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## **OCC** Announces Nine New Enforcement Actions and Three Terminations

WASHINGTON -- The Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC) today announced nine new enforcement actions taken against national banks and individuals currently and formerly affiliated with national banks and three terminations of existing enforcement actions.

A list of enforcement actions previously disclosed and copies of the actual documents are available from the OCC's Communications Division by writing to: Comptroller of the Currency, Public Information Room (1-5), Washington, DC 20219. Requests made by facsimile transmission should be sent to (202) 874-4448. Please include the identifying enforcement action number wher placing an order. Enforcement actions are also listed monthly in OCC *Interpretations and Actions*. Subscriptions to that publication are available from the OCC's Communications Division

The OCC also maintains a searchable database of all public enforcement actions taken since August 1989 on its Internet Web site located at <a href="http://www.occ.treas.gov/enforce/enforce.htm">http://www.occ.treas.gov/enforce/enforce.htm</a>.

| Formal Agreements, By Consent                            |   |  |  |
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| Bank/City  | Date  |  |  |
| ·  |   |  |  |
| The Farmers National Bank of Winfield, Mt. Pleasant      | 12/16/02  |  |  |
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|  |   |  |  |
| The Dublin National Bank, Dublin                         | 12/17/02  |  |  |
| First National Bank of Newton, Newton                    | 12/17/02  |  |  |
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| Removals/Prohibitions, By Consent                        |   |  |  |
| Name/Bank/City   | Date  |  |  |
|  |   |  |  |
| Laura Gorman Campbell, Citizens National Bank & Trust of | 12/18/02  |  |  |
| Hazard, Hazard   |   |  |  |
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| Bank/City  | Date  |  |  |
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| The First National Bank of Mt. Pulaski, Mt. Pulaski      | 12/17/02  |  |  |
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|  |   |  |  |
| First National Bank in Brookings, Brookings              | 01/17/03  |  |  |
|  | Bank/City  The Farmers National Bank of Winfield, Mt. Pleasant  The Dublin National Bank, Dublin First National Bank of Newton, Newton  hibitions, By Consent Name/Bank/City  Laura Gorman Campbell, Citizens National Bank & Trust of Hazard, Hazard  iist Orders, By Consent Bank/City  The First National Bank of Mt. Pulaski, Mt. Pulaski |  |  |

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| Personal Ceas <i>No</i> . Pennsylvania 2002-134                          | e and Desist Orders, By Consent<br>Name/Bank/City  | Date          |
|--|--|---------------|
|  | Rachel E. Gindele, PNC Bank, National Association, Pittsburgh  | 12/03/02      |
| North Carolin<br>2002-135  | a Bien C. Nguyen, Bank of America, National Trust and Savings Association, Charlotte   | 12/03/02      |
| Personal Ceas<br>No.<br>2002-135   | e and Desist Orders for Restitution, By Consent<br>Name/Bank/City<br>Bien C. Nguyen, Bank of America, National Trust and Savings<br>Association, Charlotte | Date 12/03/02 |
| Terminations of Existing Enforcement Actions  No. Type/Bank/City/Old EA# |  |               |
| Illinois<br>2002-136   | FORMAL AGREEMENT, The First National Bank of Mt. Pulaski, Mt. Pulaski (EA #98-42)  | 12/17/02      |
| Nebraska<br>2002-137   | FORMAL AGREEMENT, Nebraska National Bank, Kearney (EA #99-78)  | 11/07/02      |
| Ohio<br>2002-138   | CONSENT ORDER, Granite National Bank, Bowling Green (EA #2000-67)  | 12/09/02      |

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