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## CPAB Recognizes Brian Hunt's IFIAR Leadership

On May 2, 2019, Brian Hunt, former CEO of CPAB, completed his two-year term as Chair of the International Forum of Independent Audit Regulators (IFIAR), an association of independent audit regulators from 55 jurisdictions. During his tenure as CPAB's chief executive from 2009 to 2018, Brian was critical to the growth and impact of IFIAR, both as its most recent Chair and as former Chair of the Global Public Policy Committee comprising the CEOs of the world's largest audit firm networks.

"As IFIAR Chair, Brian was instrumental in establishing the organization's first board, three-year strategic plan and permanent staffing operation in Tokyo," said Benita Warmbold, CPAB board Chair. "As a result of his strong stewardship, CPAB is now a principal member of the IFIAR board, chairs the Global Audit Quality Working Group, and contributes staff expertise to several other working groups. International leadership roles like these help CPAB drive changes to accelerate audit quality at home and abroad and would not have been possible without Brian's tremendous dedication and drive."

In 2018, under Brian's guidance, CPAB hosted IFIAR's annual plenary meeting **Disruptive Enablers: The Future of the Audit** in Ottawa. More than 100 international delegates attended to discuss the ways technological innovation will shape the audit of tomorrow along with leading practices in audit regulation.

"On behalf of the CPAB board and staff, I would like to thank Brian for his outstanding contribution to IFIAR," said Warmbold.

### About CPAB

The Canadian Public Accountability Board (CPAB) is Canada's independent, public company audit regulator. Charged with overseeing audits performed by registered public accounting firms, CPAB contributes to public confidence in the integrity of financial reporting and is committed to protecting Canada's investing public. CPAB promotes sustainable audit quality through proactive regulation, dialogue with domestic and international stakeholders, and practicable insights to inform capital market participants. CPAB has offices in Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver.

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