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**FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF DALLAS**

DALLAS, TEXAS 75222

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**TRANSPORTING VALUABLES BY COURIER**

**TO ALL BANKS IN THE  
ELEVENTH FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT:**

We have observed that check couriers occasionally deliver valuables to this Bank in the same container with cash letters.

Check couriers in Texas do not have operating authority to transport valuables. Cash letters sent to this Bank by courier are not handled in a controlled environment normally afforded shipments containing valuables. Registered mail and armored carriers are the proper vehicles for transporting valuables to the Federal Reserve Bank, since both provide a signature record of the shipment through each step of the chain of delivery.

To protect your employees and employees of this Bank, as well as to safeguard the valuables being transported, we request that you refrain from using check couriers to transport any valuables to the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas or its Branches at El Paso, Houston, or San Antonio.

Sincerely yours,

T. W. Plant

First Vice President