

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

There have been media reports about an ATM fraud in Sikkim where miscreants were found moving around the State attempting fraudulent withdrawals through various Bank's ATMs. SISCO Bank through its surveillance was able to detect use of its ATM by the perpetrators.

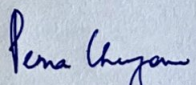
Through this release, we wish to inform our esteemed customers and general public of Sikkim that such withdrawals through the ATMs are in no way connected to the accounts or deposits of the general public in SISCO Bank. The miscreants have used bank accounts and ATM cards of other banks to withdraw money. Such withdrawals made at our ATMs have already been reported to the concerned banks and financial agencies by the Bank and initiation of process for recovery was swiftly done.

SISCO Bank has in place quality banking system and cyber security measures. We continue to adhere to the highest banking and security standards.

The Bank thanks Sikkim Police, particularly Shri. Tenzing Loden Lepcha, S.P and S.H.O Gangtok and their team for the swift action on complaints of the Bank, which has helped us bring to light the fraudulence timely resulting in saving the financial system of possibly huge losses.

SISCO Bank would like to assure all that the money of the depositors of the Bank is absolutely safe.

The general public is requested to not fall prey to any rumors.

  
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