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## SCB Executive Director to Chair IOSCO's Inter-American Regional Committee

*Nassau, The Bahamas, 1 April 2026* — The Securities Commission of The Bahamas announced today that Executive Director Christina Rolle has been elected as Chair of the Inter-American Regional Committee (IARC) of the International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO).

IARC is one of four IOSCO regional committees. It focuses on issues related to securities regulation across North, Central, and South America, and the Caribbean region, with 29 members, including regulators from the United States, Canada, Mexico, and Brazil. The committee's responsibility, among others, is to promote high regulatory standards, facilitate the exchange of information, and enhance the integrity of regional markets through collaborative efforts.

Ms. Rolle's election to IARC Chair marks the beginning of a two-year term. Her election follows her tenure as Vice Chair of IARC, where she served three consecutive terms (2020-2026).

The Commission is actively engaged with IOSCO's various groups and committees, including Committee 3 on the Regulation of Market Intermediaries, Committee 4 on Enforcement and the Exchange of Information, Committee on Retail Investors (Committee 8), the Assessment Committee, Monitoring Group, Screening Group and the Fintech Task Force.

*"I thank the members of IARC for their confidence in choosing me for the position of Chair. This role will provide a platform for the Commission, and by extension, The Bahamas to ensure that our perspectives and priorities are represented as global standards for securities regulation and information sharing evolve."*

- Executive Director Christina Rolle

*"On behalf of the Board, I extend congratulations to Christina on her election to Chair IARC. It is a fitting recognition by its members of her professionalism, extensive regulatory and industry experience, proven leadership skills, and of the Securities Commission of The Bahamas' cooperation over the years. I am certain that her appointment will redound to the benefit of IARC and to the continued development of regulatory standards in The Bahamas."*

- The Hon Justice K Neville Adderley

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**Editor's Information:**

1. IOSCO is recognized as the global standard setter for financial markets regulation and has 134 ordinary members ([www.iosco.org](http://www.iosco.org)).
2. The Securities Commission of The Bahamas has been an ordinary member of IOSCO since September 1996. It became a signatory to Appendix A of the IOSCO Multilateral Memorandum of Understanding in 2012 and a signatory to the Enhanced Multilateral Memorandum of Understanding in 2018.
3. The Securities Commission of The Bahamas was established in 1995. It is responsible for regulation of the capital markets, capital markets instruments, investment funds, digital assets and exchanges, and financial and corporate service providers.

