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AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN American Bank and Trust Company, National Association Davenport, Iowa and The Comptroller of the Currency

American Bank and Trust Company, National Association, Davenport, Iowa ("Bank") and the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States of America ("Comptroller") wish to protect the interests of the depositors, other customers, and shareholders of the Bank, and, toward that end, wish the Bank to operate safely and soundly and in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations.

The Comptroller has found unsafe or unsound banking practices relating to credit risk management.

In consideration of the above premises, it is agreed, between the Bank, by and through its duly elected and acting Board of Directors ("Board"), and the Comptroller, through his authorized representative, that the Bank shall operate at all times in compliance with the articles of this Agreement.

ARTICLE I

JURISDICTION

(1) This Agreement shall be construed to be a "written agreement entered into with the agency" within the meaning of 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b)(1).

(2) This Agreement shall be construed to be a "written agreement between such depository institution and such agency" within the meaning of 12 U.S.C.

§ 1818(e)(1) and 12 U.S.C. § 1818(i)(2).

(3) This Agreement shall be construed to be a "formal written agreement" within the meaning of 12 C.F.R. § 5.51(c)(6)(ii). See 12 U.S.C. § 1831i.

(4) This Agreement shall be construed to be a "written agreement" within the meaning of 12 U.S.C. § 1818(u)(1)(A).

(5) All reports or plans which the Bank or Board has agreed to submit to the Assistant Deputy Comptroller pursuant to this Agreement shall be forwarded to the:

Assistant Deputy Comptroller North Central Illinois and Eastern Iowa Field Office 111 West Washington Street, Suite 300 East Peoria, Illinois 61611-2532

ARTICLE II

COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE RISK MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

(1) Within sixty (60) days, the Board shall revise, implement, and thereafter

ensure adherence to its commercial real estate loan risk management program designed to ensure that the Bank effectively identifies, monitors, and controls its commercial real estate risks, including concentration risk. The program shall be consistent with the guidance contained in OCC 2006-46, Concentrations in Commercial Real Estate Lending, Sound Risk Management Practices, and include, at a minimum:

(a) Management information systems (MIS) that:

- stratify the commercial real estate portfolio by property or collateral type, geographic market, risk rating, loan structure (for example, fixed rate or adjustable), loan purpose (for example, construction, short-term, or permanent), loan-to-value limits, debt service coverage, and policy exceptions on newly underwritten credit facilities;
- (ii) identify and aggregate exposures to a single borrower or related borrowers; and
- (iii) clearly identify changes in the portfolio's risk profile, including risk-rating migrations.
- (b) Board-approved concentration limits and sub-limits.
- (c) Guidelines for the periodic receipt of market analyses for the various property types and geographic markets represented in concentrations within the portfolio.

Upon adoption, a copy of the program shall be forwarded to the AssistantDeputy Comptroller for review and determination of no supervisory objection.

(3) The Board shall ensure that the Bank has policies, processes, personnel, and control systems to ensure implementation of and adherence to the procedures developed pursuant to this Article.

ARTICLE III

LOAN RISK RATING SYSTEM

(1) Within thirty (30) days, and on an ongoing basis thereafter, the Board must ensure that the Bank's internal risk ratings of credit relationships are timely, accurate, and consistent with the regulatory credit classification criteria set forth in Rating Credit Risk, A-RCR, of the <u>Comptroller's Handbook</u> and the OCC's <u>Summary of Key Principles: Construction & Development Lending</u>, dated April 8, 2008. At a minimum, the Board must ensure, on an ongoing basis, that with respect to the Bank's assessment of credit risk:

- (a) the primary consideration is the strength of the borrower's primary source of repayment (i.e., the probability of default rather than the risk of loss);
- (b) the strength of the borrower's primary source of repayment is determined through analysis of the borrower's historical and projected financial statements, past performance, and future prospects in light of conditions that have occurred or may occur during the term of the loan;
- (c) collateral, non-government guarantees, and other similar credit risk mitigants that affect potential loss in the event of default (rather than the probability of default) are taken into consideration only if the primary source of repayment has weakened and the probability of default has increased;

- (d) collateral values reflect a current assessment of value based on actual market conditions and project status;
- (e) credit risk ratings are reviewed and updated whenever relevant new information is received; and
- (f) the credit risk rating analysis is documented and available for review by the Board and the OCC upon request.

(2) Within thirty (30) days, and on an ongoing basis thereafter, the Board must ensure that any loan relationship with a high probability of payment default or other well-defined weaknesses is rated no better than Substandard, regardless of the existence of illiquid collateral, non-government guarantees, and other similar credit risk of loss mitigants. A well-defined weakness in a loan relationship may include, but is not limited to, slow leasing or sales activity resulting in protracted repayment or default on the loan, changes in concept or plan due to unfavorable market conditions, materially deteriorated market conditions, delinquent taxes, or the inability to obtain necessary zoning or permits.

(3) Within thirty (30) days, the Board must revise its credit risk rating management information system to include a summary of loan portfolio data highlighting trends in, and condition of, the quality of loans rated pass.

(4) Upon adoption, a copy of the program shall be forwarded to the AssistantDeputy Comptroller for review and determination of no supervisory objection.

(5) The Board shall ensure that the Bank has policies, processes, personnel, and control systems to ensure implementation of and adherence to the procedures developed pursuant to this Article.

ARTICLE IV

REAL ESTATE VALUATION PROGRAM

(1) Within sixty (60) days, the Board shall adopt, implement, and thereafter ensure adherence to a written real estate valuation program designed to ensure that the Bank assesses and maintains current information on the adequacy of collateral securing its commercial real estate loans. The program shall, at a minimum:

- (a) provide for the independence of the persons ordering, performing, and reviewing appraisals;
- (b) establish selection criteria and procedures to evaluate and monitor the ongoing performance of persons who perform appraisals;
- (c) ensure that appraisals contain sufficient information to support the appraised value;
- (d) maintain criteria for content and appropriate use of real estate evaluations;
- (e) provide for the receipt and review of the appraisal or evaluation report in a timely manner to support credit decisions;
- (f) develop criteria to assess the validity of existing appraisals or evaluations to support subsequent transactions;

- (g) implement internal controls that promote compliance with the appraisal regulation, the Interagency Appraisal and Evaluation Guidelines, and industry appraisal standards;
- (h) ensure that policies clearly outline situations where appraisals should be updated such as when a credit deteriorates, there are materially negative market trends, or stress testing indicates concentrations are increasingly susceptible to market variances, etc; and
- (i) establish criteria for obtaining appraisals or evaluations for transactions that are not otherwise covered by regulatory requirements.

Upon adoption, a copy of the program shall be forwarded to the AssistantDeputy Comptroller for review and determination of no supervisory objection.

(3) The Board shall ensure that the Bank has policies, processes, personnel, and control systems to ensure implementation of and adherence to the procedures developed pursuant to this Article.

ARTICLE V

BROKERED DEPOSITS

(1) The Bank's ratio of total brokered deposits to total liabilities shall not exceed seven percent (7%) without obtaining the prior written determination of no supervisory objection from the Assistant Deputy Comptroller. "Brokered deposit" shall have the meaning set forth in 12 C.F.R. § 337.6(a)(2). The limitation of this paragraph shall include the acquisition of brokered deposits through any transfer, purchase, or sale of assets, including Federal funds transactions.

(2) If the Bank seeks to acquire brokered deposits above the level in paragraph (1) of this Article, the Board shall apply to the Assistant Deputy Comptroller for written permission. Such application shall contain, at a minimum, the following:

- (a) the dollar volume, maturities, and cost of the brokered deposits to be acquired;
- (b) the proposed use of the brokered deposits, i.e., short-term liquidity or restructuring of liabilities to reduce cost;
- (c) alternative funding sources available to the Bank; and
- (d) the reasons why the Bank believes that the acceptance of the brokered deposits does not constitute an unsafe and unsound practice in its particular circumstances.

(3) The Assistant Deputy Comptroller may require the submission of such additional information as necessary to make an informed decision. Upon consideration of the Bank's application, the Assistant Deputy Comptroller will determine whether the proposed acquisition of brokered deposits may be accomplished in a safe and sound manner and may condition the Bank's acquisition as the Assistant Deputy Comptroller shall deem appropriate.

(4) Nothing in this article shall relieve the Bank of its obligation under 12U.S.C. § 1831f to seek necessary approvals from the Federal Deposit Insurance

Corporation before accepting brokered deposits and to comply with all the requirements of 12 U.S.C. § 1831f.

ARTICLE VI

VIOLATIONS OF LAW

(1) The Board shall immediately take all necessary steps to ensure that Bank management corrects each violation of law, rule or regulation cited in the Report of Examination ("ROE") and in any subsequent ROE.

(2) Within thirty (30) days, the Board shall adopt, implement, and thereafter ensure Bank adherence to specific procedures to prevent future violations as cited in the ROE and shall adopt, implement, and ensure Bank adherence to general procedures addressing compliance management which incorporate internal control systems and education of employees regarding laws, rules and regulations applicable to their areas of responsibility.

(3) Within thirty (30) days of receipt of any subsequent Report of Examination which cites violations of law, rule, or regulation, the Board shall adopt, implement, and thereafter ensure Bank adherence to specific procedures to prevent future violations as cited in the ROE and shall adopt, implement, and ensure Bank adherence to general procedures addressing compliance management which incorporate internal control systems and education of employees regarding laws, rules and regulations applicable to their areas of responsibility.

(4) Upon adoption, a copy of these procedures shall be promptly forwarded to the Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

(5) The Board shall ensure that the Bank has policies, processes, personnel, and control systems to ensure implementation of and adherence to the procedures developed pursuant to this Article.

ARTICLE VII

<u>CLOSING</u>

(1) Although the Board has agreed to submit certain programs and reports to the Assistant Deputy Comptroller for review or prior written determination of no supervisory objection, the Board has the ultimate responsibility for proper and sound management of the Bank.

(2) It is expressly and clearly understood that if, at any time, the Comptroller deems it appropriate in fulfilling the responsibilities placed upon him/her by the several laws of the United States of America to undertake any action affecting the Bank, nothing in this Agreement shall in any way inhibit, estop, bar, or otherwise prevent the Comptroller from so doing.

(3) Any time limitations imposed by this Agreement shall begin to run from the effective date of this Agreement. Such time requirements may be extended in writing by the Assistant Deputy Comptroller for good cause upon written application by the Board. (4) The provisions of this Agreement shall be effective upon execution by the parties hereto and its provisions shall continue in full force and effect unless or until such provisions are amended in writing by mutual consent of the parties to the Agreement or excepted, waived, or terminated in writing by the Comptroller.

(5) In each instance in this Agreement in which the Board is required to ensure adherence to, and undertake to perform certain obligations of the Bank, it is intended to mean that the Board shall:

- (a) authorize and adopt such actions on behalf of the Bank as may be necessary for the Bank to perform its obligations and undertakings under the terms of this Agreement;
- (b) require the timely reporting by Bank management of such actions directed by the Board to be taken under the terms of this Agreement;
- (c) follow-up on any non-compliance with such actions in a timely and appropriate manner; and
- (d) require corrective action be taken in a timely manner of any noncompliance with such actions.

(6) This Agreement is intended to be, and shall be construed to be, a supervisory "written agreement entered into with the agency" as contemplated by 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b)(1), and expressly does not form, and may not be construed to form, a contract binding on the Comptroller or the United States. Notwithstanding the absence of mutuality of obligation, or of consideration, or of a contract, the Comptroller may enforce any of the commitments or obligations herein undertaken by the Bank under his supervisory powers, including 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b)(1), and not as a matter of contract law. The Bank expressly acknowledges that neither the Bank nor the Comptroller has any intention to enter into a contract. The Bank also expressly acknowledges that no officer or employee of the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency has statutory or other authority to bind the United States, the U.S. Treasury Department, the Comptroller, or any other federal bank regulatory agency or entity, or any officer or employee of any of those entities to a contract affecting the Comptroller's exercise of his supervisory responsibilities. The terms of this Agreement, including this paragraph, are not subject to amendment or modification by any extraneous expression, prior agreements or prior arrangements between the parties, whether oral or written.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned, authorized by the Comptroller, has hereunto set her hand on behalf of the Comptroller.

/s/

08/17/09

Gary L. Baranowski Assistant Deputy Comptroller North Central Illinois and Eastern Iowa Field Office

Date

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned, as the duly elected and acting Board of Directors of the Bank, have hereunto set their hands on behalf of the Bank.

/s/ Jim Bellig	8-17-09
	Date
/s/ Dennis Craven	8-17-09
	Date
/s/ Steven R. Schroder	8/17/09
	Date
/s/ Stanley H. Coin	8/17/09
	Date
/s/ Nathan Koch	8/17/09
	Date
/s/ James V. Russell	8.17.09
	Date
/s/ Harry S. Coin	8-17-09
	Date
/s/ Pryce Boeye	8/17/09
	Date
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