

March 30, 2009

International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc.

Send to: hardwiring@isda.org

Dear Sirs,

**2009 ISDA Credit Derivatives Determinations Committees and Auction Settlement
CDS Protocol - Adherence**

The purpose of this letter is to confirm our adherence to the 2009 ISDA Credit Derivatives Determinations Committees and Auction Settlement CDS Protocol as published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc. on March 12, 2009 (the **Protocol**). This letter constitutes an Adherence Letter as referred to in the Protocol. The definitions and provisions contained in the Protocol are incorporated into this Adherence Letter, which will supplement and form part of each Protocol Covered Transaction (now or in the future) entered into between us and each other Adhering Party.

1. Specified Terms

The amendments in Schedule 1 of the Protocol shall apply to Protocol Covered Transactions to which we are a party in accordance with the terms of the Protocol.

2. Appointment as Agent and Release

We hereby appoint ISDA as our agent for the limited purposes of the Protocol and accordingly we waive any rights and hereby release ISDA from any claims, actions or causes of action whatsoever (whether in contract, tort or otherwise) arising out of or in any way relating to this Adherence Letter or our adherence to the Protocol or any actions contemplated as being required by ISDA.

3. DTCC Account Number

For purposes of electronic matching and counterparty recognition, our DTCC Account Number is as follows, but you understand and agree that our failure to provide any such details pursuant to this Adherence Letter will not affect the legal validity and binding nature of the Protocol with respect to us:

DTCC Account Number: See attached list.

4. Contact Details

Our contact details for purposes of this Adherence Letter are:

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We consent to the publication of a conformed copy of this letter by ISDA and to the disclosure by ISDA of the contents of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

DEUTSCHE INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT AMERICAS INC.,

acting on behalf of the funds and accounts listed in the relevant Master Agreement (or other agreement which deems a Master Agreement to have been created) between it and another Adhering Party.

By:

Name: Alban Miranda
Title: Managing Director
Signature: [Alban Miranda]

DTCC - PARTICIPANT ID's as of April 2009

DTCC ID	PIMS ID	FUND NAME	Custody A/c
648X	955	DWS Balanced Fund - Core	KE7U
979P	M1SD6	DWS Balanced fund - Emerging markets	KE74
977P	976	DWS Balanced fund - High Yield	KE7U
649X	957	DWS Balanced VIP- Core	KE7V
982P	M1SV6	DWS Balanced VIP-Emerging markets	KE28
978P	978	DWS Balanced VIP - High Yield	KE7V
974P	950	DWS High Income Fund	KE30
971P	367	DWS High Income Plus Fund	KE9E
973P	948	DWS High Income Trust	KE1W
975P	952	DWS high Income VIP	KE2Y
L746	17411	DWS Short Duration Plus Fund - Core	KE9O
976P	960	DWS Strategic Income Fund - High Yield	KE3N
980P	M1SSIF	DWS strategic Income fund - Emerging Markets	KE7W
981P	M1SSIP	DWS Strategic Income VIP - Emerging Markets	KE7X
972P	743	DWS Strategic Income VIP - High Yield	KEBV
992L	983	DWS Variable Series II - DWS Bal. VIP - CDX EMG	KE28
993L	986	DWS Balanced Fund - CDX EMG	KE74
994L	988	DWS Strategic Income Fund - CDX EMG	KE7W
995L	990	DWS II - DWS Strategic Income Fund - CDX EMG	KE7X
996L	91000906	DWS Strategic Income Fund - Foreign	KE84
997L	92000302	DWS Strategic Income Fund VIP - Foreign	KE86
998L	91000905	DWS Strategic Income Fund - Domestic	KE84
999L	91001110	DWS Strategic Government Securities Fund	KE3D
00L1	92000301	DWS Strategic Income VIP - Domestic	KE86
00L2	961	DWS Strategic Income Trust - High Yield	KE2F
00L3	962	DWS Multi Market Income Trust - High Yield	KE1Z
00L4	982	DWS Variable Series II - DWS Bal. VIP - CDX HY	KE7V

00L5	984	DWS Balanced Fund - CDX HY	KE7U
00L6	987	DWS Strategic Income Fund - CDX HY	KE3N
00L7	989	DWS II - DWS Strategic Income Fund - CDX HY	KEBV
00L8	B9000	DWS GNMA Fund	7273
00L9	M1MMIT	DWS Multi Market Income Trust - Emerging Markets	KE7Y
S738	17477	DWS Short Duration Plus Fund - HY	KE0G
03282	03282	DWS Global High Income Fund	8149304
03285	03285	DWS Bond VIP - FI	7216
03334	03334	DWS Global Bond Fund	8162000
03277	03277	DWS Emerging Markets FI Fund	8161234
03323	03323	DWS Core Plus Income Fund FI	7201
03284	03284	DWS Short Duration Fund	KE9H
0000651L	DBSCF	DB Structured Finance Credit Opportunities Master Portfolio Ltd.	DBSCF