March 6, 2009

Special Inspector General – TARP 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Suite 1064 Washington, D.C. 20220

Dear Special Inspector General:

We received your letter of February 6, 2009, requesting information pertaining to Central Virginia Bankshares, Incorporated's use of funds and compliance with The Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008. It should be noted the TARP funds were received on January 30, 2009. The original questions, as stated in your request, are listed in bold below along with our response.

- (1) A narrative response specifically outlining (a) your anticipated use of TARP funds; (b) whether the TARP funds were segregated from other institutional funds; (c) your actual use of TARP funds to date; and (d) your expected use of TARP funds. In your response, please take into consideration your anticipated use of unspent TARP funds at the time that you applied for such funds, or any actions that have taken that you would not have been able to take absent the infusion of TARP funds.
  - (a) **Our anticipated use of TARP funds:** Our intention is to utilize the additional capital to leverage deposit growth; these new deposits will be utilized for lending in proportion to the growth in deposits, while remaining consistent with our current loan to deposit ratio.
  - (b) Were TARP funds segregated from other institutional funds: Tarp funds are segregated within the demand deposit account of Central Virginia Bankshares, Inc.
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  - (d) **Our expected use of unspent TARP funds:** These may be utilized to reduce borrowings and or debt, as working capital of the corporation and for general corporate purposes, and may be invested in U.S. Government and Agency or other investment grade securities.

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(2) Your specific plans, and the status of implementation of those plans, for addressing executive compensation requirements associated with the funding. Information provided regarding executive compensation should also include any assessments made of loan risks and their relationship to executive compensation; how limitations on executive compensation will be implemented in line with Department of Treasury guidelines; and whether any such limitations may be offset by other changes to other, longer-term or deferred forms of executive compensation.

We have designated the Vice President and head of Human Resources as the Company's Senior Risk Officer. She, along with the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors, in consultation with one another, are reviewing our compensation process to determine whether or not our process could provide incentives to any of our SEO's take excessive or unnecessary risks that could threaten the value of the Company. This review is not yet complete. If however, upon completion, the Senior Risk Officer and the Compensation Committee determine that changes to our process are warranted, the Company may, unilaterally, implement such changes without the consent of any senior executive officer.

In connection with the consummation of our sale of preferred stock to the Department of Treasury, our four senior executive officers signed letter agreements that address compensation issues. Copies of those letters are attached. Our belief is that those letter agreements have implemented the executive compensation limitations in line with Department of Treasury guidelines.

We do not understand that any updates to this letter are required, but, of course, we will provide additional information if you request.

I certify the foregoing is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief, pursuant to 18 USC 1001.

Sincerely,

Charles F. Catlett, III Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Central Virginia Bankshares, Inc.

Attachments

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/s/ Charles F. Catlett, III Charles F. Catlett, III

Date: January 30, 2009

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