Minutes Anexo estadístico Must reads

Banco de la República reduce 50 p.b. su tasa de interés de intervención - Enero de 2009

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Central Bank of Colombia was held in the city of Bogotá on January 30, 2009.

Present:

- Mr. Óscar Iván Zuluaga, Minister of Finance and Public Credit
- Mr. José Darío Uribe, Governor of the Central Bank of Colombia

Full-time Directors:

- Mr. Carlos Gustavo Cano
- Mr. Juan José Echavarría
- Mr. Juan Mario Laserna
- Mr. Fernando Tenjo
- Mr. Leonardo Villar

Conditions surrounding inflation and economic growth, and their prospects for the future were discussed, and decisions were reached on monetary policy. The <u>attached document</u> is a summary of the principal topics addressed during the meeting.