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RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

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Reserve Bank of India penalizes Gujarat Mercantile Co-operative Bank Ltd., Ahmedabad (Gujarat)

The Reserve Bank of India, in exercise of powers vested in it under the provisions of Section 47 A (1) (b) read with Section 46(4) of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949 (AACS), imposed a monetary penalty of ₹ 2.00 lakh (Rupees two lakh only) on Gujarat Mercantile Co-operative Bank Ltd., Ahmedabad for violation of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949 (AACS) / RBI directives / instructions relating to prohibition of loans and advances to directors/relatives/related concerns.

RBI has issued Show Cause Notice to the bank in the response to which the bank has submitted a written reply and after considering facts of the case, bank's reply and personal submission in the matter, RBI came to the conclusion that the violations were sustained and warranted imposition of penalty.

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