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AGENDA

9:15 REGISTRATION

9:50 WELCOME REMARKS FROM IFLR

10:00 Overview of the securities market in India
   - Trends in the securities market and effects from the Indian economy in 2019
   - Key regulatory changes in the past 12 months
   - What can the Government do to attract more investment and sustain capital markets growth?
   - What will the Indian capital market look like in 2020

   SPEAKERS:
   - Mohit Saraf, senior partner, L&L Partners (moderator)
   - Gaurav Sood, co-head, equity capital markets, ICICI Securities
   - Nidhi Parekh, senior vice president - IB/CMO legal, Citigroup
   - Global Markets India
   - Bhavna Thakur, head of capital markets, Everstone Capital Advisors
   - Sujaya Moghepadhye, head - execution, equity capital markets - investment banking, Edelweiss Financial Services
   - Jitesh Shahani, partner, L&L Partners

10:50 Paving the way for REITs
   - REITs in India – overview - regulatory regime/market developments
   - Case Study - first completed deal, second on the anvil - is the market ready for more?
   - Attracting the right issuers and investors - structural changes required
   - The market potential and outlook for 2020

   SPEAKERS:
   - Nikhil Naredi, partner, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co (moderator)
   - Sundareshwaran S, head of India M&A and head of India real estate banking, investment banking division, India, Morgan Stanley
   - Himanshu Dodeja, managing director and head of legal, Blackstone India
   - Shailendra Sabnani, head - real estate & hospitality sector coverage, Kotak Investment Banking
   - Prashant Gupta, partner & national practice head, capital markets, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co

11:40 NETWORKING AND COFFEE BREAK

12:00 Developments for InvITs
   - How to structure your infrastructure products
   - Different ways of increasing interest from Private Equity funds
   - Analysing market trends and issuing trusts
   - How to raise funds for privately placed InvITs

   SPEAKERS:
   - Gautham Srinivas, partner, Khaitan & Co (moderator)
   - Raghwendra Pande, executive vice president, ICICI Securities
   - Kalpesh Pathak, EVP & head corporate finance & treasury, Sterlite Power
   - Parin Mehta, head – infrastructure & real estate, Edelweiss Investment Banking
   - Abhimanyu Bhattacharya, partner, Khaitan & Co

12:50 IPO market: challenges and opportunities
   - Recent themes in the primary offerings: regulatory allowance and investors’ evaluation of professionally managed and PE/VC controlled businesses
   - Analysing the trends of fund raising by tech-companies
   - Understanding the viability and roadblocks of overseas listings by Indian issuers
   - Regulatory findings on IPO diligence and disclosure standards

   SPEAKERS:
   - Manan Lahoty, partner, IndusLaw (moderator)
   - Rameesh Kailasam, CEO, IndiaTech.org
   - Ipsita Dutta, executive director and head of legal for India, Morgan Stanley
   - Lakh Nair, senior vice president, Axis Capital
   - Anurag Agarwal, managing director – corporate finance and capital markets, CLSA India
   - Vishal Yadavanshi, partner, IndusLaw

13:40 NETWORKING LUNCH

14:30 International debt capital markets
   - High-yield and the one "deal counsel" model
   - The market’s wish-list for regulatory reform
   - Diligence standards compared to other markets
   - The role of in-house counsel

   SPEAKERS:
   - David Cameron, partner, capital markets, Dorsey & Whitney (moderator)
   - Varoon Chandra, partner, AZB
   - Mushaq Kapasi, managing director, chief representative, Asia-Pacific, International Capital Market Association
   - Sonali Sharma, senior legal counsel, capital markets, Stanza Chartered Bank
   - Ranju Sigita, head – international financial institutions group, ICICI Bank

15:20 Corporate governance
   - Best practices for corporate governance and self-reporting
   - Identifying AML and meeting the requirements of the regulators
   - The changing disclosure regime – is the regulator doing the right thing?

   SPEAKERS:
   - Rajiv Mohapatra, director senior counsel, regulatory affairs, Mastercard
   - Mohit Shukla, managing director, head - India legal and India lead - regulatory and government relations, Barclays

15:50 NETWORKING AND COFFEE BREAK

16:05 Liberalisation of foreign investment into India
   - Attracting foreign investors into India capital market instruments
   - Changes of FPI (Foreign Portfolio Investment) categorisation and its impact on classifications
   - How to structure your exits
   - Understanding the challenges with taxation fees

   SPEAKERS:
   - Amber Gupta, head legal & company secretary, Aditya Birla Sun Life Insurance (moderator)
   - Navita Yadav, managing director - global head of capital markets, Vistra Group
   - Mihir Ponda, head of client services team, BNP Paribas Securities Services India
   - Srijan Krishnan, managing director, co-head, global transaction banking & head of securities services India, Deutsche Bank

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