From:Mark H. WalkerProposal:1479 (RIN 7100-AE10) Regulation: Physical Commodities-FHCs (ANPR)Subject:Physical Commodities-FHCs

Comments:

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Proposal: Regulation: Complementary Activities, Merchant Banking Activities, and Other Activities of Financial Holding Companies related to Physical Commodities [R-1479] Document ID: R-1479 Revision: 1 First name: Mark Middle initial: H Last name: Walker Affiliation (if any): Affiliation Type: () Address line 1: Address line 2: City: State: Zip: Country: Postal (if outside the U.S.): Your comment: I don't think banks should be allowed to trade physical commodities as it is not directly related to their core purposes. Banks looking to take a stake in the physical commodities trade should do so by lending money to finance trading operations. Thanks.