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**Boiler Room Name:** BlackRock Offshore Bullion Investment Fund (**Non-existent Fund falsely purporting to be from an FCA Authorised Firm**)  
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