

## § 552.2-6

### § 552.2-6 Conversion from stock form depository institution to Federal stock association.

(a) With the approval of the Office, any stock depository institution that is, or is eligible to become, a member of a Federal Home Loan Bank, may convert to a Federal stock association, provided that the depository institution, at the time of the conversion, has deposits insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and provided further, that the depository institution, in accomplishing the conversion, complies with all applicable statutes and regulations, including, without limitation, section 5(d) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act. The resulting Federal stock association must conform within the time prescribed by the OTS to the requirements of section 5(c) of the Home Owners' Loan Act. For purposes of this section, the term "depository institution" shall have the meaning set forth at 12 CFR 552.13(b). An application for conversion filed under this section is subject to the procedures for organization of a federal stock organization at § 552.2-1.

(b) Any and all of the assets and other property (whether real, personal, mixed, tangible or intangible, including choses in action, rights, and credits) of the former stock form depository institution become assets and property of the Federal stock association when the conversion occurs. Similarly, any and all of the obligations and debts of or claims against the former stock form depository institution become obligations and debts of and claims against the Federal stock association when the conversion occurs. In effect, the Federal stock association is the same as the former stock form depository institution with respect to any and all assets, property, claims and debts of or claims against the former stock form depository institution.

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### § 552.2-7 Conversion to National banking association or State bank.

A Federal stock association may convert to a National banking association or a State bank after filing a notifica-

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tion or application, as appropriate, with the Office in accordance with the applicable provisions of § 563.22(b) of this chapter.

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### § 552.3 Charters for Federal stock associations.

The charter of a Federal stock association shall be in the following form, except that an association that has converted from the mutual form pursuant to part 563b of this chapter shall include in its charter a section establishing a liquidation account as required by § 563b.3(c)(13) of this chapter. A charter for a Federal stock savings bank shall substitute the term "savings bank" for "association." Charters may also include any preapproved optional provision contained in § 552.4 of this part.

#### FEDERAL STOCK CHARTER

*Section 1. Corporate title.* The full corporate title of the association is \_\_\_\_\_.

*Section 2. Office.* The home office shall be located in \_\_\_\_\_ [city, state].

*Section 3. Duration.* The duration of the association is perpetual.

*Section 4. Purpose and powers.* The purpose of the association is to pursue any or all of the lawful objectives of a Federal savings association chartered under section 5 of the Home Owners' Loan Act and to exercise all of the express, implied, and incidental powers conferred thereby and by all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, subject to the Constitution and laws of the United States as they are now in effect, or as they may hereafter be amended, and subject to all lawful and applicable rules, regulations, and orders of the Office of Thrift Supervision ("Office").

*Section 5. Capital stock.* The total number of shares of all classes of the capital stock that the association has the authority to issue is \_\_\_\_\_, all of which shall be common stock of par [or if no par is specified then shares shall have a stated] value of \_\_\_\_\_ per share. The shares may be issued from time to time as authorized by the board of directors without the approval of its shareholders, except as otherwise provided in this Section 5 or to the extent that such approval is required by governing law, rule, or regulation. The consideration for the issuance of the shares shall be paid in full before their issuance and shall not be less than the par [or stated] value. Neither promissory notes nor future services shall constitute payment or part payment for the issuance of shares of the association. The consideration for the shares shall be