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**FORMER DIRECTOR AND BOARD MEMBER OF THE SINGLE RESOLUTION BOARD JOINS P.R.I.M.E. FINANCE MANAGEMENT BOARD.**

The P.R.I.M.E. Finance Foundation, The Hague-based, charitable non-profit that oversees its Panel of Recognised International Market Experts in Finance, proudly announces the appointment of **Ms. Joanne Kellermann** to its Management Board.

**Ms. Kellermann** is the former Director of Resolution Planning and Decisions as well as Board Member of the Single Resolution Board ("SRB") the central authority that ensures an orderly resolution of failing banks within the European Union. Before joining the SRB, Ms. Kellermann was Chair of the Financial Expertise Center, a joint venture of all Dutch authorities in the fight against financial crime. Ms. Kellermann was previously the Executive Director and Board member of the Dutch Central Bank (De Nederlandsche Bank, "DNB") and prior to that the General Counsel and Director of the Legal Affairs Division of the DNB.

Regarding Ms. Kellermann’s appointment, Professor Jeffrey Golden, Chairman of the P.R.I.M.E. Finance Foundation, said “We are thrilled that Ms. Kellermann is prepared to put her extensive and impressive experience to work in furtherrance P.R.I.M.E. Finance’s objectives. Her involvement in the project considerably enhances our offering, and we are certain to benefit from it.”

**About P.R.I.M.E. Finance**

**P.R.I.M.E. Finance** (the Panel of Recognised International Market Experts in Finance) is based in The Hague and was established to help resolve disputes concerning complex financial transactions. The organisation has the support of key international regulatory bodies and is complementary to the ongoing financial market regulatory reform process. The Permanent Court of Arbitration (PCA) is the world’s oldest arbitral institution, with over a century of experience in administering complex international proceedings. P.R.I.M.E. Finance joined forces with the PCA in 2015, combining the subject matter expertise of its Panel of Experts with the PCA’s administrative efficiency. While the filing address for notices of arbitration is with the PCA at its Peace Palace headquarters in The Hague, arbitrations may take place anywhere in the world, and may be facilitated by the PCA’s host country agreements with a number of its Contracting Parties. As a result, parties to complex financial transactions have improved access to arbitration and mediation to resolve their disputes.

**P.R.I.M.E. Finance 2019 Annual Conference**

On 4 and 5 February 2019, P.R.I.M.E. Finance will hold its 8th Annual Conference at the Peace Palace in the Hague. **Do not miss the premier event in the field of financial markets and dispute resolution!** For registration, please visit [www.primefinancedisputes.org/page/annual-conference-2019](http://www.primefinancedisputes.org/page/annual-conference-2019)
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