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INTERPRETATION OF BANKING ACT OF 1933

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February 14, 1934.

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Fletcher's wire January 16 Board is of opinion that a Federal Home Loan Bank organized under Federal Home Loan Bank Act of 1932 is a bank organized under laws of United States within meaning of Clayton AntiTrust Act and that therefore prohibitions of Section 8A will apply to a director, officer or employee thereof who is serving another organization which makes loans secured by stock or bond collateral, unless a permit is obtained from the Board.

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