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BREAKING NEWS: Rt.Hon Vince Cable confirmed to deliver a second Callaghan Lecture in Swansea

Secretary of State for Business, Innovation and Skills, Vince Cable is set to deliver the second Callaghan Lecture during the 9th Chambers of Commerce Business Week 2010, sponsored by the University of Glamorgan Business School.

Secretary of State for Wales, Cheryl Gillan will be delivering the first of two Callaghan Lectures at the prestigious St.David's Hotel and Spa in Cardiff on Tuesday 21st September and Vince Cable will deliver the second Callaghan Lecture at the Marriott Hotel in Swansea on Thursday 23rd September.

Both Vince and Cheryl will be following in the footsteps of Tony Blair and more recently Alistair Darling to deliver a speech that is arguably one of the most prominent political events in the Welsh business calendar.

David Russ, Managing Director of the South Wales Chamber of Commerce, said: "Having merged with the West Wales Chamber of

Commerce at the end of 2009 the Chambers of Commerce Business Week will be the first of many pan South Wales. We are therefore thrilled that not only our Secretary of State for Wales Cheryl Gillan will be delivering a keynote speech in Cardiff but our Secretary of State for Business, Innovation and Skills, Vince Cable will be delivering a second Callaghan Lecture in Swansea.

“After 13 years of a Labour Government this year’s Callaghan Lectures will certainly be ones of anticipation and we are delighted two key politicians within the new Coalition Government Cabinet have accepted our invitation to deliver the keynote speeches during the 9th Chambers of Commerce Business Week.

“After a tough couple of years in business and as we merge from the recent economic downturn, a speech to re-build confidence in our political system will be exactly what the Welsh business community needs.”

For more details on the Callaghan Lectures, how to book and other events during Chambers of Commerce Business Week, visit:

www.businessweek.org.uk

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Notes for editors

The South Wales Chamber of Commerce is the ultimate business network in South Wales and now incorporates the West Wales

Chamber of Commerce. The chamber exists to provide a regional voice and offer support to businesses pan South Wales.

Since merging with the West Wales Chamber of Commerce, the South Wales Chamber of Commerce now represents over 1000 businesses and 100,000 employees.

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