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## OTS Proposes Regulation to Improve Risk Management Practices at Thrifts

WASHINGTON, D.C., April 20, 1998 - The Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS) will conduct a briefing for the news media on a proposed bulletin and regulation that would provide guidance to improve risk management practices at savings associations.

The briefing will be conducted by OTS Director Ellen Seidman, Kenneth Ryder, OTS executive director of research and analysis, and Anthony Cornyn, OTS director of risk management. The briefing will be held on Wednesday, April 22, 1998, at 1:00 p.m. in conference room B on the sixth floor of the OTS building, 1700 G Street, N.W.

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