



John B. Cieslak
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John B. Cieslak, who joined National Bank in June 2007, holds the position of Executive Vice-President – Information Technology, Sourcing and Organizational Performance. As such, he is responsible for the development of technological and sourcing strategies for the Bank including its subsidiary National Bank Financial. Mr. Cieslak is a member of National Bank's Office of the President.

Before joining the Bank, Mr. Cieslak had served as Executive Vice-President, Chief Information and Administration Officer of TSX Group Inc. since 2000. In his role at the TSX he was responsible for technology, corporate communications, public and external affairs and human resources. Previously, he had held the position of Vice-President, Information Technology Services at National Bank Financial.

With 25 years of experience in management positions in the technology and financial sectors, he is well known for his ability to deploy technological strategies aimed at improving organizational efficiency.

In addition to his professional activities, Mr. Cieslak sits on the Board of Directors of Toronto's Mount Sinai Hospital, and is chair of the Information Technology Committee. He also sits on the Board of Directors of the Canadian Depository for Securities (CDS) and is a member of the Governance / Human Resources Committee.

He holds a Bachelor's degree from the University of Western Ontario and is a graduate of the Chartered Director Program at McMaster University's DeGroote School of Business.