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RBL Bank adds heft to its top management team

- Brijesh Mehra to join the Bank as Head, Corporate, Institutional & Transaction Banking

Mumbai, June 13, 2016: In a significant development, RBL Bank, one of India's fastest growing private sector banks, today announced the appointment of Brijesh Mehra, the current Country Executive, India and the Corporate and Institutional Banking Head at Royal Bank of Scotland (RBS), India, to take charge as **Head – Corporate, Institutional & Transaction Banking** at RBL Bank.

Brijesh is a 30 year veteran in the banking industry having worked in several capacities including overseeing businesses across India and multiple South Asian geographies for RBS as well as ABN AMRO Bank NV. He started his career with ANZ Grindlays as a Management Trainee at its Chennai office in 1986. Brijesh is an MBA from IIM Ahmedabad and B.Com Honours from Delhi University

At RBL Bank, Brijesh will be responsible for driving the Corporate, Institutional & Transaction Banking business of the Bank. This includes developing & managing relationships with large corporates, MNCs, public sector undertakings, financial Institutions, government departments & local administration etc. In addition to the client coverage role he will also oversee the development and growth of the transaction banking engines of the bank. He will be reporting to MD & CEO, Vishwavir Ahuja and will be an important pillar of the Bank's leadership team. We believe his experience and oversight will enable the bank to take the C&IB business to new heights.

Commenting on the above, Managing Director & CEO, RBL Bank, Mr. Vishwavir Ahuja, said, "We have built a high quality C&IB customer franchise and we are thrilled to have the experience, gravitas and network of relationships of Brijesh to lead this business and make RBL Bank the preferred choice and trusted partner of our customers"

Gurumurthy R, who has been in charge of the C&IB vertical over the past five plus years, shall take on the all-important role as Risk & Governance Head for RBL Bank. Gurumurthy is a veteran banker with over 30 years of diverse banking experience across Operations, Credit, Branch Banking, Financial Institutions & Government Business and Corporate & Investment Banking, having worked at SBI, Crédit Lyonnais, Bank of America & Standard Chartered Bank.



Another important announcement is the elevation of Neeta Mukherjee to the position of Chief Credit Officer at RBL Bank. Neeta has been with the bank for about a year now. She comes with over 26 years' experience in the banking and financial services sector and has previously worked with GE Capital Services India, Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Limited and ICICI Bank Limited. In her current role as Chief Credit Officer, she is responsible for credit approval and for managing the quality of the Bank's credit portfolio as well as recovery and management of the stressed assets portfolio. Prior to joining RBL Bank, Neeta was the Business Leader for the Corporate Lending and Leasing Group, for GE Capital in India.