# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM WASHINGTON, D.C.

# STATE OF GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND FINANCE ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Written Agreement by and among

BRAND GROUP HOLDINGS, INC. Lawrenceville, Georgia

THE BRAND BANKING COMPANY Lawrenceville, Georgia

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF ATLANTA Atlanta, Georgia

and

BANKING COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA Atlanta, Georgia Docket Nos. 10-160-WA/RB-HC 10-160-WA/RB-SM

WHEREAS, in recognition of their common goal to maintain the financial soundness of Brand Group Holdings, Inc., Lawrenceville, Georgia ("Brand"), a registered bank holding company, and its subsidiary bank, The Brand Banking Company, Lawrenceville, Georgia (the "Bank"), a state-chartered bank that is a member of the Federal Reserve System, Brand, the Bank, the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (the "Reserve Bank"), and the Banking Commissioner of the State of Georgia (the "Commissioner") have mutually agreed to enter into this Written Agreement (the "Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, on July 27, 2010, the boards of directors of Brand and the Bank, at duly constituted meetings, adopted resolutions authorizing and directing Bartow Morgan, Jr. to enter into this Agreement on behalf of Brand and the Bank, and consenting to compliance with each and every applicable provision of this Agreement by Brand, the Bank, and their institution-affiliated parties, as defined in Sections 3(u) and 8(b)(3) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act, as amended (the "FDI Act")(12 U.S.C. §§ 1813(u) and 1818(b)(3)).

NOW, THEREFORE, Brand, the Bank, the Reserve Bank, and the Commissioner agree as follows:

#### Source of Strength

1. The board of directors of Brand shall take appropriate steps to fully utilize Brand's financial and managerial resources, pursuant to Section 225.4 (a) of Regulation Y of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (the "Board of Governors") (12 C.F.R. § 225.4(a)), to serve as a source of strength to the Bank, including, but not limited to, taking steps to ensure that the Bank complies with this Agreement and any other supervisory action taken by the Board of Governors or the Commissioner.

# **Board Oversight**

- 2. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the board of directors of the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner a written plan to strengthen board oversight of the management and operations of the Bank. The plan shall, at a minimum, address, consider, and include:
- (a) The actions that the board of directors will take to improve the Bank's condition and maintain effective control over, and supervision of, the Bank's major operations

and activities, including but not limited to, credit risk management, credit administration, problem loan identification and resolution, processes to mitigate risks associated with credit concentrations, capital, and earnings;

- (b) adoption of an enhanced ACH policy and wire transfer policy; and
- (c) steps to enhance the information and reports that will be regularly reviewed by the board of directors in its oversight of the operations and management of the Bank, including information on the Bank's adversely classified assets, concentrations of credits, allowance for loan and lease losses ("ALLL"), capital, liquidity, and earnings.

## **Credit Risk Management**

- 3. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written plan to strengthen credit risk management practices.

  The plan shall, at a minimum, address, consider, and include:
- (a) Procedures to periodically review and revise risk exposure limits to address changes in market conditions and strategies to minimize credit losses;
- (b) procedures to limit and manage concentrations of credit that are consistent with the Interagency Guidance on Concentrations in Commercial Real Estate Lending, Sound Risk Management Practices, dated December 12, 2006 (SR 07-1);
- (c) procedures for timely and accurate identification of credit risk in the loan portfolio; and
  - (d) enhanced stress testing of loan and portfolio segments.

# **Lending and Credit Administration**

- 4. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable revised plan to strengthen the Bank's lending and credit administration practices that shall, at a minimum, address, consider, and include:
- (a) Underwriting standards that require documented analyses of: (i) the borrower's and any guarantor's repayment sources, global cash flow including contingent liabilities, and overall debt service ability; and (ii) the value of any collateral;
- (b) appropriate use of loan covenants in loan agreements in order to strengthen underwriting and portfolio management;
- (c) standards for renewing, extending, or modifying existing loans, including, but not limited to, approval and documentation requirements;
- (d) procedures for the periodic analyses, during the term of the loan, of:(i) the borrower's repayment sources, global cash flow, and overall debt service ability; and(ii) the value of any collateral;
  - (e) appropriate lending limits by obligor or guarantor;
  - (f) standards for interest-only loans; and
- (g) timely and accurate reporting of nonaccrual loans and troubled debt restructurings.

#### **Loan Grading and Loan Review**

5. (a) Within 10 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall retain an independent consultant acceptable to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner to assess the level of risk or exposure in the portion of the Bank's loan portfolio of all relationships that are greater than

\$2 million ("External Review"). The External Review shall be completed within 60 days of the retention of the independent consultant.

- (b) Within 10 days of the completion of the External Review, a written report of the review shall be submitted simultaneously to the Bank and the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner.
- (c) Supporting material associated with the External Review shall be made available to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner upon request.
- 6. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written program for the effective grading of the Bank's loan portfolio. The program shall provide for policies, procedures, and processes for the timely and ongoing grading of loans. The program shall, at a minimum, address, consider, and include:
- (a) Standards and criteria for assessing the credit quality of loans, including a discussion of the factors used to assign appropriate risk grades to loans;
  - (b) procedures for the early identification of problem loans;
- (c) procedures to re-evaluate the grading of loans in the event of material changes in the borrower's performance or the value of the collateral;
- (d) procedures to evaluate the grading of all loans assigned less than a pass grade at least quarterly;
  - (e) designation of the person(s) responsible for the grading of loans;
- (f) controls to ensure staff's consistent application and adherence to the loan grading system; and
- (g) a mechanism for reporting to senior management and the board of directors, at least monthly, that at a minimum: summarizes the Bank's loan grades; describes

trends in asset quality; identifies the loans that are nonperforming, adversely graded, or identified as needing special attention, describes the status of those loans, and describes the actions taken, or to be taken, by management for strengthening of the quality of any such loans.

- 7. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written program for the effective, ongoing review of the Bank's loan portfolio by a qualified independent party or by qualified staff that is independent of the Bank's lending function. The program shall provide for policies and procedures for the timely identification and categorization of problem loans, and processes to detect weaknesses in the Bank's loan approval, monitoring, and grading process. The program shall, at a minimum, address, consider, and include:
  - (a) The scope, depth, and frequency of the independent loan review;
  - (b) clearly defined responsibilities for the loan review function; and
- (c) an objective and timely assessment of the overall quality of the loan portfolio and the accuracy of assigned loan grades.
- 8. The board of directors, or a committee thereof, shall evaluate the loan review report(s) and take appropriate steps to ensure that management takes prompt action to address findings noted in the report(s).

#### **Appraisal and Appraisal Review Program**

- 9. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written program for real estate appraisals and appraisal reviews that shall, at a minimum, address, consider, and include:
- (a) Procedures to ensure that appraisals conform to accepted appraisal standards, as defined in the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice, and comply

with the requirements of Subpart G of Regulation Y of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (the "Board of Governors") (12 C.F.R. Part 225, Subpart G) made applicable to state member banks by section 208.50 of Regulation H of the Board of Governors (12 C.F.R. § 208.50), and the Interagency Appraisal and Evaluation Guidelines, dated October 27, 1994 (SR 94-55);

- (b) written standards for when reappraisals and reevaluations must be conducted, including, but not limited to, when new funds are advanced or when changes in market conditions or the condition of the collateral or project occur; and
- (c) enhanced appraisal review procedures to ensure the quality and timeliness of appraisals.

# **Investment Portfolio Management**

- 10. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written plan to strengthen the management of the Bank's investment portfolio, including but not limited to:
  - (a) Periodic written analysis of the investment portfolio; and
- (b) procedures to assess for impairments and to ensure that the Bank's valuation processes and impairment analyses, including recognition of Other Than Temporary Impairment, are in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, including FASB Staff Position (FSP) FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2, *Recognition and Presentation of Other Than Temporary Impairments*, and regulatory reporting instructions.

#### **Asset Improvement**

11. The Bank shall not, directly or indirectly, extend, renew, or restructure any credit to or for the benefit of any borrower, including any related interest of the borrower, whose loans

or other extensions of credit are criticized in the report of examination conducted by the Reserve Bank that commenced on November 2, 2009 ("Report of Examination") or in any subsequent report of examination, without the prior approval of a majority of the full board of directors or a designated committee thereof. The board of directors or its committee shall document in writing the reasons for the extension of credit, renewal, or restructuring, specifically certifying that: (i) the Bank's risk management policies and practices for loan workout activity are acceptable; (ii) the extension of credit is necessary to improve and protect the Bank's interest in the ultimate collection of the credit already granted and maximize its potential for collection; (iii) the extension of credit reflects prudent underwriting based on reasonable repayment terms and is adequately secured; and all necessary loan documentation has been properly and accurately prepared and filed; (iv) the Bank has performed a comprehensive credit analysis indicating that the borrower has the willingness and ability to repay the debt as supported by an adequate workout plan, as necessary; and (v) the board of directors or its designated committee reasonably believes that the extension of credit will not impair the Bank's interest in obtaining repayment of the already outstanding credit and that the extension of credit or renewal will be repaid according to its terms. The written certification shall be made a part of the minutes of the meetings of the board of directors or its committee, as appropriate, and a copy of the signed certification, together with the credit analysis and related information that was used in the determination, shall be retained by the Bank in the borrower's credit file for subsequent supervisory review. For purposes of this Agreement, the term "related interest" is defined as set forth in Section 215.2(n) of Regulation O of the Board of Governors (12 C.F.R. § 215.2(n)).

12. (a) Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written plan designed to improve the Bank's position

through repayment, amortization, liquidation, additional collateral, or other means on each loan or other asset in excess of \$500,000, including other real estate owned ("OREO"), that: (i) is past due as to principal or interest more than 90 days as of the date of this Agreement; (ii) is on the Bank's problem loan list; or (iii) was adversely classified in the Report of Examination. In developing the plan for each loan, the Bank shall, at a minimum, review, analyze, and document the financial position of the borrower, including source of repayment, repayment ability, and alternative repayment sources, as well as the value and accessibility of any pledged or assigned collateral, and any possible actions to improve the Bank's collateral position.

- (b) Within 30 days of the date that the Bank acquires OREO or that any additional loan, relationship, or other asset in excess of \$500,000 including OREO, becomes past due as to principal or interest for more than 90 days, is on the Bank's problem loan list, or is adversely classified in any subsequent report of examination of the Bank, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written plan to improve the Bank's position on such loan, relationship, or asset.
- (c) Within 30 days after the end of each calendar quarter thereafter, the Bank shall submit a written progress report to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner to update each asset improvement plan, which shall include, at a minimum, the carrying value of the loan or other asset and changes in the nature and value of supporting collateral, along with a copy of the Bank's current problem loan list, a list of all loan renewals and extensions without full collection of interest in the last quarter, and past due/non-accrual report.

#### Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses

- 13. (a) The Bank shall, within 30 days from the receipt of any federal or state report of examination, charge off all assets classified "loss" unless otherwise approved in writing by the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner.
- (b) Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall review and revise its ALLL methodology consistent with relevant supervisory guidance, including the Interagency Policy Statements on the Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses, dated July 2, 2001 (SR 01-17 (Sup)) and December 13, 2006 (SR 06-17), and the findings and recommendations regarding the ALLL set forth in the Report of Examination, and submit a description of the revised methodology to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner. The revised ALLL methodology shall be designed to maintain an adequate ALLL and shall address, consider, and include, at a minimum, the reliability of the Bank's loan grading system, the volume of criticized loans, concentrations of credit, the current level of past due and nonperforming loans, past loan loss experience, evaluation of probable losses in the Bank's loan portfolio, including adversely classified loans, and the impact of market conditions on loan and collateral valuations and collectability.
- Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written program for the maintenance of an adequate ALLL. The program shall include policies and procedures to ensure adherence to the revised ALLL methodology and provide for periodic reviews and updates to the ALLL methodology, as appropriate. The program shall also provide for a review of the ALLL by the board of directors on at least a quarterly calendar basis. Any deficiency found in the ALLL shall be remedied in the quarter it is discovered, prior to the filing of the Consolidated Reports of Condition and Income,

by additional provisions. The board of directors shall maintain written documentation of its review, including the factors considered and conclusions reached by the Bank in determining the adequacy of the ALLL. During the term of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner, within 30 days after the end of each calendar quarter, a written report regarding the board of directors' quarterly review of the ALLL and a description of any changes to the methodology used in determining the amount of ALLL for that quarter.

#### Capital Plan

- 14. Within 60 days of this Agreement, Brand shall submit to the Reserve Bank an acceptable written plan to maintain sufficient capital at Brand, on a consolidated basis, and Brand and the Bank shall jointly submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written plan to maintain sufficient capital at the Bank, as a separate legal entity on a stand-alone basis. These plans shall, at a minimum, address, consider, and include:
- (a) Brand's current and future capital needs, including compliance with the Capital Adequacy Guidelines for Bank Holding Companies: Risk-Based Measure and Tier 1

  Leverage Measure, Appendices A and D of Regulation Y of the Board of Governors

  (12 C.F.R. Part 225, App. A and D);
- (b) the Bank's current and future capital needs, including compliance with the Capital Adequacy Guidelines for State Member Banks: Risk-Based Measure and Tier 1 Leverage Measure, Appendices A and B of Regulation H of the Board of Governors (12 C.F.R. Part 208, App. A and B);
- (c) the adequacy of the Bank's capital, taking into account the volume of classified credits, concentrations of credit, ALLL, current and projected asset growth, and projected retained earnings;

- (d) the source and timing of additional funds to fulfill the consolidated organization's and the Bank's future capital requirements; and
- (e) the requirements of Section 225.4(a) of Regulation Y of the Board of Governors that Brand serve as a source of strength to the Bank.
- 15. Brand and the Bank shall notify the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner in writing, no more than 30 days after the end of any quarter in which any of Brand's consolidated capital ratios or the Bank's capital ratios (total risk-based, Tier 1 risk-based, or leverage) fall below the approved capital plan's minimum ratios. Together with the notification, Brand and the Bank shall submit an acceptable written plan that details the steps Brand or the Bank, as appropriate, will take to increase Brand's or the Bank's capital ratios to or above the approved capital plan's minimums.

#### Liquidity and Funds Management

16. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable revised written contingency funding plan that, at a minimum, identifies available sources of liquidity and includes adverse scenario planning.

# **Brokered Deposits**

17. (a) At all times during the term of this Agreement that the Bank is well capitalized, the Bank shall not accept any new brokered deposits. For purposes of this subparagraph, the term "brokered deposits" is defined as set forth in Section 337.6(a) of the regulations of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") (12 C.F.R. § 337.6(a)) and includes deposits funded by third party agents or nominees for depositors; and the term "new brokered deposits" is defined not to include contractual renewals or rollovers of brokered deposits.

- (b) Within 30 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner an acceptable written plan for reducing its reliance on brokered deposits. The plan shall detail the current composition of the Bank's brokered deposits by maturity and explain the means by which such deposits will be paid at maturity.
- 18. The Bank shall comply with the provisions of Section 29 of the FDI Act (12 U.S.C. § 1831f) and the FDIC's accompanying regulations at 12 C.F.R. § 337 that are applicable to the Bank. The Bank shall notify the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner, in writing, if the Bank requests any waiver of the restrictions imposed by Section 29 from the FDIC and shall notify the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner of the FDIC's disposition of any request for such a waiver.

#### **Earnings Plan**

- 19. (a) Within 45 days of this Agreement, the Bank shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner a written business plan for the remainder of 2010 and 2011 to improve the Bank's earnings and overall condition. The plan, at a minimum, shall provide for or describe:
- (i) a realistic and comprehensive budget, including income statement and balance sheet projections; and
- (ii) a description of the operating assumptions that form the basis for, and adequately support, major projected income, expense, and balance sheet components.
- (b) During the term of this Agreement, a business plan and budget for each calendar year subsequent to 2011 shall be submitted to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner at least 30 days prior to the beginning of that calendar year.

#### **Dividends and Distributions**

- 20. (a) Brand and the Bank shall not declare or pay any dividends without the prior written approval of the Reserve Bank, the Director of the Division of Banking Supervision and Regulation of the Board of Governors ("Director"), and the Commissioner.
- (b) Brand shall not take any other form of payment representing a reduction in capital from the Bank without the prior written approval of the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner.
- (c) Brand and its nonbank subsidiaries shall not make any distributions of interest, principal, or other sums on subordinated debentures or trust preferred securities without the prior written approval of the Reserve Bank, the Director, and the Commissioner.
- (d) All requests for prior approval shall be received at least 30 days prior to the proposed dividend declaration date, proposed distribution on subordinated debentures, and required notice of deferral on trust preferred securities. All requests shall contain, at a minimum, current and projected information, as appropriate, on the parent's capital, earnings, and cash flow; the Bank's capital, asset quality, earnings and loan loss reserve needs; and identification of the sources of funds for the proposed payment or distribution. For requests to declare or pay dividends, Brand and the Bank, as appropriate, must also demonstrate that the requested declaration or payment of dividends is consistent with the Board of Governors' Policy Statement on the Payment of Cash Dividends by State Member Banks and Bank Holding Companies, dated November 14, 1985 (Federal Reserve Regulatory Service, 4-877 at page 4-323) and the Georgia Department of Banking and Finance Statement of Policies.

#### **Debt and Stock Redemption**

- 21. (a) Brand and its nonbank subsidiaries shall not, directly or indirectly, incur, increase, or guarantee any debt without the prior written approval of the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner. All requests for prior written approval shall contain, but not be limited to, a statement regarding the purpose of the debt, the terms of the debt, and the planned source(s) for debt repayment, and an analysis of the cash flow resources available to meet such debt repayment.
- (b) Brand shall not, directly or indirectly, purchase or redeem any shares of its stock without the prior written approval of the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner.

#### Cash Flow

22. Within 60 days of this Agreement, the Brand shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner a written statement of its planned sources and uses of cash for debt service, operating expenses, and other purposes ("Cash Flow Projection") for 2010 and 2011. Brand shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner a Cash Flow Projection for each calendar year subsequent to 2011 at least one month prior to the beginning of that calendar year.

# **Compliance with Laws and Regulations**

- 23. The board of directors of the Bank shall take all necessary steps to ensure the Bank's future compliance with all applicable laws and regulations.
- 24. In appointing any new director or senior executive officer, or changing the responsibilities of any senior executive officer so that the officer would assume a different senior executive officer position, Brand and the Bank shall comply with the notice provisions of Section 32 of the FDI Act (12 U.S.C. § 1831i) and Subpart H of Regulation Y of the Board of Governors (12 C.F.R. §§ 225.71 *et seq.*) and also provide written notice to the Commissioner.

25. Brand and the Bank shall comply with the restrictions on indemnification and severance payments of Section 18(k) of the FDI Act (12 U.S.C. § 1828(k)) and Part 359 of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's regulations (12 C.F.R. Part 359).

#### Compliance with the Agreement

- 26. (a) Within 10 days of this Agreement, the board of directors of the Bank shall appoint a committee (the "Compliance Committee") to monitor and coordinate the Bank's compliance with the provisions of this Agreement. The Compliance Committee shall include a majority of outside directors who are not executive officers or principal shareholders of the Bank, as defined in Sections 215.2(e)(1) and 215.2 (m)(1) of Regulation O of the Board of Governors (12 C.F.R. §§ 215.2(e)(1) and 215.2(m)(1). At a minimum, the Compliance Committee shall meet at least monthly, keep detailed minutes of each meeting, and report its findings to the board of directors of the Bank.
- (b) Within 30 days after the end of each calendar quarter following the date of this Agreement, Brand's and the Bank's boards of directors shall submit to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner written progress reports detailing the form and manner of all actions taken to secure compliance with this Agreement and the results thereof.

# **Approval and Implementation of Plans and Programs**

27. (a) The Bank and, as applicable, Brand shall submit written plans and programs that are acceptable to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner within the applicable time periods set forth in paragraphs 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 12(a), 12(b), 13(c), 14, 15, 16, and 17(b) of this Agreement. An independent consultant acceptable to the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner shall be retained within the time period set forth in paragraph 5(a).

- (b) Within 10 days of approval by the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner, the Bank and, as applicable, Brand, shall adopt the approved plans and programs. Upon adoption, the Bank and, as applicable, Brand, shall promptly implement the approved plans and programs and thereafter fully comply with them.
- (c) During the term of this Agreement, the approved plans and programs shall not be amended or rescinded without the prior written approval of the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner.

#### **Communications**

- 28. All communications regarding this Agreement shall be sent to:
  - (a) Mr. Robert Hawkins
    Assistant Vice President
    Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta
    1000 Peachtree Street, N.E.
    Atlanta, Georgia 30309-4470
  - (b) Mr. Robert M. Braswell
    Commissioner
    Department of Banking and Finance
    State of Georgia
    2990 Brandywine Road, Suite 200
    Atlanta, Georgia 30341-5565
  - (c) Mr. Bartow Morgan, Jr.
     Chairman and Chief Executive Officer
     Brand Group Holdings, Inc.
     The Brand Banking Company
     P.O. Box 1110
     Lawrenceville, Georgia 30046-1110

#### Miscellaneous

29. Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement, the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner may, in their sole discretion, grant written extensions of time to Brand and the Bank to comply with any provision of this Agreement.

- 30. The provisions of this Agreement shall be binding upon Brand, the Bank, and their institution-affiliated parties, in their capacities as such, and their successors and assigns.
- 31. Each provision of this Agreement shall remain effective and enforceable until stayed, modified, terminated, or suspended in writing by the Reserve Bank and the Commissioner.
- 32. The provisions of this Agreement shall not bar, estop, or otherwise prevent the Board of Governors, the Reserve Bank, the Commissioner, or any other federal or state agency from taking any other action affecting Brand, the Bank, or any of their current or former institution-affiliated parties and their successors and assigns.
- 33. Pursuant to Section 50 of the FDI Act (12 U.S.C. § 1831aa), this Agreement is enforceable by the Board of Governors under Section 8 of the FDI Act (12 U.S.C. § 1818).

34. This Agreement is issued by the Commissioner under Section 7-1-91(d) of the Financial Institutions Code of Georgia.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed as of August 2, 2010.

BRAND GROUP HOLDINGS, INC. FEDERAL RESERVE BANK AND THE

OF ATLANTA

By: /s/ Bartow Morgan, Jr. By: /s/ Robert Hawkins

Bartow Morgan, Jr. Robert Hawkins

Assistant Vice President

THE BRAND BANKING COMPANY BANKING COMMISSIONER OF

THE STATE OF GEORGIA

By: /s/ Bartow Morgan, Jr. By: /s/ Robert M. Braswell

Bartow Morgan, Jr. Robert M. Braswell Commissioner