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**CALYON ANNOUNCES THE APPOINTMENT OF THIERRY SIMON AS CEO FOR
THE AMERICAS**

New York, NY, June 30, 2009 -- Calyon is pleased to announce the July 1st appointment of **Thierry Simon** as CEO of Calyon in the Americas. Based in New York, he replaces Duncan Goldie-Morrison who was recently named Chairman of the Board of Newedge, as well as Senior Advisor to Calyon's CEO, Patrick Valroff.

In his new position Mr. Simon also becomes CEO of Calyon Securities (USA) Inc.

Deputy CEO for Calyon Americas since May 2008, Thierry Simon held various positions in the international network beginning in 1985, notably in the United Kingdom and as Denmark country manager from 1995 to 1998. In 1998 Mr. Simon was appointed director of the Corporate Central Branch in Paris, and at the end of 2001 became Head of Financial Institutions Group. In 2004, Mr. Simon was promoted to Global Head of Real Estate and Hotels in the Structured Finance division.

Thierry Simon, aged 50, holds a degree from the Ecole Centrale de Lille, and an Executive MBA from HEC/CPA in Paris.

About Calyon

Calyon is the corporate and investment banking arm of the Credit Agricole Group, the world's seventh-largest and Europe's third-largest bank on the basis of Tier 1 capital. It is present in 70 countries and has 162,000 employees worldwide. Calyon, with approximately 13,000 professionals in more than 50 countries, specializes in the businesses of capital markets and investment and corporate banking.

About Calyon Americas

Calyon Americas oversees Calyon's corporate and investment banking and market activities in the Americas, with the exception of execution and clearing in futures markets (Newedge) and European brokerage (Cheuvreux). With headquarters in New York City, and US offices in Chicago, Dallas, and Houston and an office in Canada, Calyon offers its corporate and institutional clients financial products and services: made-to-order structuring, origination, and distribution, through both its banking unit Calyon, and the full service broker-dealer Calyon

Securities (USA) Inc. which is a member of the NYSE and NASD. Calyon is also present in Latin America with offices in Argentina, Brazil, and Mexico.

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