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TOTALBANK JOINS GOVERNOR RICK SCOTT ON MISSION TO SPAIN

MIAMI – June 26, 2012- TotalBank's Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board, Jorge Rossell, recently returned from a successful business development mission in Spain with Governor Rick Scott where they continued to promote Miami-Dade County as the leading business destination in the Americas for Spanish companies.

"The benefits of currency diversification coupled with South Florida's ideal location and cultural compatibility to Spain, make it not only an enticing choice but a sound investment as well," adds Rossell.

From left to right:

Photo 1 – Florida delegation trade mission to Spain headed by Florida Governor Rick Scott. Seated (right) TotalBank Chairman & CEO Jorge Rossell, Angel Ron, Chairman BPE and Jacobo Gonzalez Robatto, CFO BPE

Photo 2 – Jorge Rossell, CEO and Chairman, TotalBank; Angel Ron, Chairman of Banco Popular Jacobo Gonzalez Robatto, CFO Banco Popular

Photo 3 – Angel Ron, Chairman of Banco Popular greets Governor Rick Scott, State of Florida during trade mission in Madrid, Spain

About TotalBank

TotalBank is a leading integrated retail-commercial bank in South Florida with more than $2.3 billion in assets and 19 convenient locations throughout Miami-Dade County. Headquartered in Miami, TotalBank has served the South Florida community for 38 years, offering a broad range of domestic and international financial services to corporations, small businesses and individual consumers. The bank offers superior customer service focused on meeting the financial needs of customers while earning their confidence and loyalty. A member of Grupo Banco Popular Español, with more than $200 billion in assets and 2,500 branches, TotalBank is strengthened by its parent, one of the largest banking groups in Spain. More information can be found at www.totalbank.com.

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