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EX-IM BANK ANNOUNCES FY2008 ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Sets First Meeting For December 6, 2007

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- The Export-Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank) will hold the first meeting of its Fiscal Year 2008 Advisory Committee on Thursday, December 6, 2007 at Ex-Im Bank headquarters in Washington, D.C. Now in its 25th year, the Congressionally-established Advisory Committee helps Ex-Im Bank review policies and programs by providing input from various sectors of the economy.

EX-IM BANK 2008 ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
When: 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Thursday, December 6, 2007
Where: Ex-Im Bank headquarters, 811 Vermont Ave., N.W., Room 1143
The meeting is open to the public

The Advisory Committee holds quarterly meetings; its primary task is to advise the Bank concerning its programs, especially with respect to competitiveness.

This year's Committee has nine new members and eight returning members. The members and the sectors they represent are as follows (starred names indicate new members):

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