

TD Securities prices the A\$300 million 7.5% 28th February 2013 Kangaroo transaction for Caisse d'Amortissement de la Dette Sociale (CADES)

Caisse d'Amortissement de la Dette Sociale (CADES) is pleased to announce the successful pricing of its A\$300 million due 28th February 2013 Kangaroo Bond (rated AAA/Aaa/AAA).

This is the third benchmark for CADES, and the transaction was again well supported with 30% placed in Australia, 27% to Asia, 23% to United Kingdom and 20% to Japan.

The demand was well balanced across investor types: Central Banks accounted for 36% of the total distribution, Funds Managers 55%, and Insurance Companies 9%.

Re-offer Capital Price is 99.407 giving an annual yield of 7.645% and a spread of 107bps over the benchmark ACGB 6.5% 2013 giving a spread of -15 basis points to Libor. Settlement date is 28 February 2008.

TD Securities is sole Lead Manager on the transaction.

This bond adds a new point to CADES' A\$ curve after the two bonds issued in 2006 maturing in 2009 and 2011.

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Created in 1996, CADES is an administrative public agency under the authority of the French government. CADES enjoys the highest ratings by the principal international rating agencies (AAA/A1+, Aaa/P1, AAA/F1+), and a 0% Basel ratio weighting, which makes CADES one of the five largest non-government issuers in Europe.

Complete information on CADES and its issues are available on the website (www.cades.fr), as well as on Reuters and Bloomberg.

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