



DIRECTORS' EDUCATION & ACCREDITATION PROGRAMME

The Directors' Education and Accreditation Programme (DEAP) is an advanced director training course, aimed at preparing directors for the important role that they play in the governance of corporations. The DEAP was developed by the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators/Chartered Secretaries Canada (ICSA/CSC), in partnership with the law firm of Borden Ladner Gervais, and with contributions from AON Canada.

The inaugural programme was offered in June 2007, in St Kitts-Nevis and St Lucia, by Eastern Caribbean Securities Exchange Limited (ECSE), in collaboration with the ICSA/CSC, as a part of the ECSE's efforts to promote good corporate governance standards. The programme was subsequently rolled out in Toronto, Canada, in November. In 2008, programmes were held in Antigua in February and in Barbados in April. The next is scheduled for Montego Bay, Jamaica in November.

Registration to the programme is open to all directors, corporate secretaries, CEOs, and other senior executives of public and private companies as well as public sector corporations. Legal and accounting professionals and other corporate advisers as well as persons aspiring to directorships are also invited to participate.

The details of the course are as follows:

Programme: The course will be delivered in four modules, namely, i) Governance, ii) Financial Reporting & Disclosure, iii) Risk Management and iv) Strategy.

Duration: 4 days, with 1 day devoted to each of the four modules.

Assessment: At the end of each day's module there will be a knowledge assessment exercise. Participants must be successful on each module's knowledge assessment to be granted the accreditation.

Faculty: Facilitators will be drawn from a team of Canadian and regional academics and practitioners, led by Ms Janis Riven, Past President of ICSA/CSC.

Location: The upcoming programme will be held in **Montego Bay, Jamaica.**

Date: **4 – 7 November 2008**

Venue: **Rose Hall Resort and Spa, A Hilton Resort**

Fee: EC\$5,400 (US\$2,000)

Please register now by completing and returning the Registration Form.