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#### INFORMATION

In the context of Moody's review of Crédit Agricole Corporate and Investment Bank's (CACIB) long-term debt and deposit ratings, Crédit Agricole SA announces the implementation of a formal support mechanism on behalf of CACIB by Crédit Agricole SA, in the form of a general guarantee or through the affiliation of CACIB by Crédit Agricole SA. This mechanism should be in place by early December 2011.