## **PLENARY SESSION**



Dr Dominique Strauss-Kahn Managing Director International Monetary Fund

Dominique Strauss-Kahn assumed office as the tenth Managing Director of the International Monetary Fund on November 1, 2007. Upon being selected by the IMF's Board of Executive Directors, Mr. Strauss-Kahn indicated that he will press ahead with reform of the 186-member country institution that helps oversee the global economy.

Prior to taking up his position at the IMF, Mr. Strauss-Kahn was a member of the French National Assembly and Professor of Economics at the Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris. From 2001 to 2007, he was reelected three times to the National Assembly, and in 2006, he ran for the Socialist Party's nomination for the French presidential election. In 2000 and 2001, he taught economics at the Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris and was named visiting professor at Stanford University. He was also a personal advisor to the Secretary General of the OECD.

Earlier, Mr. Strauss-Kahn served as Minister of Economy, Finance and Industry of France from June 1997 to November 1999. In this capacity, he managed the launch of the Euro. He also represented France on the Board of Governors of a number of international financial institutions, including the IMF.

Between 1993 and 1997, he was in the private sector as a corporate lawyer. From 1991 to 1993, Mr. Strauss-Kahn served as Minister of Industry and International Trade, during which time he participated in the Uruguay Round of trade negotiations.

Mr. Strauss-Kahn began his career as assistant professor, then professor of economics at the University of Paris where he was tenured in 1978. He was then appointed Deputy Commissioner of the Economic Planning Agency (1981-1986). He was elected Deputy (Member of Parliament) to the National Assembly (1986), where he chaired the Finance Commission from 1988 to 1991.

Mr. Strauss-Kahn holds a PhD in economics from the University of Paris. He also graduated in law, in business administration, in political studies, and in statistics. As an academic, his research fields include household saving behavior, public finance, and social policy.

A French national, Mr. Strauss-Kahn was born in Neuilly-sur-Seine, France, on April 25, 1949 and spent his early years in Morocco.

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## 主題演講



多米尼克·施特勞斯-卡恩 國際貨幣基金組織總裁

多米尼克 · 施特勞斯 - 卡恩先生於2007年11月1日就任國際貨幣基金組織第十任總裁。他在基金組織執董會挑選其擔任總裁職務後表示,他將推進基金組織的改革。基金組織由185個成員國組成,任務是協助監督全球經濟。

在就任基金組織總裁前,施特勞斯-卡恩先生是法國國民議會議員和巴黎政治學院經濟學教授。2001年至2007年期間,他三度當選國民議會議員,並於2006年競選法國社會黨總統提名。2000年至2001年,他在巴黎政治學院講授經濟學,並任斯坦福大學訪問教授。他還兼任經濟合作與發展組織秘書長的個人顧問。

在此之前,1997年6月至1999年11月,施特勞斯-卡恩先生擔任法國經濟、財政和工業部長。在任期間,他主持引入了歐元。他還代表法國出席了包括基金組織在內的若干國際金融機構的理事會活動。

1993年至1997年,他在私營部門任職,擔任企業事務律師。1991年至1993年, 他擔任法國工業和國際貿易部長,任內參加了烏拉圭回合貿易談判。 施特勞斯 - 卡恩先生的職業生涯始於巴黎大學,他先是擔任該校經濟學助理教授,然後獲任教授,於1978年獲得終生教職。他後來擔任法國經濟計畫署副署長(1981年 - 1986年)。1986年,當選國民議會議員。1988年至1991年,他主持了國民議會財政委員會的工作。

施特勞斯-卡恩先生在巴黎大學獲得經濟學博士學位。他還擁有法律、企業管理、政治學和統計學學位。作為學者,其研究領域包括住戶儲蓄行為、公共財政和社會政策等。

施特勞斯 - 卡恩先生為法國公民,1949年4月25日生於法國 Neuilly-sur-Seine,在摩洛哥度過童年。

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