

INFORMATION SESSIONS ON REGISTRATION REFORM PROJECT

Dear Sir/Madam:

On May 1 and 2, 2007, representatives from the Canadian Securities Administrators (CSA) will discuss the registration reform project, which takes effect further to *Regulation 31-103 respecting Registration Requirements*, at information sessions for industry participants and members of the media.

[Draft Regulation 31-103 respecting Registration Requirements](#) introduces a harmonized, streamlined and modernized registration regime across Canada. The objective of the Regulation is to create a flexible regime leading to administrative efficiencies and reduced regulatory burden for registrants.

Throughout the development of draft Regulation 31-103, the CSA have consulted with industry participants. This event will ensure better understanding of the new registration requirements and encourage feedback during the comment period.

Speakers: Sophie Jean, Regulatory Adviser, Autorité des marchés financiers (AMF)
Daniel Laurion, Executive Director, Special Projects, Autorité des marchés financiers (AMF)

When: **Tuesday, May 1, 2007 and Wednesday, May 2, 2007**

Where: **Hôtel Hyatt Regency Montréal**
Salle Alfred Rouleau I
1255 Jeanne Mance
Montréal, Québec H5B 1E5

SCHEDULE: **May 1, 2007**
9:00 a.m. to noon – Period intended for members of self-regulatory organizations (SROs).
How are registrants and SRO members impacted by the draft Regulation?

1 p.m. to 5 p.m. – Period intended for members of the mutual fund sector (also referred to as the group savings plan sector) and discussion of the new registration requirement in the category of exempt market dealers.
What will the new regulatory framework be for this sector?

May 2, 2007

9 a.m. to noon – Period intended for portfolio managers and the new category of investment fund manager.

What are the new requirements for portfolio managers?

What will the new regulatory framework be for investment fund managers?

To register for any of these information sessions, please contact Nancy Gervais at 1.877.525.0337, ext. 4703, or by fax at 418.528.7011.

We look forward to seeing you.

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