## **Client Advisory**

February 12, 2021

## **Burma Sanctions Announced in Response to Military Coup**

Dear Valued Customer,

An Executive Order was issued February 11 by the Biden Administration in response to the military coup that took place in Burma on February 1. The Executive Order placed sanctions on 10 individuals and 3 entities that were found to be connected directly or indirectly and are deemed to have acted with the Burmese military to overthrow the democratically elected government.

Beginning February 11, 2021, these named individuals and entities, along with their property and interests, in the United States or in control of U.S. persons are blocked and must be reported to the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC), unless authorized by an OFAC license or are otherwise exempt.

Executive Order - <a href="https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/presidential-actions/2021/02/11/executive-order-on-blocking-property-with-respect-to-the-situation-in-burma/">https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/presidential-actions/2021/02/11/executive-order-on-blocking-property-with-respect-to-the-situation-in-burma/</a>

Press Release - https://home.treasury.gov/news/press-releases/jy0024

Blocked individuals and entities - <a href="https://home.treasury.gov/policy-issues/financial-sanctions/recent-actions/20210211">https://home.treasury.gov/policy-issues/financial-sanctions/recent-actions/20210211</a>

Fact Sheet - <a href="https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2021/02/11/fact-sheet-biden-harris-administration-actions-in-response-to-the-coup-in-burma/">https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2021/02/11/fact-sheet-biden-harris-administration-actions-in-response-to-the-coup-in-burma/</a>

Thank you for being our Valued Customer. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your C.H. Robinson commercial representative for further information.

Sincerely, C.H. Robinson

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