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Dear Customers

Mizuho Bank, Bangkok Branch

<Warning Notice>
Transfer frauds caused by spoofed e-mails targeted to overseas Japanese corporations

We thank you for using the Mizuho Group.

Transfer frauds by e-mails are being reported recently and they are targeted to overseas Japanese corporations. Since same types of frauds have also been committed against other financial institutions, we would like you to pay careful attention when making any remittance.

In this case, a forged e-mail which requests a “change in the receiving account” is sent by a third person who impersonates the parent company or the customer. If you receive this kind of e-mail, do not take it on trust and handle it carefully by reconfirming the matter using other methods.

The characteristics of this case are as follows:
- Targeted to overseas Japanese corporations
- English is used
- Requests to change the receiving account through forged e-mails by impersonating parent companies or customers
- The e-mail address is forged that it may be mistaken as the original
  Example: <original> xxxx@company.com  <forgery> xxxx@company.com
- The signature of the attached invoice looks exactly like the original

If there are any suspicious matters, please confirm the parent company or the customer and consult with the authorities concerned such as the police.