

**CANADIAN INVESTOR PROTECTION FUND /  
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**NOTICE**

**TO: Customers of Standard Securities Capital Corporation**

On August 11, 2009, the Investment Industry Regulatory Organization of Canada announced that it had suspended the membership of Standard Securities Capital Corporation ("Standard Securities"). Standard Securities has ceased dealing with the public and customer accounts were transferred to Wolverton Securities Ltd in March 2009.

The Canadian Investor Protection Fund/Fonds canadien de protection des epargnants ("CIPF") understands that Standard Securities has ceased business but does not have complete information as to its financial status. However, customers with accounts at Standard Securities who have suffered or may suffer financial loss solely as a result of Standard Securities being or becoming insolvent may be eligible for coverage for such losses by CIPF to prescribed limits. Such losses must result from the failure of Standard Securities to return or account for securities, cash balances, commodities, futures contracts, segregated insurance funds or certain other property acquired or held by Standard Securities in an account for customers. Losses that do not result from the insolvency of Standard Securities such as losses arising from changing market values of securities, unsuitable investments or the default of an issuer of securities are not eligible for CIPF coverage.

For more information on CIPF coverage and the claims process, please visit CIPF's website at [www.cipf.ca](http://www.cipf.ca). Claims forms for CIPF can be found at [www.cipf.ca/c\\_explore\\_claims.htm](http://www.cipf.ca/c_explore_claims.htm) and claims must be submitted by February 7, 2010.