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The four Federal banking agencies issued today the attached joint statement that addresses the agencies' supervisory approach to possible temporary balance sheet growth due to potential unusual market responses around the century date change.

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Attachment

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