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## The Côte d'Ivoire - After the Peace: Finding the Path to Rehabilitation and Debt Sustainability

Hosted by UBS, London

Thursday, July 26, 2007 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Cocktail reception to follow

The recent peace accord in Ouagadougou offers hope that five years of civil war and nearly a decade of political instability and economic stagnation in the Côte d'Ivoire have come to an end. More than 400 million USD in arrears to the World Bank and African Development Bank, faced with post-civil war reconstruction, and burdened with the legacy of its Brady Bond default, progress in Côte d'Ivoire relies on debt relief, and its ability to re-enter the HIPC program.

This EMTA seminar will bring together representatives of the official and private sectors for an in-depth analysis of the country and its best path forward to debt sustainability. The seminar is aimed to inform interested investors of the progress that is being made to reintegrate the Côte d'Ivoire into the international community after years of civil war, focusing particularly on the role of the multi-lateral lending institutions in the path towards rehabilitation, and how private creditors might be affected.

More details about the event and registration information will follow shortly.

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This presentation is part of a continuing series of panels and presentations that EMTA is pleased to sponsor on various topics of interest to Emerging Markets investors and other market participants.

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