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## **PALM BEACH STRATEGIC FORUM**

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### **PALM BEACH STRATEGIC FORUM ADDS TO ROSTER OF DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS FOR APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup> CONFERENCE**

**WEST PALM BEACH, FLA.** – Rick Scott, governor, state of Florida; Douglas Turnbull, deputy chairman, TD Securities; George LeMieux, former U.S. Senator; Josué Tanaka, corporate director, Strategic and Corporate planning, Energy Efficiency and Climate Change, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD); Christopher Jamroz, president and chief operating officer, Garda Cash Logistics; Beatrice Rangel, founding partner, AMLA Consulting; and Scott Harris, executive vice president, Allied Energy are the most recent additions to the illustrious list of speakers and panelists for the first annual Palm Beach Strategic Forum April 4, 2011, at the Palm Beach County Convention Center.

The daylong conference will focus on how private and public companies, entrepreneurs and governments can contribute -- within the context of an uncertain recovery -- to the development of strategic sectors of the economy. Competition for world markets is greater than ever, and the ability to compete internationally increasingly affects our standards of living.

“Predicting the direction of the world’s economy is still anyone’s guess,” said Nicholas Rémillard, president and chief executive officer of the International Economic Forum of the Americas and the Palm Beach Strategic Forum. “Our objective is to provide insights and suggest solutions by bringing together well-respected thinkers with a variety of opinions and backgrounds. As a result, we anticipate spirited dialogue and a free-flowing exchange of ideas.”

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The Palm Beach Strategic Forum is a non-profit organization with the mission of fostering dialogue on national and global issues. Its parent organization, the International Economic Forum of the Americas, was founded in 1995 by Gil Rémillard, former Québec Justice Minister and counsel for the law firm Fraser Milner Casgrain LLP. Based in Montreal, Toronto and Palm Beach, the Forum aims to promote an exchange of views and perspectives on pressing economic issues of our time among world leaders, renowned experts and business executives. The International Economic Forum of the Americas also publishes a magazine and several books on a variety of issues, including corporate management, world economics and approaches to governance.

For more information about the Palm Beach Strategic Forum, please visit [www.pbstrategicforum.com](http://www.pbstrategicforum.com).

### **Media Information**

Domestic and foreign journalists are invited to cover the entire proceedings of the First Annual International Economic Forum of the Americas/Palm Beach Strategic Forum. To attend the event, journalists, photographers and media technical staff must register by contacting Carla Brown Lucas at +1 (772) 708-9626.

For more information about the Palm Beach Strategic Forum and its schedule of events, please visit [www.pbstrategicforum.com](http://www.pbstrategicforum.com).

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