

HREB Capital Partners LP

Repositioning Strategy for Distressed Commercial Real Estate Non-Performing Loan Portfolios

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- 44 years in commercial real estate
- Over \$10 billion in transactions
- Recent success 2012: Homburg/Canmarc REIT: Largest entry-exit of a REIT in Canada with 88% return in 20 months

Extensive Experience Repositioning Distressed Commercial Real Estate Includes:

- Rescue of Dutch Uni-Invest, starting with \$100 million portfolio value in 1991 sold to Lehman Brothers for \$3 billion portfolio value in 2002 (400% total return on equity).
- Extensive experience in clean-up of US Savings & Loan Crisis through Resolution Trust Company

Capabilities

- Asset Management in HREB Asset Management LP
- Property Management through Homburg Services Group b.v
- New 2013 TSX IPO of Maplewood International REIT with initial acquisition pipeline of \$500 million
- Research and Advisory in Homburg Institute Canada (www.homburginstitute.com)

Current Proposal

HREB Capital Group LP harnesses a combination of private equity, and vertically-integrated asset management and property management, to reposition distressed commercial real estate:

- 1) Acquire NPL portfolio from Dutch bank at a discount
- 2) Keep owners paying: transform non-performing loans into performing loans by deferring a portion of the loan payments
- 3) Manage the properties to generate increased value in the asset portfolio.
- 4) Securitize performing loans
- 5) Create an accrual on deferred loan payments, and securitize the accounts receivable
- 6) Accruals are realized at point of sale or when real estate is refinanced

Acquisition of NPL portfolio at 75% current market value

Example:

Assume that a bank made €500 million in loans on real estate valued at €650 million when times were good. However, the current market value is now only €400 million. With equity finance, HREB would purchase the mortgage paper for €300 million (75% of current valuation).

Private equity participation is secured with a €300 million investment with a face value of €500 million on €400 million of collateral at market value.

Transforms non-performing loans into performing loans by deferring a portion of the interest

- HREB model keeps owners alive to pay the mortgage.
- Mortgage payments are reduced to turn the non-performing mortgage loans into performing loans to gain immediate cash flow.
- HREB would issue new mortgages, with new loan to values at present terms and conditions, based on a valuation at 60% LTV.

Performing loans can be securitized

- Sixty percent of the €400 million of collateral at market value is securitized, producing €240 million of Grade A securities.

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- Having refinanced €240 million of the original acquisition cost of €300 million, the exposure for the HREB Capital Group is only €60 million, the balance of the original mortgage of €260 million.
- This carries a potential profit over this of €200 million, plus accrued interest.

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4 Truisms of Real Estate Cycles:

- 1) There is always inflation
- 2) Real estate asset returns have always outperformed inflation
- 3) Debt-saddled governments need more inflation
- 4) There is always an upside to a real estate cycle and we are close to the end of the downward cycle

Superiority of HREB Approach over Recent NPL Deals

- Foreclosure is not a compelling asset management strategy.
- Foreclosure in an NPL deal is a strategy for sharing the haircut between the banks and the asset-managers acting as liquidators.
- Selling the property in a market with historically low market values and high inventory might realize razor thin margins.
- HREB's approach unlocks value and creates high profits for all stakeholders.

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- Competitive bidding for the banks' NPL portfolios have caused pressure to structure deals quickly, with little thought to optimal long-term repositioning strategies of the assets.
- By contrast, HREB's more thoughtful approach builds in the long-term realization of deferred interest payments, and structures the repositioning through second mortgages and interest accrual to maintain a stable and performing loan portfolio in the short term that are positioned for windfall gains over time.

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- Some of the more tenuous deals depended on vendor financing, which is both counter-intuitive to the ethos of the restructuring, and bound to garner political attention.
- In comparison, HREB's approach to forge a partnership between private equity, asset management and property management is much simpler and clean.

Superiority of HREB Approach over Recent NPL Deals

- Syndication of equity participants has resulted in delays, disagreements, and partnerships sometimes falling apart.
- HREBs approach is to deal directly with the banks in the Netherlands, before a crisis erupts.

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- Disagreements among equity partners over the preferred asset and property management has resulted in instability.
- By contrast, HREB's resources and experience span both asset management as well as property management, bringing the entire structure into a seamless vertically-integrated enterprise.

European Non-Performing Loan Market

- In 2012 there was €11.2 billion in transactions of non-performing loan portfolios (NPL) of commercial real estate (CRE)
- Volume expected to increase to €30 billion in 2013.

NPL in The Netherlands

KPMG estimates that banks are holding a combined €80 billion against commercial real estate in the Netherlands, with as much €20 billion worth of loans, or a quarter, estimated to be underwater.

Banks in the Netherlands are Looking for New Solutions

- Netherlands country ranking is downgraded with a weak economy and growing national debt
- Bank stability scores are declining
- Increased bank financing through covered bonds using mortgage assets as collateral but declining real estate prices.
- 2/3 of maturing CMBS did not refinance at maturity. They either defaulted, or there is a postponement on those loans and no action, resulting in paralysis.

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