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BY ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION

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RE: Proposed Guidance on Leveraged Lending (Docket Nos. OCC-2011-0028 & OP-1439)

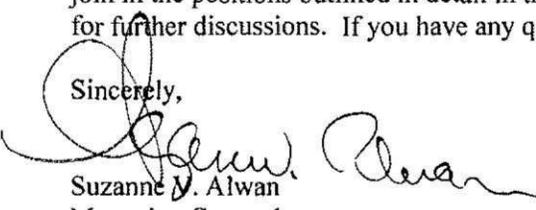
Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

Wells Fargo & Company, and its subsidiary insured depository institutions, including Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. (collectively, "Wells Fargo" or "we"), appreciates the opportunity to comment on the Proposed Leveraged Lending Guidance published by the Office of the Comptroller, Treasury ("OCC"), Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System ("Board" or "Federal Reserve"), and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC", and collectively with the OCC and the Board, the "Agencies") in the Federal Register on March 30, 2012 (the "Proposed Guidance")<sup>1</sup>. We continue to support the Agencies efforts to ensure that financial institutions provide leveraged financing in a safe and sound manner.

We fully endorse the positions outlined in the joint comment letter regarding the Proposal from the Loan Sales and Trading Association and the American Bankers Association (together, the "Associations").

We appreciate the opportunity to provide our comments and concerns regarding the Proposed Guidance and join in the positions outlined in detail in the Associations' joint comment letter. We welcome the opportunity for further discussions. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at (704) 383-6298.

Sincerely,

  
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<sup>1</sup> Proposed Guidance on Leveraged Lending, 77 Fed. Reg. 19,417 (proposed Mar. 30, 2012)