

## **Euromoney Poll Names AIU Top Insurance Provider In Asia & World**

***Sweep includes Product Range, Innovation, Price,  
and Claims Resolution Categories***

(Malaysia, April 9, 2009) -- AIU, the world leading property-casualty insurance network, for the second time in a row has been named the Best Insurer in Asia in the second annual *Euromoney* Insurance survey, conducted between October 27, 2008 and December 19, 2008. AIU in Asia also swept top honours this year in the 'innovation', 'price' and 'product range' categories. AIG General Insurance (Malaysia) Berhad is a member of the AIU network here in Asia.

Overall, the survey ranked AIU as 'Top Insurance Provider' in the world and winner in 'best insurer', 'best in innovation', 'best in price', 'best for claims resolution', 'best product range', and 'best consultant for insurance risk transfer'.

More than 400 risk managers, treasurers, chief financial officers and other direct buyers of insurance at top companies in 59 countries were polled for the survey. Respondents were asked to rank the best insurers, brokers and also the best companies providing alternative mechanisms for risk transfer.

"Despite the great economic uncertainty that exists in the world today, these survey results reaffirm that AIU continues to provide customers in the region with the best products at the right cost and with unmatched levels of service", commented Leslie Mouat, AIU's Regional President for Southeast Asia. "This honour is also a very real testament to the dedication and expertise of the thousands of professionals on the AIU team in the region, who serve and support our customers," he continued.

Rob Ryan, CEO of AIG General Insurance (Malaysia) Berhad added that "In these difficult times, it is more important than ever that our products, prices and services are aligned with the needs of our customers. This survey dramatically highlights that the high levels of value and service we provide is unmatched, and that our customers understand and appreciate this."

The AIU network in Asia has roots that extend back to 1919 and the first office in Shanghai. Today, it serves millions of individuals and businesses in the region from its operations in Singapore, Thailand, Indonesia, Philippines, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Vietnam and Malaysia.

In recent years, AIU member companies in Southeast Asia have won many prestigious industry awards, including the Asia Insurance Review 'General Insurance Company of the Year' and 'Innovation of the Year'.

## ***About AIG General Insurance (Malaysia) Berhad and AIU***

AIG General Insurance (Malaysia) Berhad is a member company of American International Underwriters (AIU), the foreign general insurance segment of AIG. AIU is a global, pre-eminent network of international property-casualty (P&C) operations.

Stretching across Asia and the Pacific to Latin America, Europe, Africa and the Middle East, AIU member insurance companies market a full range of property-casualty products to both commercial and consumer clients. The AIU network is a storied and successful business enterprise built over a period of nine decades. It operates in more than 80 countries with 10 regional offices in major cities. AIU insurance companies around the world are separately regulated entities, which remain financially strong and well capitalized.

AIU is committed to serving local markets, customers, distribution partners and employees with the aim of building stronger communities.

In Southeast Asia, we are located in Hong Kong, Macau, Thailand, Malaysia, Singapore, Indonesia, Philippines, Taiwan, Vietnam, Guam, Micronesia and Saipan.

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