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FINAL SUSPENSION ORDER

The Federal Housing Finance Agency (“FHFA”), as safety and soundness regulator of the Federal National Mortgage Association (“Fannie Mae”), Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (“Freddie Mac”), and the eleven Federal Home Loan Banks (collectively, the “regulated entities”), is issuing this Final Order pursuant to the following legal authorities:

1. Section 1313 of the Federal Housing Enterprises Financial Safety and Soundness Act of 1992, as amended by the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008, Pub. L. No. 110-289, 122 Stat. 2654 (codified as 12 U.S.C. § 4511 et seq.), (“Safety and Soundness Act”), authorizes FHFA to exercise such incidental powers as may be necessary in the supervision and regulation of the regulated entities. *See* 12 U.S.C. § 4513(a)(2).
2. Section 1313B of the Safety and Soundness Act authorizes FHFA to establish standards for the regulated entities regarding prudential management of risks. FHFA is authorized to issue orders requiring the regulated entities to take any action that will best carry out the purposes of that section. *See* 12 U.S.C. § 4513b(b)(2)(B)(iii).
3. Section 1319G of the Safety and Soundness Act authorizes FHFA to issue any orders necessary to ensure that the purposes of the Safety and Soundness Act are accomplished. *See* 12 U.S.C. § 4526(a).
4. 12 CFR § 1227.6, FHFA’s regulation governing the issuance of a final suspension order and the factors that may be considered by the suspending official.

Consistent with these authorities, FHFA has determined that Kimberly Rochelle Johnson (“Johnson”) engaged in “covered misconduct” of a type that would be likely to cause significant financial or reputational harm to a regulated entity or otherwise threaten the safe and sound operation of a regulated entity.

This determination is based on the following findings:

1. According to the Criminal Information to which Johnson pled guilty, Johnson and other co-defendants were involved in a mortgage fraud scheme. The scheme entailed submitting fraudulent loan applications and fabricated income documents regarding applicants’ employment, income, and assets. According to the Information, Johnson and others retained commissions and/or fees associated with these mortgages.
2. Based on this misconduct and pursuant to a guilty plea, judgement was entered against Johnson on April 18, 2025. Johnson was convicted of conspiracy to commit wire fraud in

violation of Title 18 U.S.C. § 371 by the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia and was sentenced to twenty-six (26) months imprisonment, followed by two (2) years of supervised release. Restitution was ordered in the amount of \$1,833,895.14.

3. The above-referenced conviction constitutes covered misconduct as that term is defined at 12 CFR § 1227.2 and is of a type that would be likely to cause significant financial or reputational harm to a regulated entity or otherwise threaten the safe and sound operation of a regulated entity.

With this Final Order, FHFA is directing each regulated entity to cease or refrain from engaging in any covered transaction with Kimberly Rochelle Johnson indefinitely, beginning on September 9, 2026.

The Final Order's requirement for the regulated entities to indefinitely cease engaging in any covered transaction with Kimberly Rochelle Johnson does not apply to the existing or future purchase, sale, modification, foreclosure alternative transaction, or other foreclosure-related transaction of a residential mortgage loan owned by a regulated entity if Kimberly Rochelle Johnson is the borrower of such residential mortgage loan and the transaction is for the borrower's own personal or household residence.

This Final Order is a final action of the Federal Housing Finance Agency.

Clinton Jones,
Suspending Official