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Global Financial Crisis The Perspective from Hong Kong

The Honourable **Ronald J. Arculli**, GBS, JP — Chairman, Hong Kong Stock Exchange

The U.S. subprime mortgage crisis has resulted in a credit crunch that has international implications. Stock markets have declined, investor confidence is on the wane, and fears of a U.S. recession have led to calls for additional government intervention in the economy. The size of the U.S. economy means the problems it faces are already reverberating around the globe and could have far-reaching consequences.

The Hong Kong Stock Exchange is the seventh largest stock market in the world and China's biggest exchange. Ronald Arculli will share the perspective from Asia on what this financial crisis bodes for the global economy. Discussing the difficulties of

capital formation for emerging markets, as well as how and to what extent banking systems may be weakened, he will discuss how this crisis could lead to a potential restructuring of our financial systems.



Friday, June 13, 2008

The Four Seasons Hotel Park Ballroom
791 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, BC

PROGRAM

10:00 – 11:00 am (Optional) Fraser Institute AGM
11:45 – 12:15 pm Reception & Registration
12:15 – 1:45 pm Lunch & Program

Early Bird Rate (before May 19, 2008)

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___ Individual Ticket(s) at \$69

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