Meeting between Federal Reserve Board Staff and Representatives of the Financial Services Roundtable March 30, 2011

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Summary: Staff of the Federal Reserve Board met with representatives of the Financial Services Roundtable to discuss insurance-related aspects of section 619 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (the "Volcker Rule").

A copy of the agenda provided by the Financial Services Roundtable, which outlines the matters discussed, is attached to this summary.

Meeting between the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the Financial Services Roundtable on Volcker Rule Implementation

March 30, 2011

<u>Agenda</u>

- I. Volcker Rule treatment of general account and separate account investing
- **II.** BOLI Contracts: Why banks use variable life insurance; the controls on banks' use of life insurance; the harm that would result from inadvertent inclusion of BOLI under Volcker Rule.
- III. The Volcker Rule's Application to Non-U.S. Insurance Companies
- **IV.** The "customer" requirement of (d)(1)(G) (time permitting)
- **V.** The definition of HF and PEF in (h)(2) (time permitting)
- VI. How the 3% of Tier 1 capital *de minimis* limit of (d)(4) applies (time permitting)