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The attached final rule makes technical changes to OTS' Rules of Practice and Procedure in Adjudicatory Proceedings that were originally adopted in August 1991.

The changes are designed to clarify certain provisions and increase the efficiency and fairness of administrative hearings.

Substantially identical changes are also being adopted separately by the other bank regulatory agencies.

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