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Turkish Association of Financial Institutions Joins Leaseurope

BRUSSELS, 18 September 2015 – Leaseurope, the trade body representing leasing and automotive rental at European level, is pleased to announce that the Turkish Association of Financial Institutions (AFI) has joined as its latest full member, with immediate effect.

“Thanks to this new cooperation with Leaseurope, AFI, as the umbrella organisation of leasing, factoring and financing institutions in Turkey, aims to make a significant contribution to the development of the leasing sector in our country. Through our membership of Leaseurope, we hope to gain input on the European leasing sector while sharing new and comparative data and gaining experience and know-how that will be mutually beneficial. May this cooperation bring prosperity to our Association, our sector and our country” said the President of Turkish Association of Financial Institutions, Osman Zeki Özger.

“As Chair of Leaseurope and on behalf of all our Member Associations, I would like to extend a warm welcome to the Turkish Association of Financial Institutions. The expertise of this important player, which represents a vast and growing market, will prove particularly valuable in our work and allow us to further raise the profile and visibility of our industry across the board. Our growing membership is testament to the Federation’s commitment to providing value added partnerships, thereby helping our industry thrive as a whole” said Enrico Duranti, Managing Director, ICCREA Banca Impresa.

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About Leaseurope - As a Federation, Leaseurope brings together 46 associations throughout Europe representing either the leasing, long term and/or short term automotive rental industries. The scope of products covered by Leaseurope’s members ranges from hire purchase and finance leases to operating leases of all asset types (automotive, equipment and real estate) and also includes the rental of cars, vans and trucks. It is estimated that Leaseurope represents approximately 92% of the European leasing market. **More information on Leaseurope at www.leaseurope.org**

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Photo – Enrico Duranti



About AFI (FKB in Turkish) - The Turkish Association of Financial Institutions is a professional organisation which brings all the companies engaged in financial leasing, factoring and financing together under one roof. In 2014, AFI represented a business volume of approximately TL 150 billion. **More information at www.fkb.org.tr**

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