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## Swiss Bankers Association condemns attack on Ukraine

Gazprombank (Switzerland) Ltd and Sberbank (Switzerland) Ltd excluded from the Swiss Bankers Association

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- The Board of Directors has decided to exclude the Russian banks Gazprombank (Switzerland) Ltd and Sberbank (Switzerland) Ltd from the SBA with immediate effect.

## War in Ukraine: banks in strict compliance with sanctions

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