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**Task Force to Modernize Securities Legislation
To Release Report at October 4 News Conference**

TORONTO – The Task Force to Modernize Securities Legislation will release its report at a news conference at the TSX on Wednesday, October 4, at 2:00 P.M. There will be a simultaneous web-cast of the news conference at the Task Force website, www.tfmsl.ca.

The Task Force was established by the Investment Dealers Association of Canada in June of 2005. An independent, blue ribbon panel, with national representation, it was mandated by the IDA to make recommendations with two goals in mind: to provide recommendations to modernize securities regulation in Canada and to enhance or maintain the competitiveness of Canada's capital markets.

Tom Allen, the Chairman of the Task Force, along with a number of other Task Force members, will be on hand for the news conference.

Copies of the report, along with supporting research volumes, will be available on-site, and on-line at www.tfmsl.ca 30 minutes prior to the beginning of the news conference. A technical briefing will take place following the news conference.

WHERE: Toronto Stock Exchange
TSX Broadcast Centre
The Exchange Tower
130 King Street West
Toronto, Ontario M5X 1J2

TIME: 2:00 P.M.

WEBCAST: www.tfmsl.ca

DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE ON-SITE AND ON-LINE 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO NEWS CONFERENCE.

TECHNICAL BRIEFING – ON-SITE AND ONLINE – TO FOLLOW NEWS CONFERENCE.

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The Task Force to Modernize Securities Legislation in Canada was established by the Investment Dealers Association of Canada (IDA) on June 27, 2005. The independent task force of prominent business leaders, securities lawyers, industry professionals and academics was mandated to recommend changes to Canadian securities legislation to achieve a dynamic, fair, efficient and competitive capital market