

Special Issue**Volume 4, Issue 3****28 November 2005****In Memoriam****Hans Jacobson****Chairman, Swedish Deposit Guarantee Board**

We regret to inform you that the esteemed Chairman of the **Swedish Deposit Guarantee Board** and IADI designated representative, **Hans Jacobson**, passed away suddenly on 3 October.

Born on 9 November 1942, **Hans Jacobson** was awarded a Bachelor of Law degree from the University of Stockholm in 1969 and he held several prestigious positions in Sweden. In 1978, he was appointed Assistant Judge at the Court of Appeal in Stockholm. Soon after, Hans joined the Ministry of Justice and then the Ministry of Finance where he became Undersecretary for Legal Affairs. Hans' career at the Ministry of Finance included assignments as Head of the Department for Financial Markets and Institutions, from 1993 to 1994, Director General of the Bank Support Authority, from 1994 to 1996, and Director General of the Ministry of Finance from 1996 to 1997. Hans was appointed to the position of Judge and Head of Division, at the Court of Appeal in Stockholm (Svea Hovrätt) and served from 1997 to 1998 in that role. Mr. Jacobson also held the position of Director General of the Premium Pension Authority (PPM) until 2004.

We will all deeply miss Hans as a friend and esteemed colleague and we will remember him for his personal efforts and contributions to the mission of the Association. Hans participated actively at several international conferences for IADI (a.o. in Basel, Seoul, Kiev, Brunnen, Almaty) and he was a founding Member of the Association.

Ray LaBrosse, Secretary General, on behalf of the IADI Members.



Hans with his colleagues celebrating **IADI's** third birthday in Almaty at the International Conference in May 2005.



At the Almaty mountain excursion



Venice, November 2004



Reading the IADI Statutes before the AGM, Brunnen, October 2004



With Chairman JP Sabourin at the IADI Third Annual Conference in Brunnen, October 2004.

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