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### Introduction

This, the eleventh volume of the BVI Financial Services Commission's Quarterly Statistical Bulletin, provides information, statistics and analysis on financial services activities for the second quarter of 2008. The FSC's Statistical Bulletin is just one mechanism by which the FSC communicates the progress that has been made within several different sectors of our industry.

### **Registry of Corporate Affairs**

## Corporate Registration

,	Qtr 2 2008	Qtr 2 2007	Qtr 1 2008	Cumulative as at 30 June 2008
Company Incorporations	15,831	17,803	20,752	445,865*
Limited Partnership	26	28	32	532
Dissolutions	9,268	1,043	1,143	64,399

<sup>\*</sup> This figure represents active companies.

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Post Incorporations

63,776	Notice Specifying Property Ceased to be	
13,288	Affected by Registered Charge	200
2,281	Request for special certificate	199
2,188	Variation of a Registered Charge	137
1,893	Registered Agent intent to Resign	115
1,418	Name Reservation Extension	109
1,304	Name Reservation (90 days)	108
998	Notice of Resignation of Registered Agent	101
900	Request for Certificate of Automatic Re-	78
592	registration	70
572	LC Request for Certificate of	70
532		
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279	to BC	
	Notice of Charge or Registered Office Address	42
239	Notice of Continuation out of the Virgin Islands (Discontinuation)	41
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#### About the Commission

The Financial Services Commission Act, 2001 which came into force on 1 January, 2002, established the Financial Services Commission.

The Commission is an autonomous regulatory authority responsible for the regulation, supervision and inspection of all financial services in and from within the British Virgin Islands.

### Hours of Operation

8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday

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## **Banking & Fiduciary Services**

## Fiduciary Statistics

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	Qtr 2 2008	Qtr 2 2007	Qtr 1 2008	Cumulative* as at 30 June 2008	
Class I Trust (includes General Trust Licences)	0	1	0	98	
Class II Trust	0	0	0	2	
Class III Trust	1	1	0	4	
Restricted Class II Trust (includes Restricted Trust Licences)	1	3	1	109	
Restricted Class III Trust	0	0	0	0	
Company Management	1	0	0	22	
Authorised Custodian	0	0	1	8	
Registered Agents	-	-	-	117	

Banking Sector Quarter 2 2008		
Assets	\$2,567,260	
Liabilities	\$2,238,952	
Shareholders Equity	\$328,308	
Average Risk Asset	25.91%	
Ratio (Commercial)		
Average Risk Asset	98.32%	
Ratio (Non-Commercial)		

<sup>\*</sup> These figures reflect new licences granted and licences: renewed, surrendered and not renewed.

	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quar	ter Post
Change in Authorized Agents		8
Change in Principle Office		1
Change in Particular of a Licenses		1
Change in Ownership		2

Request for use of a Restricted Word	1
Change of Name	1
Change in Auditor	2

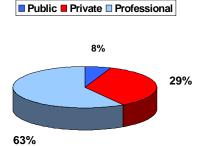
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### **Investment Business**

## Mutual Funds Sector

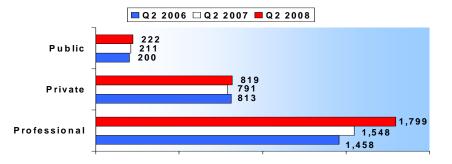
	Qtr 2 2008	Qtr 2 2007	Qtr 1 2008	Cumulative* as at 30 June 2008
Managers	9	13	12	482
Administrators	0	0	0	36
Manager/ Administrators	1	0	0	47
TOTAL	10	13	12	565
Professional	77	81	57	1799
Private	16	26	16	819
Public	2	2	4	222
TOTAL	95	109	77	2840





<sup>\*</sup> These figures represent active entities. The annual fund cancellation exercise was completed in the first quarter thus cumulative figures are less than those of the fourth quarter 2006.

### Active Mutual Fund Entities Qtr 2 2006 - 2008



## Legal/ Enforcement and International Cooperation

Legal and Enforcement Statistics			
	Q2 2007	Q2 2008	
International Cooperation Matters Formal Requests* Informal Requests**	21 3	15 4	
Enforcement Matters	0	27	
Advisory Warnings	1	1	

Enforcement Matters		
Warnings Issued	4	
Fines Assessed	1	
Advisory Warning	1	

## **Insolvency**

Licensed Insolvency Practitioners					
	As at 31 December 2007	Qtr 1 2007	Qtr 2 2008		
Insolvency Practitioners	16	16	15		
Insolvency Practitioners (Restricted Licence)					

### **Insurance**

Insurance Sector				
	Qtr 2 2008	Qtr 2 2007	Qtr 1 2008	
Captive Insurers	2	0	1	
Domestic Insurers	1	0	0	
Insurance Managers	0	0	0	

## **Onsite Inspections**



<sup>\*</sup> requires the disclosure of non-public information

<sup>\*\*</sup> requires the disclosure of public information