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DEPARTMENT OF BANKING ALERT:

Connecticut Bank Uncovers Fraudulent Check Scheme

HARTFORD – Savings Bank of Danbury, located in Danbury, CT, has reported that counterfeit bank checks using the bank's name are being presented for payment. Characteristics of the fraudulent checks used thus far, include the following:

- The bank name is "Savings Bank of Danbury".
- The six-digit check number begins with "3199".
- The check dates are "February 19, 2021" and "February 23, 2021".
- Payment amounts are \$2,000 and \$2,600.

For additional information, or to verify the authenticity of a check drawn on Savings Bank of Danbury, please contact:

Charles Williams
VP Security
Savings Bank of Danbury
220 Main Street
Danbury, CT 06810
Phone: 203-744-8735

Email: Cwilliams@sbdanbury.com

Consumers seeking information related to fraudulent check schemes may visit the websites of the following agencies:

- U.S Department of the Treasury <u>www.treasury.gov</u>
- Federal Trade Commission (FTC) www.ftc.gov

For additional questions, consumers may contact:

State of Connecticut, Department of Banking 260 Constitution Plaza Hartford, CT 06103 Phone: 1-800-831-7225

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