

**FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF DALLAS**

**DALLAS, TEXAS 75222**

**Circular No. 79-105  
June 20, 1979**

**SUSAN B. ANTHONY DOLLARS**

**TO ALL BANKS IN THE  
ELEVENTH FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT:**

A number of reports have been received that commercial banks in several parts of the nation have prematurely released the Anthony dollar coin to the public. The coin has been made available in advance to banks to provide preparation time, with the understanding, however, that the coin is not to be released to the public prior to the official release date of July 2, 1979.

All banks are reminded that unauthorized issuance of these coins prior to July 2, 1979 may lead to prosecution under Federal law. Furthermore, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System has informed us that the Secret Service intends to investigate all reported violations.

Sincerely yours,

**Robert H. Boykin**

**First Vice President**