

Sportscover Australia appoints new CEO

Sportscover Australia has today announced the appointment of David Lamb as Chief Executive Officer based in Sportscover's Melbourne office. David will take over the position from current incumbent Chris Nash who will now be freed up to focus on Sportscover's expansion into Asia, specifically their Shanghai operation.

Chris Nash explained "I need to be able to spend more time concentrating on expanding the business in Asia which is developing very rapidly especially after Lloyd's have been granted the direct licence in China. That means I will be travelling a great deal more and consequently we need a highly experienced and talented person to take over the CEO role from me. I am delighted that David accepted our invitation to join the company".

Mr Lamb has been in the insurance industry for over 15 years and has performed a number of senior roles with several insurers including American Re-Insurance Company and AIG and for the last 3 years has been the Regional Manager, Major Accounts for Chartis Australia. David takes up his appointment in February 2012.

Commenting on his appointment, Mr Lamb said, "I am very excited to be taking on this senior role with such a dynamic and successful company as Sportscover. I have watched and admired their progression over the years and so it is great to now be part of the team."

He added, "I am looking forward to playing a major role in the continuing growth and development of Sportscover in Australia and throughout the region."

Sportscover have been expanding the number of countries in the region in which they do business.

David Lamb is a Fellow of the Australian Insurance Institute, has a Bachelor of Business and coaches a junior basketball team.

Sportscover is one of the world's leading sports and leisure insurance services groups with offices in London, Melbourne, Sydney, Shanghai, and the Pacific Islands. Using a worldwide broker network, Sportscover specialises in accident, liability, property, contingency and travel insurances for sport and leisure. As a Lloyd's syndicate, SCS 3334 benefits from Lloyd's market rating and is the only A rated dedicated sports and leisure insurer in the world. Sportscover's main underwriting operations comprise Sportscover Underwriting Ltd, Syndicate 3334, Sportscover Australia Pty Ltd, Sportscover Europe Ltd., Sportscover Insurance Ltd, SCI Capital Ltd.

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