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To: The FR Y-10F Contact at the Addressed Foreign Banking Organization

Re: Report of Changes in FBO Organizational Structure - FR Y-10F Online Enhancement

Since 2001, the Federal Reserve System has offered respondents of the Report of Changes in FBO Organizational Structure - FR Y-10F the availability of electronic reporting via the Internet. The electronic application FR Y-10F Online makes reporting easier and helps to ensure the accuracy of structure information. As part of the ongoing effort to improve the quality of FR Y-10F Online, the Federal Reserve will implement application enhancements effective August 1, 2005.

## **Changes for the upcoming release of FR Y-10F Online include:**

- The premiere of new data entry options organized by specific business events. FR Y-10F reporting is made easier, using detailed business events to guide and assist you through the completion of appropriate FR Y-10F reporting schedules. The new business event feature replaces the previous wizard functionality and offers enhanced ease and flexibility to FR Y-10F Online structure reporting. In addition, users will continue to have the same blank schedule data entry option currently available in FR Y-10F Online.
- The ability to duplicate FR Y-10F Online draft reports, which will make the application more flexible and help respondents avoid entering unnecessary data.
- A link to each user's FR Y-10F Online account profile will be available on the application home page, where respondents can update names and telephone numbers, and modify passwords.
- Adobe Acrobat Reader 6.0 (or higher) plug-in will be required to view and print reports in PDF format. The software can be downloaded free of charge from Adobe Systems Incorporated ([www.adobe.com](http://www.adobe.com)).

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Institutions utilizing FR Y-10F Online will benefit from these new enhancements as well as the numerous features electronic reporting offers. Please refer to the enclosed FR Y-10F Online brochure for details. If your institution is currently not utilizing FR Y-10F Online, we encourage you to do so. Respondents need to complete a "User Account Request Form" and send it to the address noted below to obtain a User ID and password. A copy of the "User Account Request Form" is located on the FR Y-10F Online web site <https://y10Fonline.federalreserve.gov>

Please submit "User Account Request Forms" to:

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If you have any questions, or would like to meet with us to discuss any reporting issues, please contact Violet Cumberbatch at 212-720-5938, [violet.cumberbatch@ny.frb.org](mailto:violet.cumberbatch@ny.frb.org), or Gillian Stowe at 212-720-7990, [gillian.stowe@ny.frb.org](mailto:gillian.stowe@ny.frb.org).

Very truly yours,

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