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AmBank Group launches its latest 100% Capital Guaranteed Fund, AmCurrency Income AmBank Group has launched its latest 100% Capital Guarantee Fund named AmCurrency Income for all Malaysians who wish to enjoy potential investment income with minimal financial risk against the backdrop of the uncertain economic conditions.

AmCurrency Income is a three-year short-term investment-linked plan that provides investors a 100% capital guarantee upon maturity of the policy. Furthermore, the Fund also offers insurance protection of up to 125% on the invested single premium, underwritten by AmLife Insurance Berhad (AmLife).

Datuk Mohamed Azmi Mahmood, Managing Director, Retail Banking, AmBank (M) Berhad said, "Although there were some uptrend signs of recovery in economy activity in the first quarter of 2010, the global financial markets remain uncertain and investors are staying vigilant against investment. AmCurrency Income is an alternative way of investment that allows investors to enjoy a potential stream of income, while at the same time be covered by a life insurance plan."

The Fund will be investing into a basket of the 10 very liquid international currencies and adopts an investment tactic that allows the customers to gain from the six best performing currencies. The selected liquid currencies including the Japanese Yen, the United States Dollar, the New Zealand Dollar, the United Kingdom Pound Sterling, the Norwegian Krone, the Euro, the Australian Dollar, the Swedish Krona, the Canadian Dollar and the Swiss Franc.

AmCurrency Income is a stable investment and the performance of the currencies is expected to be consistent and less volatile. With the minimum outlay of RM5,000, the investors would be able to enjoy returns that are potentially higher than local banks' deposit rates.

AmCurrency Income has an approved fund size of RM100 million. It is now available throughout all 189 AmBank branches nationwide for the period of 30 days, from 14 June 2010 to 13 July 2010.

About AmBank Group

Established in August 1975, AmBank Group is the fifth largest financial services group in Malaysia (by assets, as at 31 December 2008) and comprises AMMB Holdings Berhad and its subsidiaries AmInvestment Bank Group, AmBank, AmIslamic Bank and AmAssurance.

The Group provides a wide range of conventional and Islamic investment banking, commercial banking, retail financing and related financial services, which also include Islamic banking, underwriting of general and life insurance, stock, share and futures broking, investment advisory as well as asset, property and unit trust management.

AmBank Group's core philosophy incorporates a deep-seated commitment to the satisfaction of its wide range of customers, with numerous customer-driven initiatives woven into all forms of communication and interaction with all customer groups. The Group is committed to providing new and innovative products and services to its customers with its partnership with Australia and New Zealand Banking Group (ANZ), one of Australia's leading banks.

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