FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF DALLAS DALLAS, TEXAS 75222

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RESPONSE

NEW CURRENCY AND COIN ORDERING SERVICE

TO ALL DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS IN THE ELEVENTH FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT:

Currency and coin ordering will be available through the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas RESPONSE communications network beginning February 1, 1983. For those institutions on-line with the Federal Reserve's computer through RESPONSE, this new application will replace the need for initiating such orders over the telephone. User guides and diskettes for the new currency and coin ordering service are being distributed to all on-line institutions.

The RESPONSE network provides fast and efficient access to certain Federal Reserve services and is available through any of three options. These include a direct computer-to-computer link with the Federal Reserve, a connection through terminal linked by dedicated communications lines, and a linkage achieved through an IBM Personal Computer using dial-up telephone procedures for access. RESPONSE is currently used for sending and receiving funds transfers, receiving reserve account statement information, transferring securities, and receiving ceiling rate information for money market CDs, in addition to the new currency and coin ordering application.

For additional information about the currency and coin ordering service, please contact Charles A. Worley, (214) 698-4275 at the Head Office; Jerry A. Silvey, (915) 544-4730 at the El Paso Branch; Oscar A. Bryan, Jr., (713) 659-4433 at the Houston Branch; or Herb Barbee, (512) 224-2141 at the San Antonio Branch. Questions concerning the RESPONSE network should be directed to Vance Smith, (214) 698-4233.

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Sincerely yours,

William H. Wallace First Vice President