

Banca Intesa offered special conditions for savings in foreign currency tied till the end of the year

Savings on the other side

Belgrade (19th May) – Starting from today Banca Intesa is offering stimulating conditions for savings in foreign currency tied till the end of the year, with interest rates of 5.5%. In addition to this, all savers to deposit EUR 3 000 and more, will be presented with American Express Green credit card as a gift, free from membership for the first year and Europe Assistance card for travel health insurance, needed for acquiring visa and traveling abroad. For savings in EUR tied for the period of 12 months or more, interest rates move up to 6.5%.

Based on the new regulations whereby the interest paid or accrued to savings till December 31, 2009 is exempted from taxes on capital income, the Bank adjusted the time deposit periods to suit the needs of its clients and introduced in its offer stimulating interest rates for shorter time deposits till the end of the current year.

Realizing the uncertain circumstances we live in, Banca Intesa allows its savers the possibility to withdraw the entire amount placed before the maturity, per interest rate applicable for time deposits or to withdraw up to 20% of the deposited funds without decreasing the contracted interest rate or charges for early withdrawal.

“Strong and stable position of our Parent Company Intesa SanPaolo, being the Bank number four in the Eurozone according to the level of market capitalization and rating among the ten largest banks in the world, as well as the leading position of Banca Intesa Beograd on the Serbian market, enable us to provide our clients with reliability they expect from a bank”, said Mr Dejan Tešić, EB member of Banca Intesa and added that despite the aggravated business conditions, in Q1 2009 the Bank recorded considerable growth of trust from clients and bounced back to the same level of deposits as before the stroke of crisis.

Total savings of citizens in Banca Intesa reaches EUR 77 million, of which 94% i.e. EUR 729 million relates to FX savings. With the market share of 13.9% and total volume of deposits of EUR 874 million, Banca Intesa is the leading bank per deposit potential in Serbia.