INTRODUCTION OF $5, $10 AND $20 POLYMER NOTES

The Central Bank of Trinidad and Tobago wishes to advise that from November 2, 2020 new polymer notes in the denominations of $5, $10 and $20 will become legal tender in Trinidad and Tobago. The design of the new polymer notes is consistent with the $100 polymer note that was issued in December 2019 and has similar features such as the polymer substrate, national flag, tactile (raised dots) features to help the visually impaired and enhanced security components. The existing $5, $10 and $20 cotton-based notes will continue to be legal tender until further notice.

1 FEEL
Polymer notes feel smoother than paper. Run your fingers over the bottom corner of the note to feel the shape.

2 LOOK
When you hold the note up to the light you will see the denomination of the note appearing in the coloured print.

Clear Window — Hold the note up to the light to reveal the see-through window completely integrated and visible from both sides of the note. The value of the note is printed clearly in white inside the window and visible from both sides.

3 TILT
As you move the note around you will see areas with a shimmering coloured ink.

For more information on the specific features of each note, please visit our website at www.central-bank.org.tt or send queries to info@central-bank.org.tt.