

Global Finance Names the World's Top 10 Safest Commercial Banks 2013

NEW YORK, August 26, 2013 — *Global Finance* magazine has named the **World's Top 10 Safest Commercial Banks** in an exclusive survey to be published in the October 2013 issue. Winners were selected through an evaluation of long-term credit ratings—from Moody's, Standard & Poor's and Fitch—and total assets of the 500 largest banks worldwide.

The full World's Safest Banks report evaluates the safest banks in Western Europe, Central and Eastern Europe, Asia, the Middle East, North America, Latin America and Australasia.

"Despite not enjoying government support, these banks are among the strongest and most secure institutions in the world," notes Joseph Giarraputo, publisher of *Global Finance*.

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1	Rabobank	Netherlands
2	TD Bank Group	Canada
3	DBS Bank	Singapore
4	Oversea-Chinese Banking Corp	Singapore
5	United Overseas Bank	Singapore
6	Royal Bank of Canada	Canada
7	National Australia Bank	Australia
8	Commonwealth Bank of Australia	Australia
9	Westpac	Australia
10	ANZ Group	Australia

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