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To: Comments
Subject: Opposition to RIN 3064i;½AD35: Proposed FDIC Special Assessment pursuant to 12 CFR Part 327

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Robert E. Feldman
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Dear Robert Feldman:

The special assessment is a significant and unexpected cost to my bank that will devastate earnings.

Sincerely,

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