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To our readers:

With this issue, the University of Pennsylvania Journal of International Economic Law succeeds the University of Pennsylvania Journal of International Business Law. After a thorough process, the Journal's Board of Editors has concluded that this change in name and focus will better serve the academic community, the international legal and business communities, and the Journal's subscribers.

The Journal will be dedicated to the emerging field of law known as international economic law and will prominently feature its newly adopted Aim and Scope statement in each issue. The statement reads as follows:

*Aim and Scope Statement.* The University of Pennsylvania Journal of International Economic Law is a forum dedicated to the discussion of timely issues in the field of international economic law. The Journal defines international economic law as a multi-disciplinary approach that
includes, but is not limited to:

(1) private international transactions,
(2) national governmental regulation, and
(3) international intergovernmental regulation.

The Journal provides an interdisciplinary and comparative focus through the contributions of academicians, government officials, and practitioners.

To celebrate this momentous occasion in the history of the Journal, the Board of Editors has gathered a series of introductory tributes to the field of law by prominent members of the international economic law academy. The Board wishes to thank these leaders who have proven to be its inspiration.

Please address all inquiries regarding the Journal's name and focus change to the Editor-in-Chief, University of Pennsylvania Journal of International Economic Law, 3400 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104, USA.

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