#### § 2904. Report to Congress

Each appropriate Federal financial supervisory agency shall include in its annual report to the Congress a section outlining the actions it has taken to carry out its responsibilities under this chapter.

(Pub. L. 95–128, title VIII, §805, Oct. 12, 1977, 91 Stat. 1148.)

### § 2905. Regulations

Regulations to carry out the purposes of this chapter shall be published by each appropriate Federal financial supervisory agency, except that the Comptroller of the Currency shall prescribe regulations applicable to savings associations and the Board of Governors shall prescribe regulations applicable to insured State member banks, bank holding companies and savings and loan holding companies, 1 and shall take effect no later than 390 days after October 12, 1977.

(Pub. L. 95–128, title VIII, §806, Oct. 12, 1977, 91 Stat. 1148; Pub. L. 111–203, title III, §358(2), July 21, 2010, 124 Stat. 1548.)

#### **Editorial Notes**

#### AMENDMENTS

2010—Pub. L. 111–203 inserted ", except that the Comptroller of the Currency shall prescribe regulations applicable to savings associations and the Board of Governors shall prescribe regulations applicable to insured State member banks, bank holding companies and savings and loan holding companies," after "supervisory agency".

#### Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2010 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 111–203 effective on the transfer date, see section 351 of Pub. L. 111–203, set out as a note under section 906 of Title 2, The Congress.

# § 2906. Written evaluations

## (a) Required

#### (1) In general

Upon the conclusion of each examination of an insured depository institution under section 2903 of this title, the appropriate Federal financial supervisory agency shall prepare a written evaluation of the institution's record of meeting the credit needs of its entire community, including low- and moderate-income neighborhoods.

#### (2) Public and confidential sections

Each written evaluation required under paragraph (1) shall have a public section and a confidential section.

# (b) Public section of report

### (1) Findings and conclusions

#### (A) Contents of written evaluation

The public section of the written evaluation shall—  $\,$ 

(i) state the appropriate Federal financial supervisory agency's conclusions for each assessment factor identified in the

- (ii) discuss the facts and data supporting such conclusions; and
- (iii) contain the institution's rating and a statement describing the basis for the rating.

#### (B) Metropolitan area distinctions

The information required by clauses (i) and (ii) of subparagraph (A) shall be presented separately for each metropolitan area in which a regulated depository institution maintains one or more domestic branch offices.

# (2) Assigned rating

The institution's rating referred to in paragraph  $(1)(C)^1$  shall be 1 of the following:

- (A) "Outstanding record of meeting community credit needs".
- (B) "Satisfactory record of meeting community credit needs".
- (C) "Needs to improve record of meeting community credit needs".
- (D) "Substantial noncompliance in meeting community credit needs".

Such ratings shall be disclosed to the public on and after July 1, 1990.

# (c) Confidential section of report

### (1) Privacy of named individuals

The confidential section of the written evaluation shall contain all references that identify any customer of the institution, any employee or officer of the institution, or any person or organization that has provided information in confidence to a Federal or State financial supervisory agency.

### (2) Topics not suitable for disclosure

The confidential section shall also contain any statements obtained or made by the appropriate Federal financial supervisory agency in the course of an examination which, in the judgment of the agency, are too sensitive or speculative in nature to disclose to the institution or the public.

# (3) Disclosure to depository institution

The confidential section may be disclosed, in whole or part, to the institution, if the appropriate Federal financial supervisory agency determines that such disclosure will promote the objectives of this chapter. However, disclosure under this paragraph shall not identify a person or organization that has provided information in confidence to a Federal or State financial supervisory agency.

# (d) Institutions with interstate branches

# (1) State-by-State evaluation

In the case of a regulated financial institution that maintains domestic branches in 2 or more States, the appropriate Federal financial supervisory agency shall prepare—

(A) a written evaluation of the entire institution's record of performance under this chapter, as required by subsections (a), (b), and (c); and

regulations prescribed by the Federal financial supervisory agencies to implement this chapter:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>So in original.

 $<sup>^1</sup>$ So in original. Probably should be paragraph "(1)(A)(iii)".