

disclose facts or considerations which indicate that the settlement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate.

**ADDRESSES:** Copies of the settlement are available from Ms. Paula V. Painter. Submit your comments by Site name Ellis Road/American Electric Corporation Site by one of the following methods:

- [www.epa.gov/region4/superfund/programs/enforcement/enforcement.html](http://www.epa.gov/region4/superfund/programs/enforcement/enforcement.html).
- Email. [Painter.Paula@epa.gov](mailto:Painter.Paula@epa.gov).
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 61 Forsyth Street SW., Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Paula V. Painter at 404/562-8887.

Dated: October 18, 2012.

Anita L. Davis,

Chief, Superfund Enforcement & Information Management Branch, Superfund Division.

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## EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

### Sunshine Act Meeting; Notice of a Partially Open Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States

**TIME AND PLACE:** Thursday, November 15, 2012 at 9:30 a.m. The meeting will be held at Ex-Im Bank in Room 321, 811 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20571.

**OPEN AGENDA ITEMS:** Item No. 1: Ex-Im Bank Advisory Committee for 2013.

**Note:** This item was originally scheduled for discussion on November 1, 2012. However, the meeting was cancelled due to Federal Government closures because of inclement weather earlier in the week.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:** The meeting will be open to public observation for Item No. 1 only.

**FURTHER INFORMATION:** For further information, contact: Office of the Secretary, 811 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20571, (202) 565-3336.

Lisa V. Terry,

Assistant General Counsel.

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## FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Notice

November 2, 2012.

**TIME AND DATE:** 1:00 p.m., Friday, November 16, 2012.

**PLACE:** The Richard V. Backley Hearing Room, Room 511N, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20004 (entry from F Street entrance).

**STATUS:** Open.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Commission will consider and act upon the following in open session: *Secretary of Labor v. The American Coal Co.*, Docket No. LAKE 2010-408-R. (Issues include whether the Administrative Law Judge erred in vacating an order issued under section 103(k) of the Mine Act, 30 U.S.C. 813(k).)

Any person attending this meeting who requires special accessibility features and/or auxiliary aids, such as sign language interpreters, must inform the Commission in advance of those needs. Subject to 29 CFR 2706.150(a)(3) and 2706.160(d).

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFO:** Jean Ellen, (202) 434-9950/(202) 708-9300 for TDD Relay/1-800-877-8339 for toll free.

Emogene Johnson,

Administrative Assistant.

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

[Docket No. OP-1448]

### Federal Reserve Bank Services

**AGENCY:** Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) has approved the private sector adjustment factor (PSAF) for 2013 of \$14.1 million and the 2013 fee schedules for Federal Reserve priced services and electronic access. These actions were taken in accordance with the requirements of the Monetary Control Act of 1980, which requires that, over the long run, fees for Federal Reserve priced services be established on the basis of all direct and indirect costs, including the PSAF.

**DATES:** The new fee schedules become effective January 2, 2013.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For questions regarding the fee schedules: Susan V. Foley, Associate Director, (202/452-3596); Samantha J. Pelosi,

Manager, Retail Payments, (202/530-6292); Linda S. Healey, Senior Financial Services Analyst, (202/452-5274), Division of Reserve Bank Operations and Payment Systems. For questions regarding the PSAF and earnings credits on clearing balances: Gregory L. Evans, Deputy Associate Director, (202/452-3945); Brenda L. Richards, Manager, Financial Accounting, (202/452-2753); or John W. Curle, Senior Financial Analyst, (202/452-3916), Division of Reserve Bank Operations and Payment Systems. For users of Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) only, please call 202/263-4869. Copies of the 2013 fee schedules for the check service are available from the Board, the Federal Reserve Banks, or the Reserve Banks' financial services web site at [www.frbsservices.org](http://www.frbsservices.org).

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. Private Sector Adjustment Factor and Priced Services

**A. Overview**—Each year, as required by the Monetary Control Act of 1980, the Reserve Banks set fees for priced services provided to depository institutions. These fees are set to recover, over the long run, all direct and indirect costs and imputed costs, including financing costs, taxes, and certain other expenses, as well as the return on equity (profit) that would have been earned if a private business firm provided the services. The imputed costs and imputed profit are collectively referred to as the PSAF.<sup>1</sup> From 2002 through 2011, the Reserve Banks recovered 98.6 percent of their total expenses (including imputed costs) and targeted after-tax profits or return on equity (ROE) for providing priced services.<sup>23</sup>

<sup>1</sup> The methodology for computing imputed profit and imputed costs was changed for 2013 (see Attachment I). This change follows the elimination of the clearing balance program (77 FR 21846, April 12, 2012). In the 2012 methodology, investment income is imputed and netted with related direct costs associated with clearing balances to estimate net income on clearing balances (NICB).

<sup>2</sup> The ten-year recovery rate is based on the pro forma income statement for Federal Reserve priced services published in the Board's *Annual Report*. Effective December 31, 2006, the Reserve Banks implemented Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 158: *Employers' Accounting for Defined Benefit Pension and Other Postretirement Plans* [Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 715 *Compensation—Retirement Benefits*], which resulted in recognizing a reduction in equity related to the priced services' benefit plans. Including this reduction in equity results in cost recovery of 95.3 percent for the ten-year period. This measure of long-run cost recovery is also published in the Board's *Annual Report*.

<sup>3</sup> Over this period, the Reserve Banks have undertaken a range of cost-reduction and revenue-generation initiatives as part of their long-term business strategy. These initiatives have included streamlining management structures, reducing