

Certification of Conformity

Interagency Final Rule: Loans in Areas Having Special Flood Hazards

This Policy meets the definition of private flood insurance contained in 42 U.S.C. § 4012a(b)(7) and the corresponding regulation.

Per:

FEDERAL LENDING REGULATOR

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

REFERENCE

12 CFR Parts 22 and 172 [Docket ID OCC-2014-0016]

12 CFR Part 208 [Reg. H, Docket No R-1498]

12 CFR Part 339

12 CFR Part 614

12 CFR Part 760

This policy must be accepted by federally regulated lenders as satisfying the mandatory purchase of flood insurance requirement for structures that reside in a special flood hazard area.

We Certify This Policy:

- 1) Is issued by an insurer that is licensed, admitted, or otherwise approved to engage in the business of insurance in the State or jurisdiction in which the property to be insured is located, by the insurance regulator of that State or jurisdiction;
- 2) Provides flood insurance coverage which is at least as broad as the coverage provided under a standard flood insurance policy under the national flood insurance program;
- 3) Includes:
 - a) A requirement for the insurer to give 45 days' written notice of cancellation or non-renewal of flood insurance coverage to the insured and the regulated lending institution or Federal agency lender;
 - b) Information about the availability of flood insurance coverage under the national flood insurance program;
 - c) A mortgage interest clause similar to the clause contained in a standard flood insurance policy under the national flood insurance program;
 - d) A provision requiring an insured to file suit not later than 1 year after the date of a written denial of all or part of a claim under the policy; and
- 4) Contains cancellation provisions that are as restrictive as the provisions contained in a standard flood insurance policy under the national flood insurance program.