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P.R.I.M.E. Finance Amsterdam Conference on 16 May 2025

P.R.I.M.E. Finance (the Hague-based Panel of Recognised International Market Experts in Finance) returned to the Netherlands and held its first Amsterdam conference at the headquarters of **De Nederlandsche Bank** (Dutch Central Bank) on 16 May 2025. Topics included: Jurisprudential Year in Review: Case Law Developments Across Jurisdictions; View from the Derivatives Market: Key Takeaways from the 39th ISDA AGM; International Arbitration of Financial Disputes: Recent Trends and Decisions; and Developing Markets Focus.

Professor Yael Diamant, Senior Legal Counsel at De Nederlandsche Bank and Professor of Financial Networks and European Property Law at Tilburg University welcomed all distinguished guests with remarks touching upon the evolving interface between financial regulation and property law. **Dr. Hab. Marcin Czepelak**, Secretary-General of the Permanent Court of Arbitration delivered an opening speech highlighting the role of legal certainty and cross-border dialogue in fostering international cooperation amid today's complex global financial landscape. Conference participants engaged in substantive discourse on legal developments, market dynamics, and the resolution of global financial disputes.

Robert Pickel, Chair of the P.R.I.M.E. Finance Foundation, commented: "It was an honour to be hosted at the recently renovated headquarters of De Nederlandsche Bank and to have Yael Diamant address our conference. We were also delighted that Secretary-General Czepelak traveled up from the Peace Palace to share his thoughts about the importance of our cooperation with the PCA. Their remarks set the tone for our four panels' consideration of recent developments of interest to P.R.I.M.E. Finance Experts and attendees."

Deannie Yap, Senior Legal Officer/Manager, commented: "P.R.I.M.E. Finance was delighted to host its inaugural conference in Amsterdam, marking a significant milestone and reaffirming our longstanding relationship with De Nederlandsche Bank, a valued supporter of the organisation. We are grateful to our Experts and partners for generously sharing their time and expertise, contributing to the success of this event."

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

P.R.I.M.E. 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



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regulatory bodies and is complementary to the on-going financial market regulatory reform process. In 2015, P.R.I.M.E. Finance joined forces with the Permanent Court of Arbitration (PCA). The PCA is the world's oldest arbitral institution, with over a century of experience in administering complex international proceedings. As a result, arbitrations and mediations under the P.R.I.M.E. Finance Arbitration and Mediation Rules are administered by the PCA, and parties to complex financial transactions have access to an efficient arbitration and mediation mechanism to resolve their disputes. In 2020, P.R.I.M.E. Finance won the Halsbury Rule of Law Award in the LexisNexis Law Awards, in recognition of its judicial training programme.

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