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To: Federal Open Market Committee

From: James A. Clouse

Subject: Corrected Version of "The Federal Reserve's Long-Run Operating Regime"

Attached is a corrected version of the background memo, "The Federal Reserve's Long-Run Operating Regime," which was originally distributed on October 19, 2018. The last sentence on the second page of the memo now correctly refers to a \$200 billion buffer, as opposed to the incorrect \$1,000 billion buffer in the initial version. The corrected version of the full sentence is below:

"One initial staff estimate of the size of this buffer is \$200 billion, though it could be reduced by changing policies for the Federal Reserve's non-bank account holders."