MEMORANDUM

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TO: File No. S7-13-11

FROM: J. Matthew DeLesDernier

Division of Investment Management

RE: Listing Standards for Compensation Committees – Release No. 33-9199

On December 14, 2011, Susan Nash, Associate Director, Mark Uyeda, Assistant Director, and J. Matthew DeLesDernier, Attorney Adviser, of the Division of Investment Management participated in a telephone call with Dorothy M. Donohue, Senior Associate Counsel of the Investment Company Institute ("ICI"), to discuss certain issues raised in ICI's comment letter regarding the above-referenced proposal.