



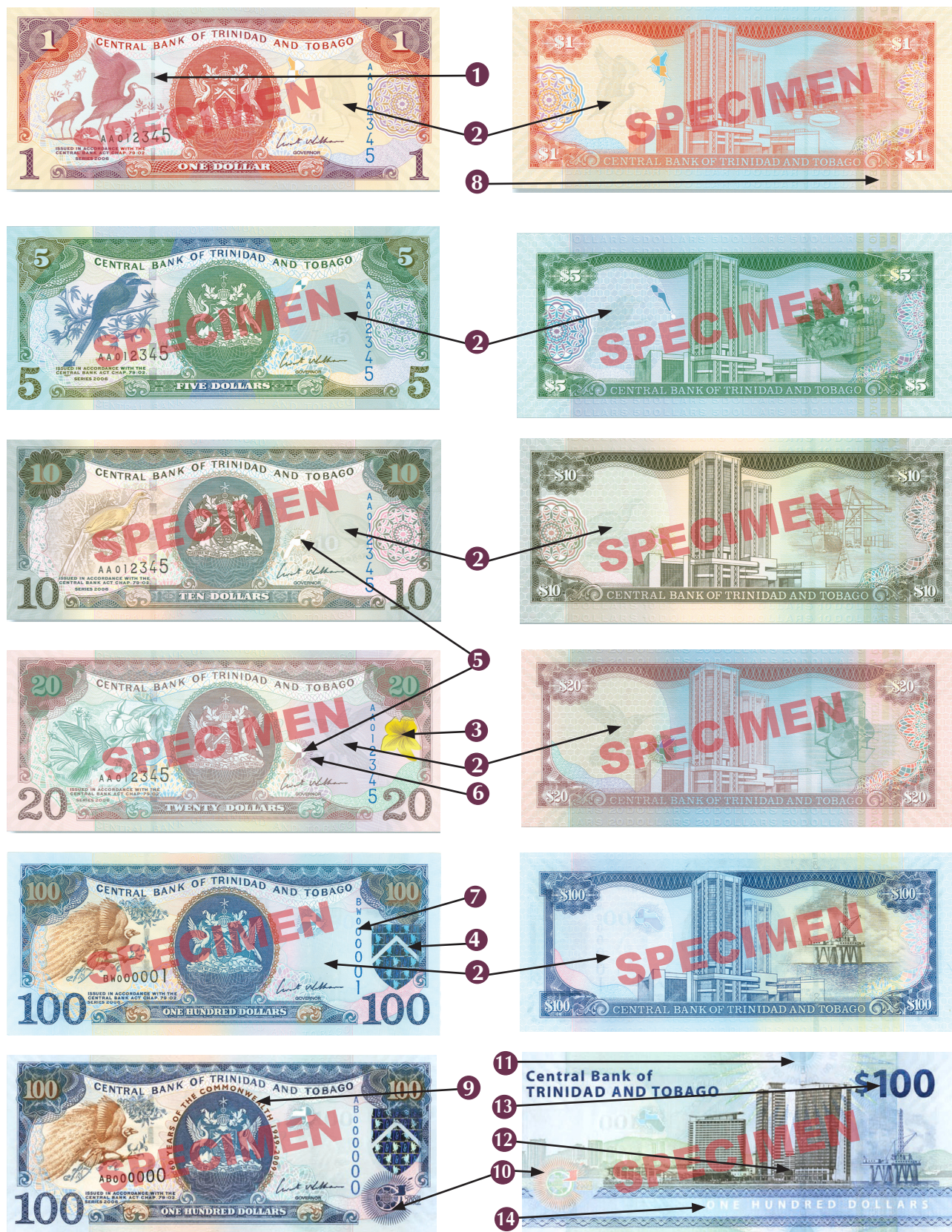
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PUBLIC NOTICE

SECURITY FEATURES ON TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO CURRENCY NOTES

The Central Bank wishes to remind the public, especially during this Carnival season, of key security features on the 2006 series of currency notes and the CHOGM \$100 note.



All previous series of currency notes remain legal tender and will continue to circulate side by side with the current series.

2006 SERIES - FEATURES

- 1 Narrower Thread with Text**
On the \$1 only, the width of the thread has been changed from 2mm to 1.2mm wide and is no longer fluorescent under UV light.
- 2 Watermark & Electrotpe**
Each denomination of banknotes, when held up against the light, will show an image of the same bird that features on the front of the note (Scarlet Ibis on the \$1, Mot Mot on the \$5, Cocrico on the \$10, Humming Bird on the \$20 & Bird of Paradise on the \$100). Previously, the watermark on all denominations was the Bird of Paradise.

On the \$1 and \$5, the watermark is now TT1 and TT5 respectively. On the \$10, \$20 and \$100 the watermark image is simply the value numeral 10, 20 and 100 respectively.

- 3 Foil**
The \$20 note carries a gold foil Hibiscus on the front right.
- 4 Hologram**
The \$100 denomination carries a silver based hologram in the shape of a shield on the front right of the note. As the hologram is tilted, repeated images of an Ibis and the initials T&T are seen.
- 5 See-Through Image**
The images of the small version of the birds on the the \$10 and \$20 notes are located just above the Governor's signature.
- 6 The images of the small versions of the birds on the \$10, \$20 and \$100 have a printed rosette behind them.**
- 7 New Blue Coloured Vertical Numbering**
The colour of the vertical numbering on all notes has changed from red to BLUE.
- 8 Gold Iridescent Band**
All notes have a band printed with iridescent gold ink on the reverse.

CHOGM \$100 NOTE - FEATURES

- 9 60 Years of the Commonwealth 1949-2009**
- 10 CHOGM logo**
- 11 Carnival Sun image at the top of the note**
- 12 The Port of Spain International Waterfront Centre and the view of the city of Port of Spain in the background**
- 13 Larger \$100 numeral at the top right of the note**
- 14 ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS in words at the bottom of the note**

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