

#2015-066

Amends #2011-049 and #2013-128

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY**

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In the Matter of:)	
)	AMENDS AA-EC-11-18
U.S. Bank National Association)	and
Cincinnati, Ohio)	#2013-128

**CONSENT ORDER AMENDING THE
2011 CONSENT ORDER and 2013 AMENDMENT TO THE 2011 CONSENT ORDER**

The Comptroller of the Currency of the United States of America (“Comptroller”) and U.S. Bank National Association, Cincinnati, Ohio (“Bank”) hereby agree to amendments of Consent Order, AA-EC-11-18, dated April 13, 2011 (“2011 Consent Order”), and the Amendment to the 2011 Consent Order, dated February 28, 2013 (“2013 ACO”), (collectively, the “Consent Order”).¹ The Bank, by and through its duly elected and acting Board of Directors (“Board”), has executed a Stipulation and Consent to the Issuance of an Amendment to the Consent Order (“Amendment”), dated June 16, 2015 (“Stipulation”), which is accepted by the Comptroller and incorporated by reference herein.

WHEREAS, the Bank has failed to comply with Articles III, IV, V, and IX of the Consent Order. The eighteen (18) remaining actionable items of the ninety-eight (98) actionable items in the Consent Order are included in this Amendment;

WHEREAS, the Bank is in continuing noncompliance with and in violation of the Consent Order, and continues to engage in unsafe and unsound practices;

¹ The 2011 Consent Order remains in full force and effect, as amended herein.

WHEREAS, upon execution of this Amendment, the OCC is placing the Bank under the following supervisory restrictions: (1) no execution of new contracts or the amendment or renewal of existing contracts beyond current loan volume specified in existing contracts for the acquisition, by the Bank, of residential mortgage servicing, residential mortgage servicing rights, residential mortgage loans with servicing, or residential mortgage origination business entities without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order (this does not apply to originations or refinancings by the Bank, contracts for new residential mortgage loans through the Bank's broker or correspondent channels, or other contractual relationships where the Bank does not ultimately service the loans, and this is not intended to disrupt any of the Bank's existing residential mortgage servicing related contracts); (2) no execution of new contracts for the Bank to perform residential mortgage servicing for other parties without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order; (3) no residential mortgage servicing related activities may be outsourced or sub-serviced to other parties without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order (this is not intended to disrupt any of the Bank's existing residential mortgage servicing related contracts, outsourced activities, or obligations pursuant to legal settlement, nor prohibit new contracts to outsource activities that are currently outsourced); (4) no new off-shoring of residential mortgage servicing related activities without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order; and (5) no new appointments of senior officers who have responsibility for residential mortgage servicing, residential mortgage servicing operations, residential mortgage servicing risk management, and residential mortgage servicing compliance without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order;

WHEREAS, the OCC will also take additional supervisory and/or enforcement actions, including possible civil money penalties, subject to all appropriate procedural processes, in order to address the Bank's overall noncompliance with the Consent Order, the nature and severity of which will reflect the nature, length and severity of the Bank's continued noncompliance through final termination of the Consent Order;

WHEREAS, notwithstanding this Amendment, the OCC continues to retain oversight and jurisdiction of the Independent Foreclosure Review Qualified Settlement Fund 1 ("IFR QSF1") established by the 2013 ACO for the administration of payments to borrowers of OCC regulated institutions until such time as the paying agent is directed to file a final return with the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") for IFR QSF1 and IFR QSF1 is thereafter terminated; and

WHEREAS, the OCC has determined that uncashed payments to borrowers of OCC regulated institutions should remain available to such borrowers, or such borrowers' rightful heirs, through the states' escheatment processes, after IFR QSF1 is terminated.

ARTICLE I

COMPTROLLER'S FINDINGS

(1) The Comptroller's Findings under Article I of the Consent Order are hereby incorporated in full.

(2) The OCC has determined the Bank has failed to comply with Articles III, IV, V, and IX of the Consent Order.

(3) The OCC has determined the Bank is in continuing noncompliance with and in violation of the Consent Order, and continues to engage in unsafe and unsound practices.

(4) This Amendment includes the eighteen (18) remaining actionable items under the Consent Order and imposes business restrictions upon the Bank through termination of the Consent Order.

Pursuant to the authority vested in him by the Federal Deposit Insurance Act, as amended, 12 U.S.C. §1818(b), the Comptroller hereby ORDERS that:

ARTICLE II

COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE

The provisions of Article II of the Consent Order are hereby revised as follows:

(1) The Board shall continue to maintain a Compliance Committee of at least three (3) directors, of which at least two (2) are outside directors who are not executive officers of the Bank or its holding company as defined in 12 C.F.R. § 215.2(e)(1) of Regulation O. In the event of a change of the membership, the name of any new member shall be submitted to the Examiner-in-Charge for Large Bank Supervision at the Bank (“Examiner-in-Charge”).

The Compliance Committee shall be responsible for monitoring and coordinating the Bank’s compliance with the provisions of this Amendment. The Compliance Committee shall meet at least monthly and maintain minutes of its meetings.

(2) Within thirty (30) days after the end of each quarter, the Compliance Committee shall submit a written progress report to the Board setting forth in detail actions taken to comply with each remaining article of the Consent Order, and the results and status of those actions.

(3) The Board shall forward a copy of the Compliance Committee’s report, with any additional comments by the Board, to the Examiner-in-Charge within ten (10) days of receiving such report.

ARTICLE III

COMPREHENSIVE ACTION PLAN

The provisions of Article III of the Consent Order are hereby revised as follows:

(1) The Bank has submitted to the Examiner-in-Charge an update to its action plan containing a complete description of the actions that are necessary and appropriate to achieve compliance with Articles III, IV, V, and IX of the Consent Order (the updated action plan and all previously accepted action plans and updates are collectively referred to as the “Revised Action Plan”). The Bank is required to execute all items contained within the Revised Action Plan. In the event the Deputy Comptroller for Large Bank Supervision (“Deputy Comptroller”) or the Examiner-in-Charge asks the Bank to further amend the Revised Action Plan, the Bank shall promptly make the requested revisions and resubmit the Revised Action Plan to the Examiner-in-Charge and the Bank shall not take any action that would constitute a significant deviation from, or material change to, the requirements of the Revised Action Plan, unless and until the Bank has received a prior written determination of no supervisory objection from the Deputy Comptroller or the Examiner-in-Charge.

(2) The Board shall ensure that the Bank achieves and thereafter maintains compliance with the Consent Order, including, without limitation, successful implementation of the Revised Action Plan. The Board shall further ensure that, upon implementation of the Revised Action Plan, the Bank achieves and maintains effective mortgage servicing, foreclosure, and Loss Mitigation activities (as defined in the 2011 Consent Order), as well as associated risk management, compliance, quality control, audit, training, staffing, and related functions. In order to comply with these requirements, the Board shall:

(a) require the timely reporting by Bank management of such actions directed

by the Board to be taken under this Amendment;

(b) follow-up on any noncompliance with such actions in a timely and appropriate manner; and

(c) require corrective action be taken in a timely manner for any noncompliance with such actions.

(3) The Revised Action Plan includes:

(a) all actions required to complete the remedial activities and validation of such actions to ensure compliance with the requirements of this Amendment;

(b) financial resources to develop and implement an adequate infrastructure to support and execute the Revised Action Plan;

(c) organizational structure, managerial resources, and staffing to support the remedial activities required by the Revised Action Plan;

(d) metrics to measure and assess effectiveness of remedial action required by the Revised Action Plan; and

(e) governance and controls designed to comply with all Legal Requirements (as defined in the 2011 Consent Order), supervisory guidance, and the requirements of this Amendment.

(4) The Revised Action Plan specifies timelines for completion of each of the requirements of Articles III, IV, V, and IX of the Consent Order. The timelines in the Revised Action Plan shall be consistent with any deadlines set forth in this Amendment.

ARTICLE IV

COMPLIANCE PROGRAM

(1) The Bank has demonstrated compliance with all of the requirements of Article

IV of the Consent Order except for the following provisions, which remain in noncompliance:

- (a) the Bank shall implement its Revised Action Plan and ensure its compliance program, at a minimum, includes:
 - (i) processes to ensure that all factual assertions made in pleadings, declarations, affidavits, or other sworn statements filed by or on behalf of the Bank are accurate, complete, timely, and reliable; and that affidavits and declarations are based on personal knowledge or a review of the Bank's books and records when the affidavit or declaration so states;
 - (ii) processes to ensure that a clear and auditable trail exists for all factual information contained in each affidavit or declaration, in support of each of the charges that are listed, including whether the amount is chargeable to the borrower and/or claimable by the investor;
 - (iii) processes to ensure that foreclosure sales (including the calculation of the default period, the amounts due, and compliance with notice requirements) and post-sale confirmations are in accordance with the terms of the mortgage loan and applicable state and federal law requirements;
 - (iv) processes to ensure that all fees, expenses, and other charges imposed on the borrower are assessed in accordance with the terms of the underlying mortgage note, mortgage, or other customer authorization with respect to the imposition of fees, charges, and expenses, and designed to comply with all applicable Legal Requirements and OCC

supervisory guidance;

(v) ongoing testing for compliance with applicable Legal Requirements and OCC supervisory guidance that is completed by qualified persons with requisite knowledge and ability (which may include internal audit) who are independent of the Bank's business lines; and

(vi) appropriate procedures for customers in bankruptcy, including a prohibition on collection of fees in violation of bankruptcy's automatic stay (11 U.S.C. § 362), the discharge injunction (11 U.S.C. § 524), or any applicable court order.

ARTICLE V

THIRD PARTY MANAGEMENT

(1) The Bank has demonstrated compliance with all of the requirements of Article V of the Consent Order except for the following provisions, which remain in noncompliance:

(a) the Bank shall implement its Revised Action Plan and ensure its policies and procedures for outsourcing foreclosure or related functions, including Loss Mitigation and loan modification, and property management functions for residential real estate acquired through or in lieu of foreclosure, to any agent, independent contractor, consulting firm, law firm (including local counsel in foreclosure or bankruptcy proceedings retained to represent the interests of the owners of mortgages), property management firm, or other third-party (including any affiliate of the Bank) ("Third- Party Provider") includes, at a minimum:

(i) processes to ensure periodic reviews of Third-Party Provider work

for timeliness, competence, completeness, and compliance with all applicable Legal Requirements and supervisory guidance, and to ensure that foreclosures are conducted in a safe and sound manner.

ARTICLE VI

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEM

(1) The OCC has determined the Bank has demonstrated compliance with Article VI of the Consent Order.

ARTICLE VII

FORECLOSURE REVIEW

- (1) Article VII of the 2011 Consent Order was superseded by the 2013 ACO.
- (2) The OCC has determined the Bank has demonstrated compliance with the 2013 ACO.

ARTICLE VIII

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS

(1) The OCC has determined the Bank has demonstrated compliance with Article VIII of the Consent Order.

ARTICLE IX

MORTGAGE SERVICING

- (1) The Bank has demonstrated compliance with all of the requirements of Article IX of the Consent Order except for the following provisions, which remain in noncompliance:
 - (a) the Bank shall implement its Revised Action Plan and ensure effective coordination of communications with borrowers, both oral and written, related to Loss Mitigation or loan modification and foreclosure activities, including, at

a minimum:

- (i) appropriate deadlines for responses to borrower communications and requests for consideration of Loss Mitigation, including deadlines for decision-making on Loss Mitigation Activities, with the metrics established not being less responsive than the timelines in the Home Affordable Modification Program (commonly referred to as “HAMP”);
- (ii) a requirement that written communications with the borrower identify such single point of contact along with one or more direct means of communication with the contact;
- (iii) measures to ensure that the single point of contact has access to current information and personnel (in-house or third-party) sufficient to timely, accurately, and adequately inform the borrower of the current status of the Loss Mitigation, loan modification, and foreclosure activities;
- (iv) measures to ensure that staff are trained specifically in handling mortgage delinquencies, Loss Mitigation, and loan modifications;
- (v) procedures and controls to ensure that a final decision regarding a borrower’s loan modification request (whether on a trial or permanent basis) is made and communicated to the borrower in writing, including the reason(s) why the borrower did not qualify for the trial or permanent modification (including the net present value calculations utilized by the Bank, if applicable) by the single point of contact within a reasonable period of time before any foreclosure sale occurs;

- (vi) policies and procedures to enable borrowers to make complaints regarding the Loss Mitigation or modification process, denial of modification requests, the foreclosure process, or foreclosure activities which prevent a borrower from pursuing Loss Mitigation or modification options, and a process for making borrowers aware of the complaint procedures;
- (vii) procedures for the prompt review, escalation, and resolution of borrower complaints, including a process to communicate the results of the review to the borrower on a timely basis;
- (viii) policies and procedures to ensure that payments are credited in a prompt and timely manner; that payments, including partial payments to the extent permissible under the terms of applicable legal instruments, are applied to scheduled principal, interest, and/or escrow before fees, and that any misapplication of borrower funds is corrected in a prompt and timely manner;
- (ix) policies and procedures to ensure that timely information about Loss Mitigation options is sent to the borrower in the event of a delinquency or default, including plain language notices about loan modification and the pendency of foreclosure proceedings; and
- (x) policies and procedures to ensure that foreclosure, Loss Mitigation, and loan modification documents provided to borrowers and third parties are appropriately maintained and tracked, and that borrowers generally will not be required to resubmit the same documented

information that has already been provided, and that borrowers are notified promptly of the need for additional information.

ARTICLE X

RISK ASSESSMENT AND RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN

(1) The OCC has determined the Bank has demonstrated compliance with Article X of the Consent Order.

ARTICLE XI

APPROVAL, IMPLEMENTATION AND REPORTS

The provisions of Article XI of the Consent Order are hereby revised as follows:

(1) The Bank shall submit any revised plans required by this Amendment for review to the Examiner-in-Charge and determination of no supervisory objection by the Deputy Comptroller or the Examiner-in-Charge. The Bank shall adopt and implement the revised plans upon submission to the OCC, and shall immediately modify its plans in accordance with any revisions directed by the Deputy Comptroller or the Examiner-in-Charge.

(2) Any determination of no supervisory objection to the Revised Action Plan does not constitute an extension of the compliance deadlines for previously approved plans submitted pursuant to the Consent Order.

(3) Following issuance of this Amendment, the Bank shall not amend or deviate from the revised plans in any material respect without the prior written approval of the Deputy Comptroller or the Examiner-in-Charge (except as otherwise provided in this Amendment).

(4) Following the issuance of this Amendment, the Bank shall further revise the plans as necessary to incorporate new or changes to applicable Legal Requirements and supervisory guidelines.

(5) The Board shall ensure that the Bank has processes, personnel, and control

systems to ensure implementation of and adherence to the revised plans required by this Amendment.

(6) Within forty (40) days after the end of each calendar quarter following the issuance of this Amendment, the Bank shall submit to the OCC a written progress report detailing the form and manner of all actions taken to secure compliance with the provisions of this Amendment and the results thereof. The progress report shall include information sufficient to validate compliance with the Consent Order, based on a testing program acceptable to the OCC that includes, if required by the OCC, validation by third-party independent consultants acceptable to the OCC. The OCC may, in writing, discontinue the requirement for progress reports or modify the reporting schedule.

(7) All communication regarding the Consent Order shall be sent to:

Grace Dailey
Examiner-in-Charge
National Bank Examiners
U.S. Bancorp Center
800 Nicollet Mall
BC-MN-H170
Minneapolis, MN 55402

ARTICLE XII

COMPLIANCE AND EXTENSIONS OF TIME

The provisions of Article XII of the Consent Order are hereby revised as follows:

(1) If the Bank contends that compliance with any provision of the Consent Order would not be feasible or legally permissible for the Bank, or requires an extension of any timeframe within this Amendment, the Board shall submit a written request to the Deputy Comptroller asking for relief. Any written requests submitted pursuant to this Article shall include a statement setting forth in detail the special circumstances that prevent the Bank from

complying with a provision, that require the Deputy Comptroller to exempt the Bank from a provision, or that require an extension of a timeframe within this Amendment.

(2) All such requests shall be accompanied by relevant supporting documentation, and to the extent requested by the Deputy Comptroller, a sworn affidavit or affidavits setting forth any other facts upon which the Bank relies. The Deputy Comptroller's decision concerning a request is final and not subject to further review.

ARTICLE XIII

OTHER PROVISIONS

The provisions of Article XIII of the Consent Order are hereby revised as follows:

(1) The Bank is in continuing noncompliance with and in violation of the Consent Order, and continues to engage in unsafe and unsound practices.

(2) The OCC will take additional supervisory and/or enforcement action, including possible civil money penalties, subject to all appropriate procedural processes, in order to address the Bank's noncompliance with the Consent Order, the nature and severity of which will reflect the nature, length and severity of the Bank's continued noncompliance through final termination of the Consent Order.

(3) By stipulating to the issuance of this Amendment, the Bank has not consented to any enforcement actions beyond those enumerated in this Amendment, and fully retains its right to contest future actions.

(4) Notwithstanding any other terms of this Amendment, the Comptroller specifically reserves and does not release the following:

(a) any right to institute an enforcement action for violations of the Articles

contained in the Consent Order, with the exception of Article VII of the 2011 Consent Order, including the assessment of civil money penalties;

(b) any and all claims based upon acts or omissions subsequent to the effective date of the 2013 ACO;

(c) any and all claims based upon the origination of a residential mortgage loan, or the sale or transfer of a mortgage, security, or whole loan, whether legal or equitable, to, into, or for the benefit of a mortgage-backed security, trust, or special interest entity, including but not limited to mortgage loan securitizations and whole loan sales to such entities, except for any and all claims addressed in subparagraph (b) above;

(d) any liability arising under the Fair Housing Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 3601, *et seq.*, or any other statute or law that prohibits discrimination of persons based on race, color, national origin, gender, disability, or any other protected status, including the non-discrimination provisions of the Equal Credit Opportunity Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1691, *et seq.*, or under the Federal Trade Commission Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 41, *et seq.*, or any other statute or law that prohibits unfair or deceptive practices;

(e) any and all claims against individuals, including current and former employees, agents, officers, directors, or contractors of the Bank; and

(f) any and all actions to enforce the terms and conditions of this Amendment.

(5) Although this Amendment requires the Bank to submit certain action plans, programs, policies, and procedures for the review or prior written determination of no supervisory objection by the Deputy Comptroller or the Examiner-in-Charge, the Board has the

ultimate responsibility for proper and sound management of the Bank.

(6) In each instance in the Consent Order 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 the Consent Order;
- (b) require the timely reporting by Bank management of such actions directed by the Board to be taken under the terms of the Consent Order;
- (c) follow-up on any material noncompliance with such actions in a timely and appropriate manner; and
- (d) require corrective action be taken in a timely manner of any material non-compliance with such actions.

(7) If, at any time, the Comptroller deems it appropriate in fulfilling the responsibilities placed upon him by the several laws of the United States to undertake any action affecting the Bank, nothing in the Consent Order or Amendment shall in any way inhibit, estop, bar, or otherwise prevent the Comptroller from so doing.

(8) This Amendment is and shall become effective upon its execution by the Comptroller, through his authorized representative whose hand appears below. The Consent Order shall remain effective and enforceable, except to the extent that, and until such time as, any provision of the Consent Order shall be amended, suspended, waived, or terminated in writing by the Comptroller.

(9) Any time limitations imposed by this Amendment shall begin to run from the

effective date of this Amendment, as shown below, unless the Amendment specifies otherwise.

(10) The terms and provisions of the Consent Order and Amendment apply to the Bank and its subsidiaries, even though those subsidiaries are not named as parties to the Consent Order or Amendment. The Bank shall integrate any foreclosure or mortgage servicing activities done by a subsidiary into its plans, policies, programs, and processes required by the Consent Order and Amendment. The Bank shall ensure that its subsidiaries comply with all terms and provisions of the Consent Order and Amendment.

(11) This Amendment is intended to be, and shall be construed to be, a final order issued pursuant to 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b), and expressly does not form, and may not be construed to form, a contract binding the Comptroller or the United States. Nothing in this Amendment shall affect any action against the Bank or its institution-affiliated parties by a bank regulatory agency, the United States Department of Justice, or any other law enforcement agency, to the extent permitted under applicable law.

(12) The terms of this Amendment, including this paragraph, are not subject to modification by any extraneous expression, prior agreements, or prior arrangements between the parties, whether oral or written.

(13) Nothing in the Stipulation to this Amendment, express or implied, shall give to any person or entity, other than the parties hereto, and their successors hereunder, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under the Stipulation to this Amendment.

(14) The Bank consents to the issuance of this Amendment before the filing of any notices, or taking of any testimony or adjudication, and solely for the purpose of settling this matter without a formal proceeding being filed.

ARTICLE XIV

BUSINESS RESTRICTIONS

(1) The Bank shall not execute any new contracts or amend or renew existing contracts beyond current loan volume specified in existing contracts for the acquisition, by the Bank, of residential mortgage servicing, residential mortgage servicing rights, residential mortgage loans with servicing, or residential mortgage origination business entities without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order. This does not apply to originations or refinancings by the Bank, contracts for new residential mortgage loans through the Bank's broker or correspondent channels, or other contractual relationships where the Bank does not ultimately service the loans, and this is not intended to disrupt any of the Bank's existing residential mortgage servicing related contracts.

(2) The Bank shall not execute any new contracts for the Bank to perform residential mortgage servicing for other parties without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order.

(3) The Bank shall not outsource or sub-service any new residential mortgage servicing related activities to other parties without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order. This is not intended to disrupt any of the Bank's existing residential mortgage servicing related contracts, outsourced activities, or obligations pursuant to legal settlement, nor prohibit new contracts to outsource activities that are currently outsourced.

(4) The Bank shall not off-shore new residential mortgage servicing related activities without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order.

(5) The Bank shall not appoint any new senior officers who have responsibility for

residential mortgage servicing, residential mortgage servicing operations, residential mortgage servicing risk management, and residential mortgage servicing compliance without prior OCC supervisory non-objection until termination of the Consent Order. Within twenty (20) days, the Bank shall submit a list of applicable employee titles subject to this restriction to the Examiner-In-Charge for OCC supervisory non-objection.

ARTICLE XV

ESCHEATMENT OF UNCASHED PAYMENTS

(1) The OCC continues to retain oversight and jurisdiction of IFR QSF1 for the administration of payments to borrowers of OCC regulated institutions until such time as the paying agent is directed to file a final return with the IRS for IFR QSF1 and IFR QSF1 is thereafter terminated.

(2) The OCC directs that any uncashed checks that have passed their stale date issued from IFR QSF1 to borrowers of OCC regulated institutions shall be escheated to the state of the borrower's last known domestic address so that such borrower, or their rightful heirs, will maintain their ability to claim such IFR QSF1 payment pursuant to that state's processes for collecting unclaimed funds.

IT IS SO ORDERED, this 16th day of June, 2015.

_____/s/
Morris R. Morgan
Deputy Comptroller
Large Bank Supervision

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY**

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**STIPULATION AND CONSENT TO THE ISSUANCE OF A
CONSENT ORDER AMENDING THE 2011 CONSENT ORDER and
2013 AMENDMENT TO THE 2011 CONSENT ORDER**

The Comptroller of the Currency of the United States of America (“Comptroller”) intends to amend the April 13, 2011 Consent Order, AA-EC-11-18 (“2011 Consent Order”), and the Amendment to the 2011 Consent Order, dated February 28, 2013 (“2013 ACO”), entered into between the Comptroller and U.S. Bank National Association, Cincinnati, Ohio (“Bank”), (collectively, the “Consent Order”), pursuant to 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b).

The Bank, in the interest of compliance and cooperation, enters into this Stipulation and Consent to the Issuance of a Consent Order Amending the 2011 Consent Order and 2013 ACO (“Stipulation”).

In consideration of the above premises, the Comptroller, through his authorized representative, and the Bank, through its duly elected and acting Board of Directors, stipulate and agree to the following:

ARTICLE I

JURISDICTION

(1) The Bank is a national banking association chartered and examined by the Comptroller pursuant to the National Bank Act of 1864, as amended, 12 U.S.C. § 1 *et seq.*

(2) The Comptroller is “the appropriate Federal banking agency” regarding the Bank pursuant to 12 U.S.C. §§ 1813(q) and 1818(b).

(3) The Bank is an “insured depository institution” within the meaning of 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b)(1).

(4) For the purposes of, and within the meaning of 12 C.F.R. §§ 5.3(g)(4), 5.51(c)(6), and 24.2(e)(4), the Consent Order Amending the 2011 Consent Order and 2013 ACO (“Amendment”) shall not be construed to be a “cease and desist order” or “consent order,” unless the OCC informs the Bank otherwise.

ARTICLE II

AGREEMENT

(1) The Bank, without admitting or denying any wrongdoing, consents and agrees to issuance of the Amendment by the Comptroller.

(2) The Bank consents and agrees that the Amendment shall: (a) be deemed an “order issued with the consent of the depository institution” pursuant to 12 U.S.C. § 1818(h)(2); (b) become effective upon its execution by the Comptroller through his authorized representative; and (c) be fully enforceable by the Comptroller pursuant to 12 U.S.C. § 1818(i).

(3) 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(i), 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.

(4) The Bank declares that no separate promise or inducement of any kind has been made by the Comptroller, or by his agents or employees, to cause or induce the Bank to consent to the issuance of the Amendment and/or execute the Amendment.

(5) The Bank expressly acknowledges that no officer or employee of the Comptroller has statutory or other authority to bind the United States, the United States 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.

(6) The terms and provisions of this Stipulation and the Amendment shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their successors in interest. Nothing in this Stipulation or the Amendment, express or implied, shall give to any person or entity, other than the parties hereto, and their successors hereunder, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under this Stipulation or the Amendment.

ARTICLE III

WAIVERS

(1) The Bank, by consenting to this Stipulation, waives:

(a) any and all procedural rights available in connection with the issuance of the Amendment;

- (b) all rights to a hearing and a final agency decision pursuant to 12 U.S.C. §§ 1818(b) and (h), 12 C.F.R. Part 19;
- (c) all rights to seek any type of administrative or judicial review of the Amendment;
- (d) any and all claims for fees, costs or expenses against the Comptroller, or any of his agents or employees, related in any way to this enforcement matter or the Amendment, whether arising under common law or under the terms of any statute, including, but not limited to, the Equal Access to Justice Act, 5 U.S.C. § 504 and 28 U.S.C. § 2412; and
- (e) any and all rights to challenge or contest the validity of the Amendment.

ARTICLE IV

OTHER PROVISIONS

(1) The provisions of this Stipulation shall not inhibit, estop, bar, or otherwise prevent the Comptroller from taking any other action affecting the Bank if, at any time, it deems it appropriate to do so to fulfill the responsibilities placed upon it by the several laws of the United States of America.

(2) Nothing in this Stipulation shall preclude any proceedings brought by the Comptroller to enforce the terms of the Amendment, and nothing in this Stipulation constitutes, nor shall the Bank contend that it constitutes, a waiver of any right, power, or authority of any other representative of the United States or an agency thereof, including, without limitation, the United States Department of Justice, to bring other actions deemed appropriate.

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/
Jennie P. Carlson

June 9, 2015
Date

 /s/
Andrew Cecere

June 9, 2015
Date

 /s/
James L. Chosy

June 9, 2015
Date

 /s/
Richard K. Davis

June 9, 2015
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 /s/
Terrance R. Dolan

June 9, 2015
Date

 /s/
John R. Elmore

June 8, 2015
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Roland A. Hernandez

June 8, 2015
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 /s/
Pamela A. Joseph

June 9, 2015
Date

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Shailesh M. Kotwal

June 9, 2015
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P.W. (Bill) Parker

June 9, 2015
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Richard B. Payne Jr.

June 8, 2015
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Katherine B. Quinn

June 9, 2015
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Kathleen A. Rogers

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Mark G. Runkel

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