Meeting Between Vice Chair Jefferson, Governor Cook, and Staff of the Federal Reserve Board and Representatives from Large U.S. Banking Organizations November 9, 2023

Participants: Vice Chair Philip N. Jefferson, Governor Lisa D. Cook, Lucy Chang, Candace Herring, Clara Vega, Dafina Stewart, and Juan Climent (Federal Reserve Board)

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Summary: Vice Chair Jefferson, Governor Cook, and staff of the Federal Reserve Board met with representatives of several large banking organizations regarding the agencies' Basel III endgame notice of proposed rulemaking. The discussion focused primarily on the proposal's implementation of the Basel III reforms. The representatives highlighted concerns regarding the measurement and calibration of the proposed requirements, including potential resulting increases in the cost of lending and capital markets activity.