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### **Deposits in Sofia Bank now covered**

In accordance with the decision made in August by the Finnish Financial Supervisory Authority (FIN-FSA), the Deposit Guarantee Fund has covered Sofia Bank customers' deposits for the amounts that the bank itself has been unable to pay out after its liquidation. The vast majority of these payments have already been made.

The 3-month period set for the payments ends on Tuesday 29 June. The Deposit Guarantee Fund has requested depositors to provide either the Fund or Sofia Bank with the number of the bank account to which the deposits are to be paid. If no account number is given, the deposit will be paid to the Regional State Administrative Agencies instead. In this case the Fund will send the depositor a letter with instructions on how to request the payment from the Agencies.

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