

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF DALLAS

DALLAS, TEXAS 75222

May 20, 1985

Circular 85-67

TO: All depository institutions and others concerned in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District

SUBJECT

Discount rate change

DETAILS

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System approved action by the Board of Directors of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas to decrease by one half of one percent the basic discount rate. The rates for temporary seasonal credit and other extended credit also were decreased by one half of one percent. These rulings become effective May 20, 1985.

Printed on the reverse of this circular is a copy of Supplement A to Bulletin 2 which contains the current rate schedule in effect at this Bank. This supplement should be inserted in Volume 1 of the Regulations Binders and the supplement dated March 11, 1985, should be removed.

MORE INFORMATION

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Supplement A

RATES FOR DISCOUNTS AND ADVANCES

The following rates with respect to discounts and advances under the Federal Reserve Act and Regulation A are now in effect at this Bank:

Rates on Discounts and Advances	Per Annum	Effective from
Basic rate: short-term adjustment credit under 201.3(a) and regular seasonal credit under 201.3(b) of Regulation A ¹	• •	May 20, 1985
Temporary seasonal credit under 201.3(b) (1) of Regulation A	8%	May 20, 1985
Other extended credit under 201.3(b) (2) of Regulation A (special circumstances credit and credit for institutions under sustained liquidity pressures) ²		
First 60 days	7½%	May 20, 1985
Next 90 days	8½%	May 20, 1985
Thereafter	9½%	May 20, 1985

¹ This is also the discount rate for 90-day commercial paper and other paper eligible for discount.

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² At the discretion of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, in cases where credit is anticipated to be outstanding for prolonged periods and in relatively large amounts, the time period for each rate in the extended credit rate structure may be shortened. This Bank also may apply a flexible rate that takes into account rates on market sources of funds. The flexible rate will not be lower than the basic rate plus one percentage point.