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The purpose of the Lenders Update is to provide a "heads-up" of new legislation and other issues affecting the mortgage lending industry. We provide summaries of new matters so our readers can judge whether the subject impacts their operations. We recommend that our readers review the entire new statute, regulation or other material in detail where it is relevant to them. For reference, the applicable matter can be easily identified in the summary, and, where possible, a link is provided.

The Update includes information available to Alt & Associates as of July 23, 2009.

FEDERAL RESERVE

Earlier today, July 23, 2009, the Federal Reserve Board published its <u>proposed</u> changes to Regulation Z for closed-end mortgages and home equity lines of credit (HELOCs). Comment can be made on these proposals for 120 days.

A summary of the proposals and links to the specifics can be found at:

www.federalreserve.gov/newsevents/press/bcreg/20090723a.htm.

Let's all enjoy the read

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