

## press release

## Standard Chartered appoints experienced banker, Lyn Kok as Chief Executive Officer for Greater Mekong Sub-region

**Bangkok**, 6 May 2014 - Standard Chartered today announced the appointment of Lyn Kok as the new Chief Executive Officer for the Greater Mekong Sub-region. In addition to her regional responsibilities, Lyn will continue in her current role as President & Chief Executive Officer for Thailand.

The Greater Mekong CEO role is a new regional leadership position that sees Lyn assume governance responsibilities for Greater Mekong, which comprises Thailand, Vietnam, Myanmar, Cambodia and Laos.

Lim Cheng Teck, Regional Chief Executive Officer for ASEAN said "We are pleased to announce the appointment of Lyn Kok as CEO for Greater Mekong. The potential of the Greater Mekong region is huge. By aligning our business operations in those markets under the Greater Mekong umbrella, we will be able to offer our clients and customers doing business in those markets targeted, region specific financial insights and enhanced service. I believe Lyn's deep experience and understanding of the region will help take our business to new heights in the region."

"Thailand is well positioned to become the gateway for foreign companies seeking to invest in the Greater Mekong. As the only international bank present in all ten ASEAN countries, Standard Chartered is ideally positioned to help international corporates leverage investment opportunities in Thailand and the boarder Greater Mekong Sub-region.", said Lyn Kok, President & Chief Executive Officer, Thailand & Greater Mekong Lyn was appointed President and Chief Executive Officer for Standard Chartered Bank (Thai) in July 2010. Prior to that she had been Managing Director, Country Head of Strategy & Corporate

Development and General Manager, Beijing for Standard Chartered Bank in China.

She is currently a member of Standard Chartered Executive Leadership Team and is a "Living with HIV" (one of the Bank's anchor Sustainability programmes) Ambassador for Standard Chartered worldwide. She is also one of 12 members of the Bank's Global Diversity and Inclusion Council. Additionally, she is currently serving as Vice President of the European

ASEAN Business Centre in Thailand.

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