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THACKER NAMED DEPUTY TO THE VICE CHAIRMAN

Charles E. Thacker has been named deputy to Andrew C. (Skip) Hove, Jr., who was sworn in today as Vice Chairman of the Board of the FDIC. Mr. Thacker, who will serve on an interim basis, is a 30-year veteran of the FDIC and most recently served the agency as Regional Director for the Division of Supervision in the Kansas City Midwest Region.

Prior to his appointment as Regional Director in 1985, Mr. Thacker had been Associate Director of the Division of Supervision in Kansas City since 1983. He previously was Regional Director of the Omaha Region (1982-1983) and Assistant Regional Director in Omaha (1977-1982).

Mr. Thacker, 54, joined the FDIC in 1960 as a bank examiner in the Richmond Region. In 1970, he was appointed to a review examiner position in the Washington Office of the Division of Supervision. His additional Washington experience includes three years in the Problem Review Section and two years as an examination specialist in the Division's Projects Planning Branch.

A native of Staunton, Virginia, Mr. Thacker is a graduate of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University in Blacksburg, Virginia. He has completed graduate and post-graduate programs at the School of Banking of the University of Wisconsin, attended the National Trust School at Northwestern University and participated in graduate management programs at the University of California-Berkeley and Harvard University.

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