

Press Release

Exceptional returns for the Mutual Funds of HSBC (HELLAS) AEDAK

2010 has been another successful year for **HSBC (HELLAS) AEDAK**, with the mutual funds it manages and represents recording significant returns.

More specifically, the **HSBC HGIF (Global Investment Funds)** family of mutual funds with registered office in Luxembourg exceeded expectations and had high returns* in 2010:

MUTUAL FUND	PERFORMANCE (31/12/2010)
HGIF Turkey Equity	36.96%
HGIF Russia Equity	33.76%
HGIF Global Emerging Markets Equity	23.16%
HGIF Brazil Equity	23.10%
HGIF BRIC Equity	22.24%
HGIF Indian Equity	21.18%
HGIF Global Emerging Markets Bond	20.89%
HGIF Japanese Equity	20.55%

Notable returns were also recorded for the following Mutual Funds:

- **HSBC Emerging Markets International Equity Fund** with 18.67% return
- **HSBC American Equity International Fund** with 13.76% return and
- **HSBC Pan-European International Equity Fund** with 10.56% return

As Mr. **Ioannis Vezanis**, General Manager of HSBC (HELLAS) AEDAK, stated: *“Investment in know-how and deep market knowledge can never fail investors. This is why, this challenging year – as many characterised 2010 – in terms of investments, has been another year of success for HSBC (HELLAS) AEDAK.”*

Investors can subscribe for the above Mutual Funds in Euro, US Dollar or Pound Sterling (with the exception of HGIF Turkey Equity Fund which is offered in Euro and US Dollar). For example, HGIF Turkey Equity Fund (EUR), 36.96%.

* Returns are calculated in Euro.

MUTUAL FUNDS DO NOT HAVE A GUARANTEED RETURN AND PREVIOUS PERFORMANCE DOES NOT GUARANTEE FUTURE PERFORMANCE.