



Open The First Casa De Cambio De Bitcoins

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Coinbase, an operating company of virtual currency Bitcoin, announced that it was awarded the necessary approval from regulatory authorities to launch in the US the first house this currency exchange. Since the company afimaron already received authorization to operate in 24 jurisdictions, including the states of California and New York. After the announcement, the value of this currency climbed to \$ 300.

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The initiative could infuse the currency the legitimacy it needs after a period of severe fluctuations

"Our goal is to bring more stability to the bitcoin system," said on its website the company, based in San Francisco.

Coinbase, which already offers exchange services in 19 countries abroad, explained that it took five months to take the steps to obtain the necessary authorizations by US regulators and licenses. Exchange services are available only to customers who enroll in the states where they have received approval from the authorities.

The stock exchange could infuse currency legitimacy it needs, because currently it is not backed by the central government and is marketed through virtual exchanges, especially abroad.

The expansion into the US market "will provide greater security to people and institutions to [operate with bitcoins](#) , and besides that, allow them to monitor prices criptomoneda real time ", said from the company.

In December, Coinbase grossed \$ 75 million in a funding round of record, in which he added to his list of investors in the NYSE to financial services company USAA, and the Spanish banking giant BBVA.

The decision comes shortly after the announcement of twins Cameron and Tyler [Winklevoss](#) , who revealed they plan to launch a US bitcoin fully regulated exchange.

Fred Ehrsam, cofounder of Coinbase, explained that the service as an intermediary will cost 0.25% in most transactions, but during the first two months of operations no fee will be charged.

Coinbase initiative will give greater legitimacy to digital currency, which has been identified as a currency used to purchase illegal drugs and to facilitate money laundering.

In recent times, bitcoin prices dropped to reach \$ 185 per bitcoin compared to \$ 1,200 worth one bitcoin in 2013. After the news of Coinbase on the launch of the first money exchange in the US, criptomoneda experienced an increase of almost 20%, reaching Monday to US \$ 300 per bitcoin.

"Having an organized exchange house that has the backing of venture capitalists and investors reflective addresses one of the main problems of bitcoin: its extreme volatility," told The Wall Street Journal Campbell R. Harvey, Professor of Finance, University Duke, who has studied criptomonedas. "Bitcoin has it been in dire need of something like this," he said.

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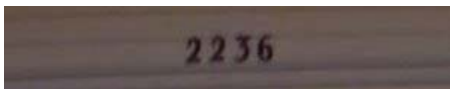
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