/2017/sc13149.doc.htm
- Further details on the UN measures in respect of North Korea (Democratic People's Republic of Korea) can be found on the relevant UN Sanctions Committee webpage: https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en.
- 9. Copies of recent Notices, UNSC Resolutions and UK legislation can be obtained from the North Korea (Democratic People's Republic of Korea) financial sanctions page on the GOV.UK website:

https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/financial-sanctions-regimespecific- consolidated-lists-and-releases

10. For more information please see our guide to financial sanctions:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financialsanctions-faqs 11. Information on the UK's controls on strategic goods and countries subject to anarms embargo can be found here:

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/export-military-or-dual-use-goods-services-or-technology-special-rules

## **Enquiries**

12. Non-media enquiries, reports and licence applications should be addressed to:

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## ANNEX TO NOTICE

# FINANCIAL SANCTIONS: NORTH KOREA (DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA)

## **Entities**

## 1. BILLIONS NO. 18

Other Information: IMO: 9191773. [Listing to be treated as temporary for 30 days from the date of listing by the UN or until the EU adds the new listing to an existing sanctions regulation (whichever is sooner) in accordance with Policing and Crime Act 2017] Listed on: 03/01/2018 Last Updated: 03/01/2018 Group ID: 13576.

### 2. RUNG RA 2

Other Information: IMO: 9020534 [Listing to be treated as temporary for 30 days from the date of listing by the UN or until the EU adds the new listing to an existing sanctions regulation (whichever is sooner) in accordance with Policing and Crime Act 2017] Listed on: 03/01/2018 Last Updated: 03/01/2018 Group ID: 13578.

### 3. RYE SONG GANG 1

Other Information: IMO: 7389704 [Listing to be treated as temporary for 30 days from the date of listing by the UN or until the EU adds the new listing to an existing sanctions regulation (whichever is sooner) in accordance with Policing and Crime Act 2017] Listed on: 03/01/2018 Last Updated: 03/01/2018 Group ID: 13579.

## 4. UL JI BONG 6

Other Information: IMO: 9114555 [Listing to be treated as temporary for 30 days from the date of listing by the UN or until the EU adds the new listing to an existing sanctions regulation (whichever is sooner) in accordance with Policing and Crime Act 2017] Listed on: 03/01/2018 Last Updated: 03/01/2018 Group ID: 13577.

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