



**INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSOLVENCY REGULATORS
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & CONFERENCE 2008
ST. PETERSBURG
22-25 JUNE 2008**

SUNDAY 22 JUNE 2008

[AT 19 JUNE 2008]

18.00 – 20.00 | Chairman's Reception

MONDAY 23 JUNE 2008 (DAY 1)

08.30 – 08.55 | Registration

<p><u>Monday</u> Session 1 09.00 – 09.45</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome and • Keynote Address • Response 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Ivan Oskolkov, Head of Corporate Governance Department, Ministry of Economic Development of the Russian Federation • Dr Luis Manuel C Mejan, Director General, Instituto Federal de Especialistas de Concursos Mercantiles, Mexico and IAIR Chairman
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<p><u>Monday</u> Session 2 09.45 – 10.45</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Annual General Meeting</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Record of IAIR Bangkok 2007 – for approval 2) IAIR Annual Report 2007 – for approval 3) IAIR Website Report – to note 4) IAIR Finance Report 2007 – for approval 5) Membership Contribution 2009 – for approval 6) Executive Committee Structure - and Appointment 2008-10 7) Chairman - Appointment 8) Secretariat - Appointment 9) Executive Director - Appointment 10) Proposal for Recognition of Lynn Saunders and Desmond Flynn 	<p>Chairman/ Executive Director Chairman</p> <p>Secretariat Chairman/Secretariat</p> <p>Chairman/Secretariat</p> <p>Secretariat See Note (1) See Note (2) See Note (3) See Note (4) Executive Director</p>	
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Notes (1) The current membership of the Executive Committee is: Insolvency & Trustee Service Australia; Office of the Superintendent of Bankruptcy, Canada; Department of Insolvency, Malaysia; Instituto Federal Especialistas de Concursos Mercantiles, Mexico; Insolvency & Trustee Service, New Zealand; Masters of the High Court, South Africa; Legal Execution Department, Thailand; and The Insolvency Service, United Kingdom (England & Wales).

(2) Luis Mejan, IFECOM, Mexico, has indicated that he is prepared to continue as Chairman.

(3) ITSA has indicated that it is prepared to continue to undertake the role of Secretariat

(4) Peter Joyce is standing down as Executive Director following IAIR St Petersburg; and Terry Gallagher has agreed to accept the position on his retirement from ITSA later in the Summer.

10.45 – 11.15	Morning Coffee/Tea: Photograph
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Monday Session 3 11.15 – 12.30	Other International Forums: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Bank • Uncitral • Organisation for Economic Co-operation & Development 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adolfo Rouillon • UK • Elena Miteva 	
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12.30 – 13.30	Lunch
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Monday Session 4 13.30 – 15.00	Insolvency Developments in the Russian Federation and CIS Countries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ministry of Economic Development, Russian Federation • Supreme Court of Arbitration • Fund for Supporting Legislative Initiatives • European Bank for Reconstruction & Development 	Country Report Bankruptcy System and Updates in Legislation Consumer Insolvency Regulation in Russia Bankruptcy Statistics Self-Governmental Regulation in Bankruptcies Insolvency Law Reform in Transition Countries
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15.00 – 15.30	Afternoon Tea/Coffee
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Monday Session 4 (cont) 15.30 – 17.00	Insolvency Developments in the Russian Federation and CIS Countries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Belarus • Kazakhstan • Kyrgyz Republic • Ukraine 	
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Evening	See separate programme
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TUESDAY 24 JUNE 2008 (DAY 2)

Tuesday Session 5 09.00 – 10.45	Country Reports	Themes and Issues	
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10.45 – 11.15	Morning Coffee/Tea
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Tuesday Session 5 (cont) 11.15 – 12.30	Country Reports	Themes and Issues	
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12.30 – 13.30	Lunch
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Tuesday Session 5 (cont) 13.30 - 15.00	Country Reports	Themes and Issues	
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15.00 – 15.30	Afternoon Tea/Coffee
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Tuesday Session 5 (cont) 15.30 – 16.30	Country Reports	Themes and Issues	
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WEDNESDAY 25 APRIL 2008 (DAY 3)

Wednesday Session 6 09.00-10.30	Report on Studies commissioned at IAIR Bangkok 2007 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information Sharing and Access to, and Use of, Data • Mutual Recognition of Sanctions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ireland and Canada • Ireland 	
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10.30 – 11.00	Morning Coffee/Tea
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Wednesday Session 7 11.00 - 12.30	Insolvency of Financial and Insurance Institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MED Russian Federation • Deposit Insurance Agency • Russian Association of Motor Insurers 	Insolvency of Credit and Financial Institutions Insolvency of Banks Insolvency of Insurers
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12.30 – 13.30	Lunch
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12.30-13.00	Press Conference – Mrs Popova, Mr Mejan, Mr Gallagher and Mr Joyce
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Wednesday Session 8 13.30 – 13.45	Final Reports for Approval and Publication <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employee Rights and Wage Guarantee Funds • Consumer Debtors • Revenues & User Fees • Recognition of Foreign Insolvency Proceedings and Foreign Insolvency Administrators 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Russian Federation • UK , ITSA Australia and Canada • Canada • IAIR Executive Director 	
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Wednesday Session 9 13.45 – 14.45	Discussion of Topics for Future Projects/Studies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proceeds of Crime Procedures and Impact on Bankruptcy • Secured Creditors • Role of Creditors • Litigation Funding • Development of an Insolvency Profession 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Zealand • Russian Federation • Secretariat • Secretariat • IAIR Executive Director 	
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14.45 – 15.15	Afternoon Tea/Coffee
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Wednesday Session 10 15.15 – 16.00	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Conference Action Points 2) IAIR Conferences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2009 South Africa • 2010 3) Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shanghai – September 2008 • Vancouver – June 2009 4) Conference Close 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chairman • Members • IAIR Executive Director • Chairman 	
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16.00	Conclusion
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