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ACADEMIC AND INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS TO JUDGE 2006 PRM CANDIDATE OF THE YEAR AWARDS

The Professional Risk Managers' International Association (PRMIA) today announced the members of the review committee for the 2006 PRM Candidate of the Year Award. This committee, comprised of representatives from academia and practice, drawn from diverse geographies and industries, will select the five finalists for the 2006 PRM Candidate of the Year Award and will participate in the selection of the overall winner.

The review committee members include:

Oscar McCarthy, Risk Manager, Group Treasury, Lloyds TSB Bank, London, (Deputy Regional Director, PRMIA London)

Andrzej Kulik, Director, BRE Bank, Warsaw, (PRMIA Board of Directors, Regional Director, PRMIA Warsaw)

Hilary Till, Principal, Premia Capital Management, LLC, Chicago, (PRMIA Chicago Steering Committee)

Francois Bourdon, Quantitative Strategist, Fiera Capital, Montreal, (2004 PRM Candidate of the Year)

Tan You Leong, Risk Analyst, OCBC Bank, Singapore, (2004 PRM Candidate of the Year)

Rene Sanda, Treasurer, Banco do Brasil, New York, (2005 PRM Candidate of the Year)

Sunando Roy, Asst Adviser, Reserve Bank of India, Mumbai, (Regional Director, PRMIA Mumbai)

Karina Carrero, BRS Manager, Ernst & Young: Business Risk Services, Caracas, (Regional Director, PRMIA Venezuela)

Linda Kreitzman, Director, Haas School of Business, Berkeley, (PRMIA Academic Advisory Council)

Anastasia Marina, Principal Risk Consultant, SunGard Asia Pacific, Makati City, (Regional Director, PRMIA Philippines)

Elizabeth Sheedy, Associate Professor, Macquarie University, Sydney, (PRMIA Academic Advisory Council)

Kalok Chan, Chair Professor and Head, Department of Finance, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Business School, Hong Kong, (PRMIA Academic Advisory Council)

Rudi Zagst, Professor, Munich University of Technology, Munich, (PRMIA Academic Advisory Council)

Ng Kah Hwa, Director, National University of Singapore, Singapore, (PRMIA Academic Advisory Council)

The nominees for this year's award come from eleven different countries:

George Bonne, KLA-Tencor, San Jose, United States of America

Lise Estelle Brault, PSP Investments, Montreal, Canada

Tamara Burden, Milliman, Chicago, United States of America

Elizabeth Castagna, Fidelity International, Pembroke, Bermuda

Dominik Dersch, HypoVereinsbank Munchen, Munich, Germany

Michael Ege, Munich Re Group, Munich, Germany

Markus Hirschberger, MEAG MUNICH ERGO Asset Management, Munich, Germany

Kanat Khussainov, TuranAlem Securities, Almaty, Kazakhstan

Rafal Lerski, BPS S.A., Warszawa, Poland

Szilard Pafka, Paycom.net LLC, Marina del Rey, United States of America

Vishnu Ramachandran, Dun and Bradstreet Information Services India Private Limited, Thane, India

Heng Wee Tan, Standard Chartered Bank, Singapore, Singapore

Michael Thiergen, HypoVereinsbank, Munich, Germany

Scott Warner, London, United Kingdom

Julian Wasik, Poznan University of Economics, Poznan, Poland

Ho Kei Yee, JPMorgan, Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Guerman Zoubarev, Cascade Aerospace, Abbotsford, Canada

The winner of the PRM Candidate of the Year Award will be announced on April 24th at the 2006 Enterprise Risk Management Symposium in Chicago.

About PRMIA and the PRMTM

PRMIA is the Professional Risk Managers' International Association. Formed in January of 2002, PRMIA is the premier meeting place of the risk profession with more than 60 chapters around the world and over 30,000 members from more than 165 countries. A non-profit, member-led association of professionals, PRMIA is dedicated to advancing the standards of the profession worldwide through the free exchange of ideas. PRMIA offers the only globally endorsed Professional Risk Manager (PRMTM) certification program, pursued by over 1,400 active candidates from more than 80 countries, more than any other risk certification program. More information can be found at www.PRMIA.org.