Comptroller of the Currency Administrator of National Banks

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May 1, 2000

Conditional Approval #390 June 2000

Mr. William R. Colmery Senior Vice President/Legal Counsel Fulton Financial Corporation One Penn Square Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17602

Re: Authorization to Commence Business - Fulton Financial Advisors, National Association, Lancaster, Pennsylvania (CAIS 1999-NE-01-0024)

Dear Mr. Colmery:

The Comptroller of the Currency (OCC) has found that you have met all requirements it imposed and completed all steps necessary to commence business as a limited purpose national trust company. Accordingly, Fulton Financial Advisors, National Association is authorized to commence business effective May 1, 2000. The OCC Charter Certificate (Charter # 23988) is enclosed.

This approval is subject to the condition that the trust company shall provide Assistant Deputy Comptroller William P. Reinhardt at least thirty (30) days prior notice of any significant deviation or change from the proposed operating plan during the bank's first three years of operation. This condition is enforceable under 12 U.S.C. '1818.

You are reminded that several of the standard requirements contained in the preliminary approval letter dated January 19, 2000 will continue to apply once the bank opens and by opening, you agree to subject your association to these conditions of operation. Some of the requirements bear reiteration here:

- 1. Regardless of the association's FDIC insurance status, the association is subject to the Change in Bank Control Act (12 USC 1817(j)) by virtue of its national bank charter.
- 2. The board of directors is responsible for regular review and update of policies and procedures and for assuring ongoing compliance with them. This includes

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maintaining an internal control system that ensures compliance with the currency reporting and record keeping requirements of the Bank Secrecy Act (BSA). The board must train its personnel in BSA procedures and designate one person or a group to monitor day-to-day compliance.

3. The bank will not engage in full commercial powers authorized to national banks without the OCC's prior approval.

Questions regarding the ongoing supervision of the trust company should be directed to Assistant Deputy Comptroller William P. Reinhardt at (212-790-4020) or Lead Fiduciary Expert Richard Baskin at the Philadelphia Field Office (215-245-2606)

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL G. TISCIA Licensing Manager