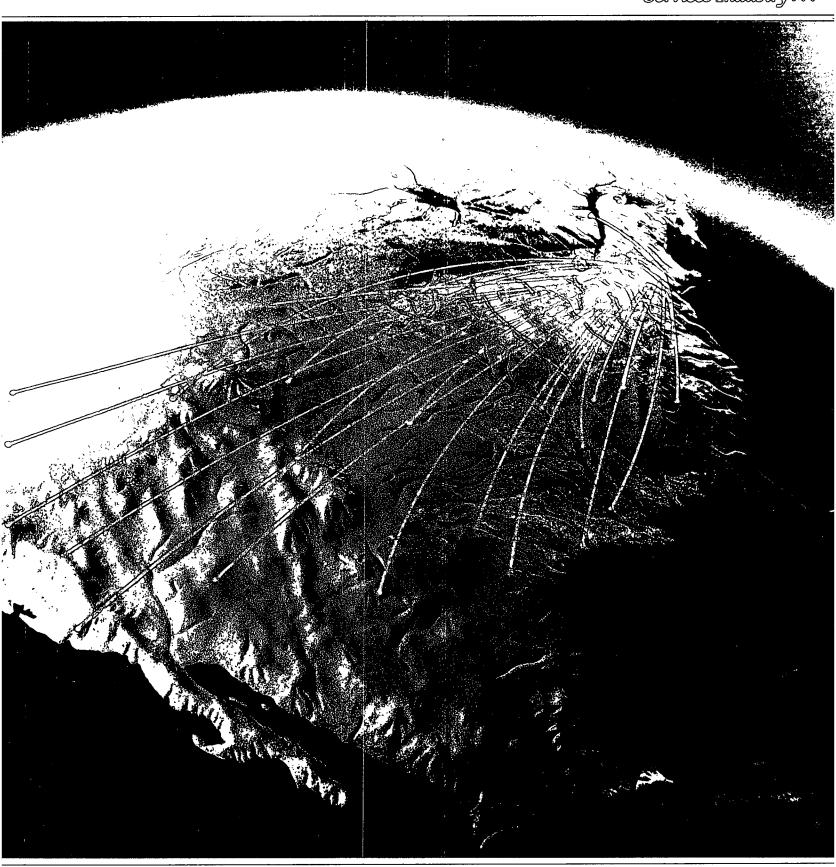


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Cover: From its headquarters in New York, NSCC today reaches participating brokers, dealers and banks throughout North America, providing them with a vital array of trade processing, clearance, settlement and delivery services.

Participation

- Participants in Municipal Comparison Only
- Participants in
 Corporate and Municipal
 Securities Services
- Participants in Corporate Securities Services

Average Daily Volume of Trades Processed

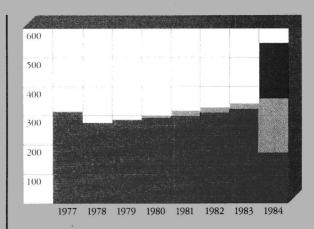
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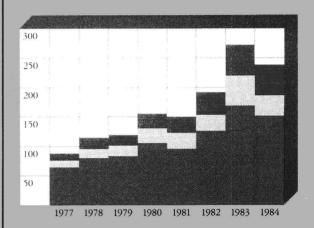
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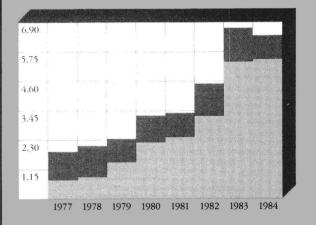
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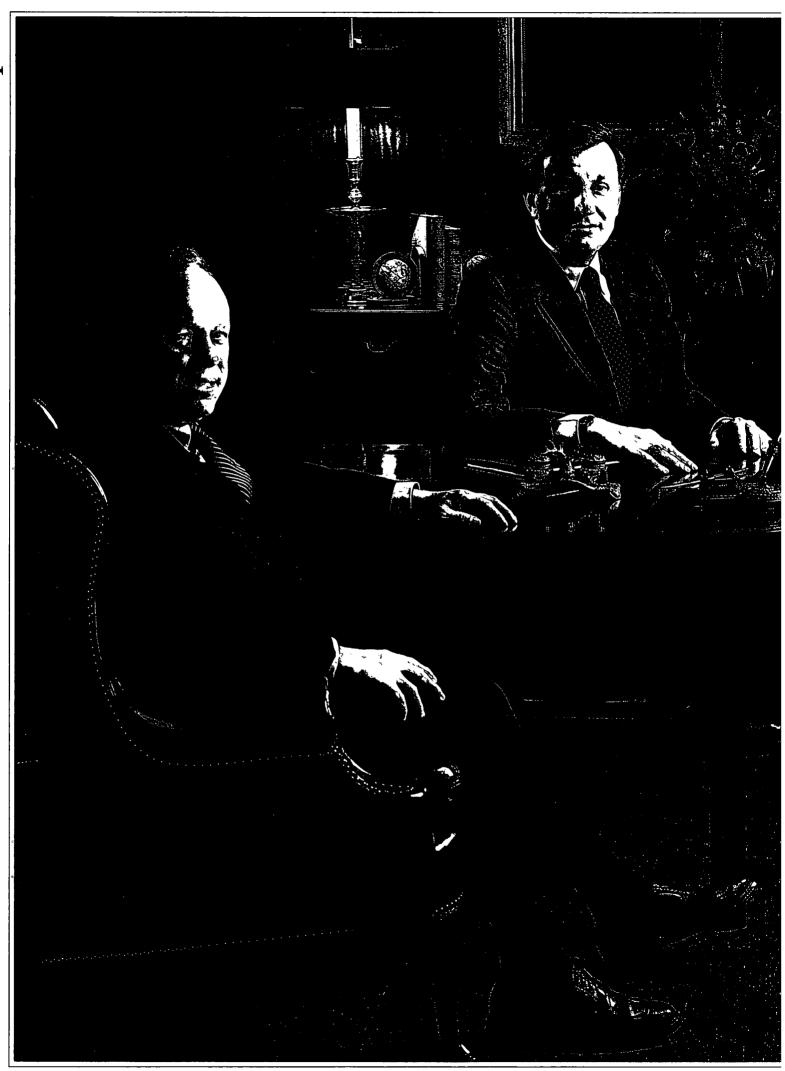
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 System and Other
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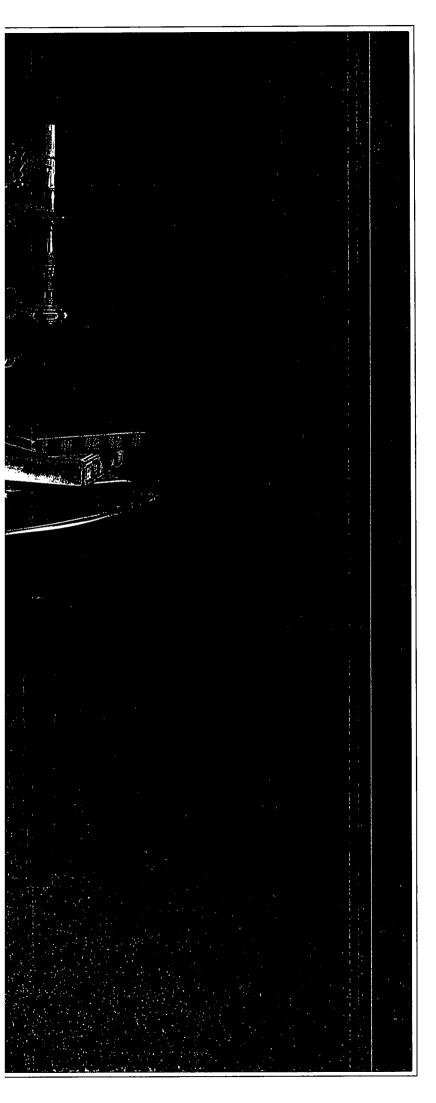












n the past decade, the financial services industry has witnessed vast changes. As this evolution continued during 1984, so did National Securities Clearing Corporation's tradition of anticipating and responding to the changing needs of the industry.

Throughout 1984, NSCC continued to realize efficiencies in processing and in minimizing costs for the financial services industry by integrating a broad spectrum of participants, financial instruments and marketplaces into its automated processing environment.

As a registered clearing agency serving brokers, dealers and banks, NSCC processed the vast majority of equity, corporate bond, municipal bond and unit investment trust transactions in the U.S. domestic securities markets. A new record was set on August 6, when NSCC processed one million sides, the largest number of buy and sell sides ever handled in a single day.

SCC reached a different processing milestone in late February with the settlement of trades in the eight equity issues that were created by the divestiture of American Telephone and Telegraph Company. NSCC's Continuous Net Settlement System reduced participants' settlement obligations to a final 112 million shares from the 342 million shares originally traded. Processing proceeded smoothly for NSCC and the industry due to the careful planning and preparations for increased volume.

The transition of the municipal bond industry to automated comparison was another record achievement in 1984. NSCC played a major role in helping the industry fulfill the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board's G-12 amendment calling for brokers. dealers and dealer-banks to compare trades in a more automated environment, initially focusing on secondary-market trades settling in five days. More than 1,000 financial organizations now utilize NSCC's National System for Municipal Bond Processing either directly or through correspondents. This has set the stage for new challenges. In 1985, NSCC is planning to expand its automated comparison services to include several other types of municipal bond transactions which represent an estimated 30% to 60% of dealer activity. NSCC will compare when-issued municipal bonds in the often active trading period before regular-way trading and clearance begins, and will also clear regular-way municipal bond trades that settle on an extended schedule.

In another trend affecting the financial services industry, there was a broadening focus in 1984 on international trading and 24-hour markets. NSCC, with The Canadian Depository for Securities Limited, established procedures for cooperative clearance and settlement. This new relationship can potentially automate the processing of an additional 17,000 daily transactions, valued at up to \$60 million. As an NSCC participant acting on its members' behalf, CDS now provides a separate NSCC clearing account to each member. NSCC sponsors CDS's accounts at The Depository Trust Company in order to provide efficient settlement of CDS members' transactions executed in the U.S. CDS initially gained trade settlement efficiencies for New York Stock Exchange, American Stock Exchange, National Association of Securities Dealers' Automated Quotation System and other over-the-counter stock trades in the United States. NSCC's existing interfaces will also enable CDS members to gain additional efficiencies for trades executed on regional stock exchanges, including executions through the linkages between the Montreal and Boston Stock Exchanges and the American and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Jn NSCC's increasingly automated links with marketplaces in the United States, 30% of participants' equity transactions in December 1984 were executed and locked-in for comparison through NYSE and Amex automated trading systems. During the latter part of 1984, NSCC began to issue contracts to participants for listed locked-in transactions one day earlier than reports were previously available. NSCC plans to expand this concept in line with industry efforts encouraging earlier reporting, in order to reduce uncertainty and potential risk.

Growth has also been significant in the area of computer-to-computer capabilities between NSCC and participants. During 1984, the number of participants communicating directly to NSCC via computer link-ups nearly doubled.

As NSCC plans for the future, it seems clear that the industry will face even more remarkable changes. NSCC hopes to apply its knowledge and experience to support new financial instruments and activities, and with this in mind, several challenging and ambitious projects are now being developed.

he \$400 billion mutual fund industry is joining forces with NSCC in a program to standardize and automate the processing of fund purchases and redemptions between mutual fund underwriters and broker-dealers who market open-end load funds to the investing public. NSCC proposed the development of a centralized system, which was endorsed by the joint Operations Task Force representing members of the Investment Company Institute and the National Association of Securities Dealers. The NSCC system is expected to standardize procedures, improve efficiency through centralized processing, reduce clerical operating costs and standardize a five-day settlement cycle.

The Automated Customer Account Transfer Service, now in its final planning stages, will enhance the transfer of client accounts from one participant to another. NSCC developed the system in conjunction with the New York Stock Exchange and the National Association of Securities Dealers to provide for the orderly and timely transfer of customer accounts between broker-dealers and to help participants comply with new rules that the two self-regulatory organizations have proposed.

These and other new projects are based on direction provided by the financial services industry. NSCC continues to welcome and encourage the guidance of its Board of Directors, participants and marketplaces served. The organization is committed to providing the best possible service to its participants, while endeavoring to anticipate and respond to the challenges that the industry will face in the years ahead.

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As an organization created to address the existing and evolving post-trade processing requirements of the financial services industry, National Securities Clearing Corporation provides clearing services that are focused on the needs and special characteristics of financial instruments, marketplaces and participating businesses.

NSCC's role is unique because its services are rooted in a synthesis of industry needs. On the most basic level, the features of particular financial instruments determine the nature and functions of NSCC's processing systems. The trading practices of diverse marketplaces and their corresponding regulatory requirements and volume parameters help to further define NSCC's systems. In addition, NSCC strives to continually enhance its existing capabilities and to anticipate the emerging needs and technological priorities of its broker, dealer, and bank constituents.

A dynamic relationship of growth between NSCC and the financial services industry has resulted from a shared emphasis on processing and cost efficiencies, and risk containment. This complex and vital partnership sets the stage for achieving even greater heights, both in volume capacity and systems capabilities, as the financial services industry evolves.



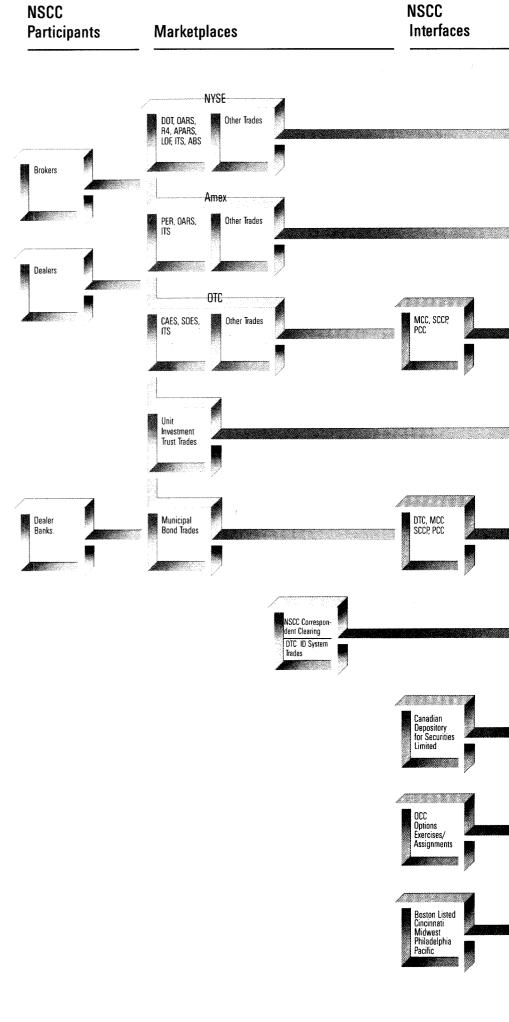
The accompanying chart shows how NSCC interacts on a daily basis with the participating brokers, dealers and banks within the national clearance and settlement system. Complementing NSCC's direct contact with participants are links to the automated trading systems at the New York and American Stock Exchanges and in the over-the-counter market, as well as in the Intermarket Trading System (ITS). These marketplace systems lock in trade details for execution, clearance and audit trail purposes. For example, the New York Stock Exchange reports directly on certain executions through the Designated Order Turnaround (DOT) System, Opening Automated Report Service (OARS), Registered Representative Rapid Response (R4) System, Automated Pricing and Reporting Service (APARS), Limit Order File (LOF) and Automated Bond System (ABS). Certain American Stock Exchange trades executed through the Post Execution Reporting (PER) System and Opening Automated Report Service (OARS) are also locked in, as are trades executed through the National Association of Securities Dealers' Computer Assisted Execution System (CAES) and Small Order Execution System (SOES).

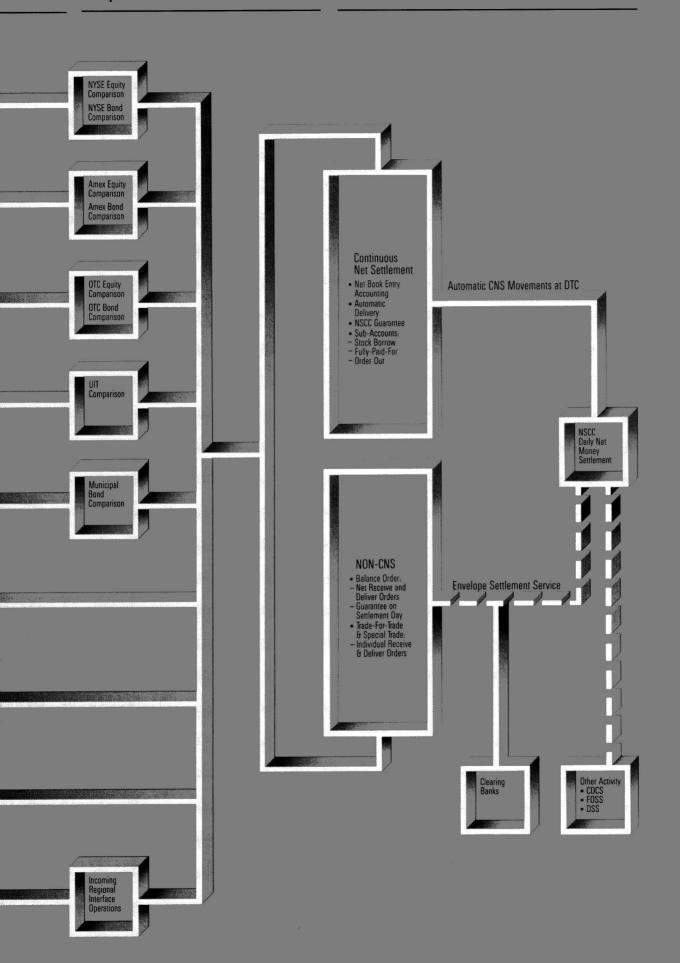
NSCC performs municipal bond and OTC equity comparison services for all participating registered clearing agencies on a national basis. Boston Stock Exchange trades are cleared by NSCC through a consolidated specialist account and individual accounts assigned to floor brokers. NSCC also interfaces with The Canadian Depository for Securities Limited, Options Clearing Corporation, Cincinnati Stock Exchange, Midwest Clearing Corporation (MCC), Stock Clearing Corporation of Philadelphia (SCCP), and Pacific Clearing Corporation (PCC). Confirmed NSCC correspondent trades and affirmed Institutional Delivery (ID) customer transactions from The Depository Trust Company are also netted with participants' dealer trades.

NSCC's trade processing services flow directly into its clearance and settlement systems. The most important of these systems, Continuous Net Settlement (CNS), facilitates automatic book-entry delivery by creating a net long or short position, guaranteed for settlement, in each eligible issue. Alternatives to CNS include Trade-for-Trade and Balance Order accounting. Trade-For-Trade accounting settles each trade separately at the original contract price. Balance Order accounting nets physical deliveries when securities are not eligible for depository processing.

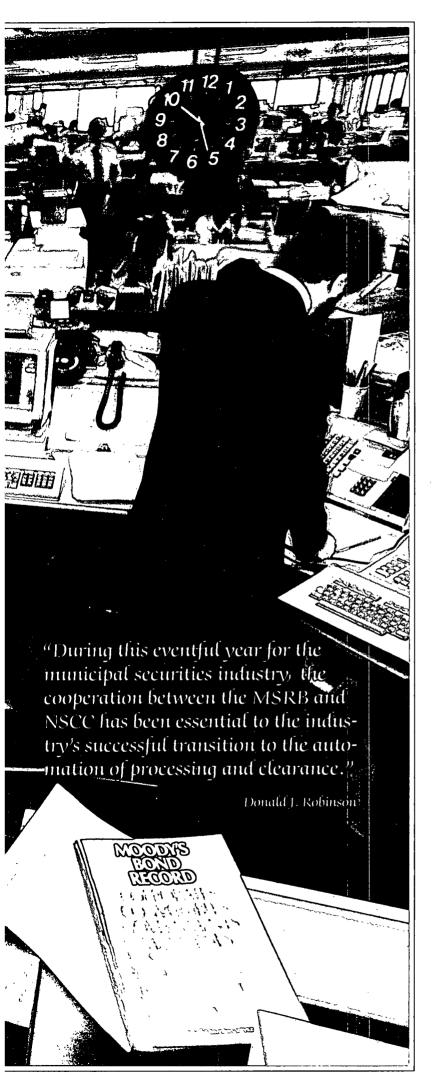
NSCC also provides a variety of securities delivery services. These include the Envelope Settlement Service, Correspondent Delivery and Collection Service (CDCS), Funds Only Settlement Service (FOSS) and Dividend Settlement Service (DSS).

Money settlement is the daily culmination of these integrated services. For each participant, NSCC arrives at a single dollar figure due for payment or collection by accumulating the value of the day's CNS deliveries and receipts, marks to the market on open CNS fail positions, as well as any dividends and interest payable, and the value of receipts and deliveries processed through the Envelope Settlement Service and other delivery services.









ments differ in fundamental ways that affect how they trade and are cleared, NSCC has designed services specifically for stocks, corporate bonds, municipal bonds and unit investment trust funds. These services, while driven by the different regulatory and volume capacity requirements of the marketplaces in which participants buy and sell securities, achieve common benefits of processing efficiency, cost-effectiveness and risk-containment.

Historically, NSCC has provided comparison, clearance, delivery, settlement and related services for stocks and corporate bonds bought and sold on the New York and American Stock Exchanges or traded in the over-the-counter market. By centralizing and automating many procedural aspects of these services, NSCC provides significant operational efficiencies to participants' individual businesses and to the securities industry at large.

bond trades, previously confirmed manually on a dealer-to-dealer basis, were integrated into NSCC's centralized automated systems in an industry-wide change. More than 1,000 direct and indirect participants began utilizing the National System for Municipal Bond Processing by year-end. The service is specifically tailored to the needs of municipal brokers, dealers and dealer-banks, with special membership options, Trade-for-Trade settlement capabilities and detailed issue descriptions on contracts. During 1985, the system will be further enhanced so that when-issued municipal bonds, as well as trades that settle on an extended schedule, can be processed through NSCC.

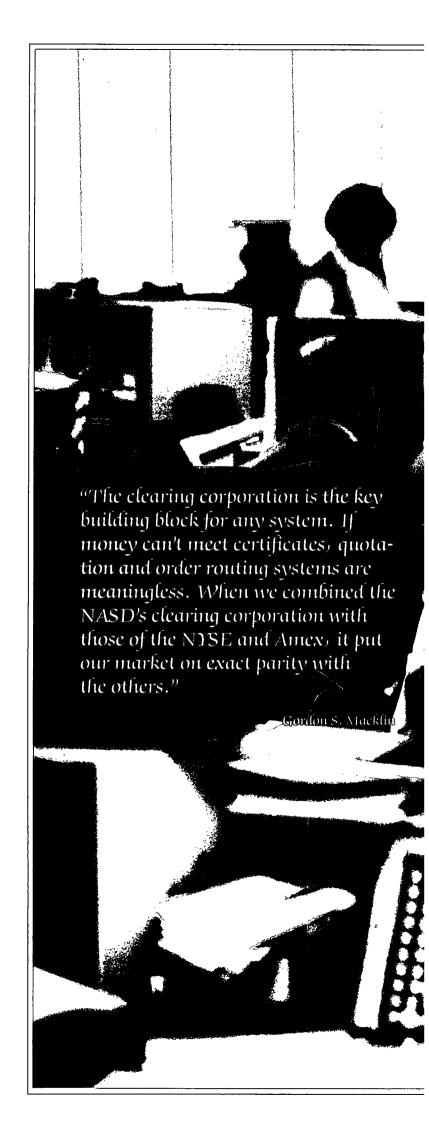
Mutual fund purchases and redemptions transacted by broker-dealers will be the next type of financial transaction integrated into NSCC's processing systems. The need for automated confirmation, clearance and settlement of mutual funds has been highlighted recently by steady growth. In 1984, investors' mutual fund purchases and redemptions arranged through broker-dealers represented 57.5 percent of the industry's overall volume, or \$38 billion of the \$66 billion in mutual fund (other than money market) shares purchased and redeemed during the year. In late 1984, NSCC proposed a plan to centralize and automate the confirmation, settlement and registration interaction between mutual fund underwriters and the broker-dealers who market mutual funds to the investing public. NSCC's plan was endorsed by the joint Operations Task Force of the Investment Company Institute and the NASD. The new system will be developed over the course of 1985.

Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board Chairman Donald J. Robinson (right), Partner, Hawkins, Delafield & Wood, and Public Securities Association Chairman Jean J. Rousseau, Senior Vice President and Director of Municipal Markets, Merrill Lynch Capital Markets. he financial industry's growth and change is often facilitated by NSCC's processing capabilities. The industry has increasingly recognized the need for book-entry systems which "immobilize" certificates. Through the Continuous Net Settlement (CNS) System, one of the industry's most advanced and well-established services, NSCC provides book-entry clearance and settlement linked with participants' central custody accounts at The Depository Trust Company. Beyond the benefits already achieved in terms of the range of financial instruments that are currently processed, CNS can potentially provide expanded efficiencies by incorporating other financial products. A parallel benefit would be to expand the consolidated one-figure daily money settlement to all transactions.

The AT&T divestiture allowed NSCC to provide additional services within the CNS System that were keyed to unique needs at a critical time. NSCC processed the when-issued AT&T securities in a special CNS sub-account and provided participants with daily reports on their net positions and mark-to-market adjustment. CNS cleared most of the when-issued shares of AT&T and the seven divested companies during the three-month transition period from late 1983 through early 1984. When book-entry deliveries occurred in February 1984, the 112 million shares delivered represented a consolidation of 342 million shares actually traded.

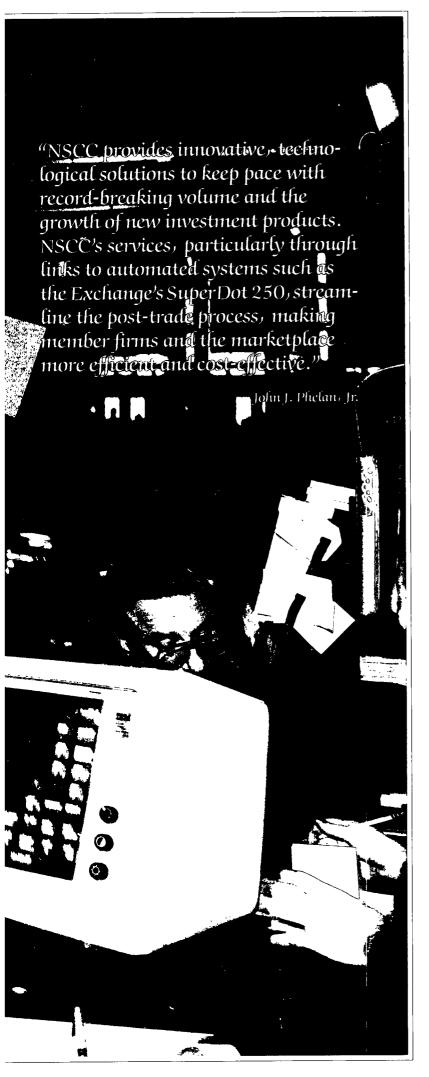
In addition to tailoring the CNS System to financial instruments, NSCC has also enhanced CNS with services designed for supplemental financial activities. These include the Stock-Borrow sub-account, which gives participants the option of lending securities to NSCC in exchange for short-term cash credits equal to the securities' full market value, as well as the Fully-Paid-For CNS sub-account, enhanced in 1984 to help participants reduce conditional "iffy" borrows and unnecessary carrying costs through controlled use of customer securities when allocations in the same issues are anticipated.

NSCC is developing another new service, tailored to the industry's supplemental activities, that is scheduled to begin in 1985. The Automated Customer Account Transfer Service, designed to facilitate the transfer of customer accounts from one participant to another, is being developed at the same time that the NYSE and NASD are changing their rules to ensure orderly and timely processing in this area.









ust as the type of financial instrument affects NSCC's processing, so does the market-place in which the instrument trades. NSCC's processing for equities is divided into separate streams for trades executed on the New York Stock Exchange, American Stock Exchange and over-the-counter. NSCC's processing streams for bonds are similarly differentiated into systems for NYSE, Amex and OTC bonds, as well as for municipal bonds and unit investment trust funds.

The pooling of these market-places' clearing capacity and resources at NSCC has virtually eliminated peak volume risks and processing limitations. During 1984, the average volume of about 240,000 trades a day (compared with the 1977 average of 90,000) was well within the capacity of NSCC's systems. NSCC's processing abilities, helpful at all times, were especially evident on August 6, when a record one million buy and sell sides were processed.

he greater sophistication of the various marketplaces is evidenced not only by volume peaks, but also by innovations which the markets develop, often in conjunction with NSCC. Automated trading systems, now widely proliferated, speed the execution of transactions while also facilitating comparison procedures. New NSCC 'Trade-Date' contracts, for certain listed locked-in transactions, are issued one day earlier than these reports were previously issued. This enables firms to begin their customer and trading account reconciliation earlier, while also streamlining regular-way contracts. NSCC plans to begin production of similar early contracts for certain over-the-counter transactions in 1985.

With the development of new options marketplaces, NSCC's CNS interface with Options Clearing Corporation will provide greater efficiencies for participants as their options exercises and assignments are netted with their current positions in the underlying equities.

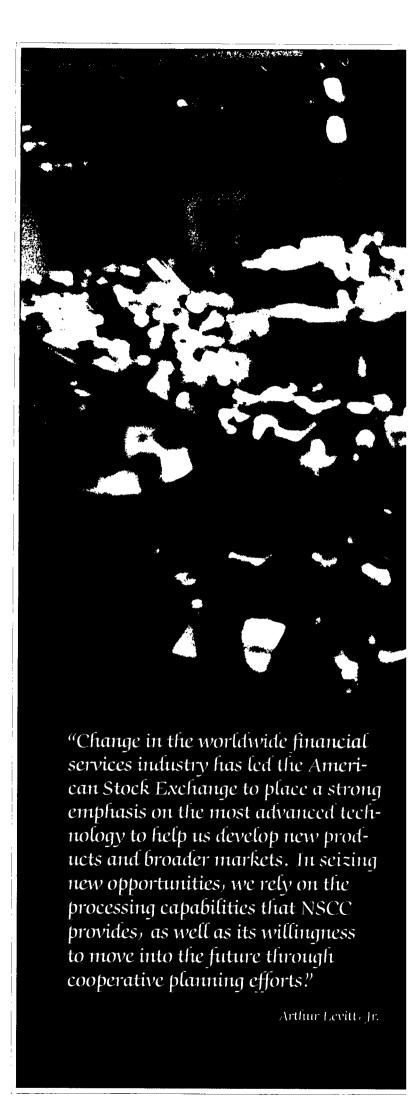
The growth of the financial services industry has brought a corresponding requirement for risk protection. By working with the market-places' self-regulatory agencies, NSCC enhances its services to provide increasingly sophisticated protection to the industry, its marketplaces and participants.

NSCC is in a unique position in the clearance and settlement cycle because it guarantees the financial settlement of the majority of trades submitted. In virtually all securities clearance, NSCC operates as the industry's defense against the possibility that a broker, dealer or dealer-bank may be unable to settle its trades as a result of insolvency or other problems, causing a series of losses. The surveillance efforts of NSCC, combined with similar programs by other self-regulatory industry organizations, have allowed the industry to continue to increase volume capabilities while at the same time reducing risk.

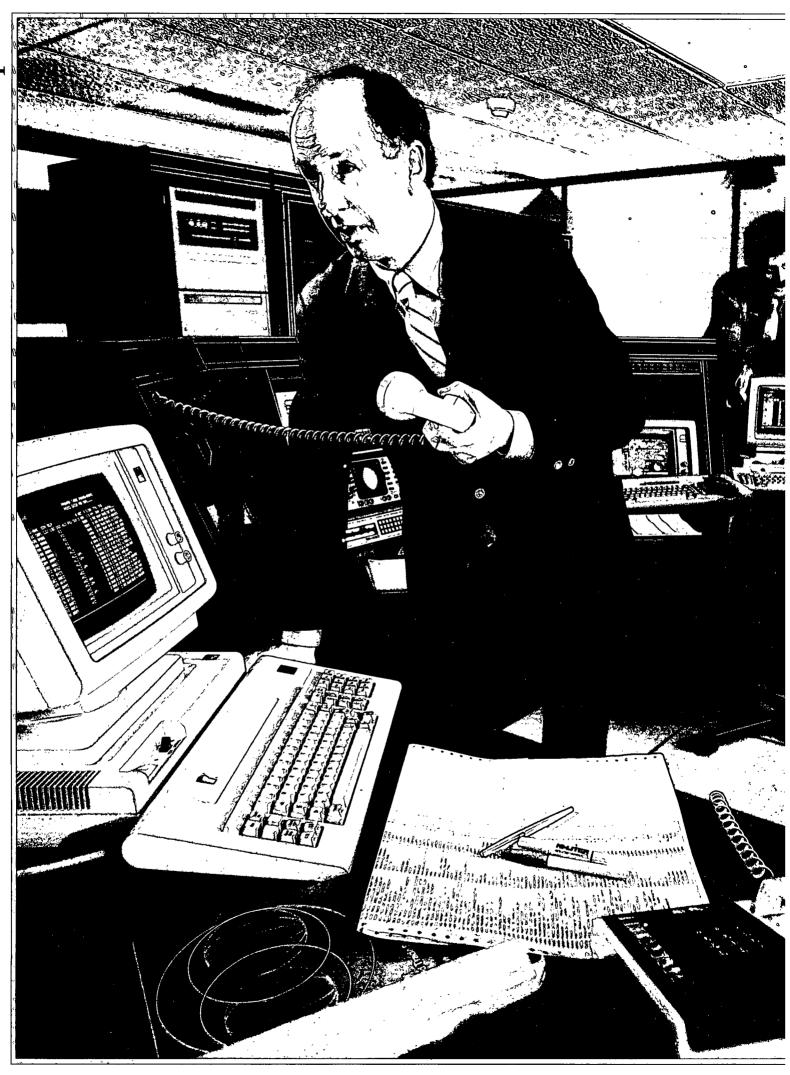
ooperation with marketplace self-regulatory organizations also helps in furthering industry goals as defined by these organizations. A significant example is NSCC's development, in conjunction with the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, of the National System for Municipal Bond Processing.

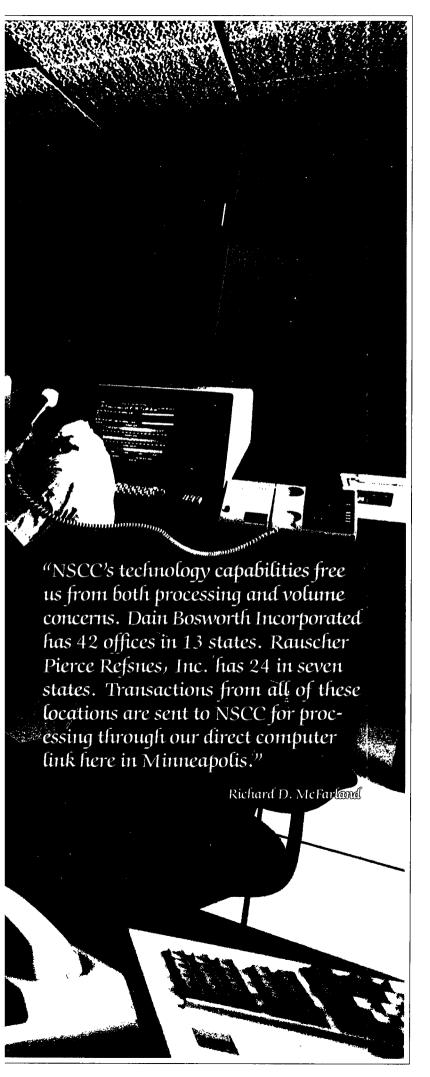
A Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board amendment, effective August 1, 1984, mandated that most municipal bond brokers, dealers and dealer-banks use the automated comparison procedures of a registered clearing agency, such as NSCC. Prior to the August 1 mandate, NSCC launched an all-out effort to work with municipal firms so that they would be in compliance with the MSRB rule changes. This included conducting 44 nationwide seminars to train direct and indirect municipal program participants. NSCC also provided each new participant with complete user documentation and other educational materials aimed at easing their transition.

During 1984, NSCC worked with the National Association of Securities Dealers in implementing its multi-phased plan for an OTC equity audit trail program. By collecting additional data from participants' input to NSCC, the NASD can compile a timely database of transactions. The NASD's audit trail program will provide a monitoring system to fulfill a congressional mandate for a Market Oversight and Surveillance System.









he requirements of NSCC's participants are vital considerations in NSCC's development and improvement of cost- and processing-efficient services.

NSCC's per-trade processing costs have been reduced by 40% since 1977, while average daily value of trades processed has more than tripled, to over \$6 billion. One of the ways that NSCC reduced costs and printing time during 1984 was by eliminating preprinted headings on reports so that ordinary computer paper can be used for the more than 450,000 pages printed at NSCC each day. Among the steps that NSCC took to add efficiency as well as to heighten control of incoming trade information was through the installation of DATATRAK, a system that provides a vital link in NSCC's ability to provide computer-to-computer transmission of all data. DATATRAK performs a preliminary check of the data before it is processed. Implementation of earlier reporting for trades that are locked-in for comparison at execution should add efficiency to participants' processing of trades which they input to NSCC themselves.

sophistication and diversity of the financial community, the definition of an NSCC participant has expanded. A record 228 participants joined NSCC in 1984, including 187 under a new membership category, "Municipal Comparison Only." The Municipal Comparison Only membership enables brokers, dealers and dealer-banks to begin comparing trades in an automated environment without simultaneously having to restructure their delivery and settlement procedures.

The municipal bond program has also greatly increased the number of NSCC's direct participants which now provide services to other firms through the use of comparison sub-accounts. As of January 1, eight NSCC participants maintained individual sub-accounts for 160 brokers, dealers and banks. An additional 314 firms clear through NSCC participants as executing brokers, bringing the total number of firms accessing NSCC's National System for Municipal Bond Processing during 1984 to over 1,000. The Municipal System also provides participants handling their own comparison with the option of having their trade-for-trade settlements handled by clearing agents.

Richard D. McFarland. Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer. Inter-Regional Financial Group. Inc., which is the parent company of Dain Bosworth Incorporated and Rauscher Pierce Refsnes. Inc.

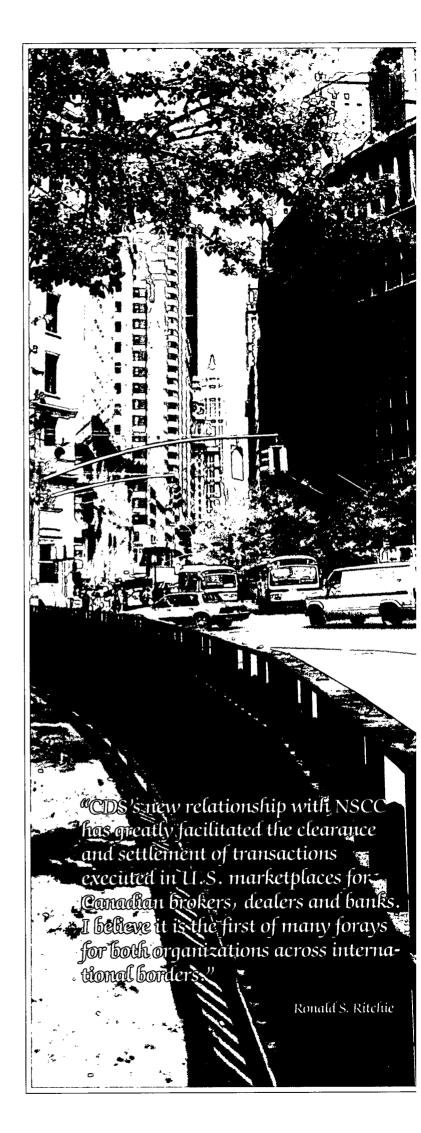
In a step that expands the efficiencies of NSCC's services for the first time to financial organizations outside the United States, NSCC and The Canadian Depository for Securities Limited established a trade clearance link in October 1984. By participating in NSCC, CDS now provides its broker, dealer and bank constituents with new settlement capabilities, both for orders placed in U.S. markets and in conjunction with new trading links between Canadian exchanges and U.S. marketplaces. The new relationship virtually eliminates the necessity for cumbersome double-accounting steps and physical delivery of certificates that have often complicated the settlement of trades executed in the U.S. markets on behalf of Canadian firms.

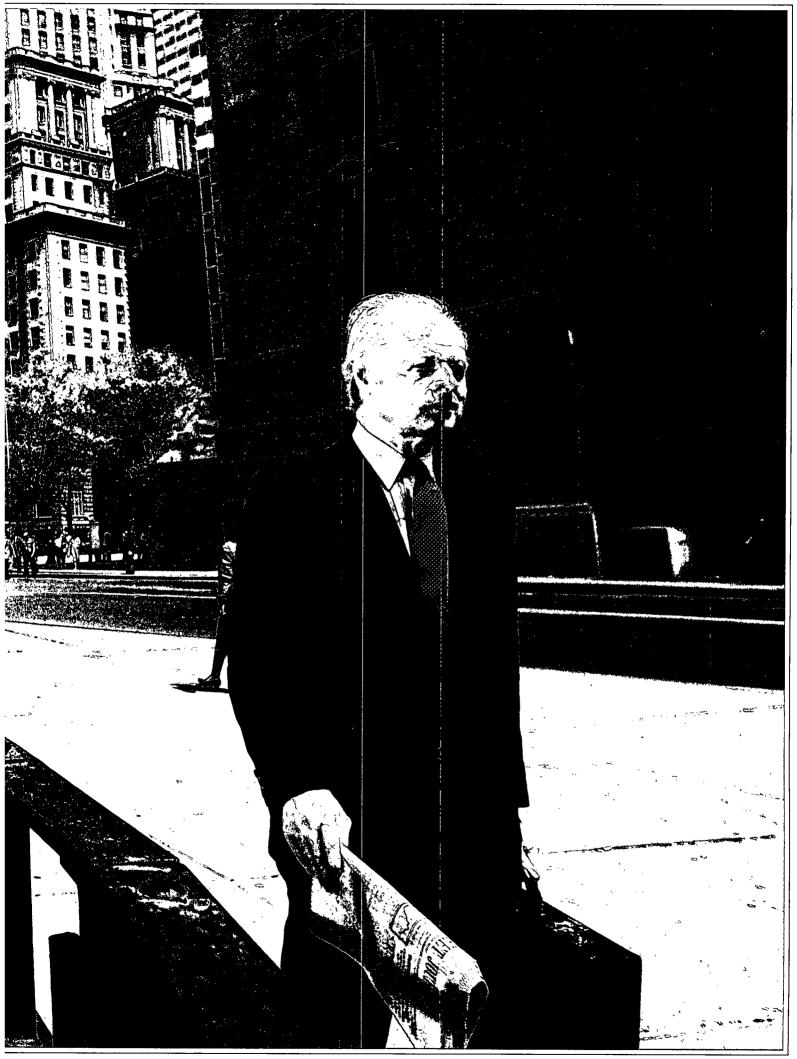
Directors, including 13 senior executives from participating brokers, dealers and dealer-banks, as well as three marketplace representatives, has always played an important part in determining the direction of NSCC's services. This ongoing dialogue with the industry has led to many new services and enhancements to existing procedures. As participation has increased and the definition of NSCC participation has broadened, the industry mix represented on the Board has also widened.

NSCC continues to encourage participant feedback on the development of new services and enhancements. One way that NSCC keeps in touch with the needs of its participants is through industry committees in which management actively participates. NSCC management is currently involved in industry task forces for customer account transfers, international operations, and same-day funds settlement. In addition, NSCC has a participant advisory committee in order to ensure feedback on municipal bond services which are being developed and enhanced. Feedback is also solicited in regular meetings with individual participants.

During 1984, NSCC also analyzed and began to help solve the municipal bond industry's remaining comparison, clearance and settlement problems. These problems were pinpointed through a review of each municipal participant's comparison results and interviews with participants. Based on the findings of the study, clear recommendations to the municipal industry were coordinated between NSCC and the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

The complex relationship between NSCC and the financial services industry has resulted in positive and dynamic growth. NSCC is committed to augmenting and strengthening its industry role in 1985 and beyond.





December 31,	1984	1983
Assets		-
Current Assets:		
Cash	\$ 1,068,000	\$ 5,771,000
Temporary investments at cost		
(approximates market)	63,161,000	49,215,000
Accounts receivable, less allowance for		
doubtful accounts of \$700,000		
and \$675,000 at December 31,		
1984 and 1983	4,139,000	3,213,000
Settlement accounts receivable	18,702,000	10,471,000
Other current assets	133,000	257,000
Total current assets	87,203,000	68,927,000
Clearing Fund	160,008,000	154,565,000
Fixed assets, less accumulated depreciation of		
\$411,000 and \$306,000 at December 31,		
1984 and 1983	1,577,000	551,000
Deposits and other noncurrent assets	2,791,000	727,000
Total assets	\$251,579,000	\$224,770,000
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 3,755,000	\$ 3.523,000
Regulatory fees payable	705,000	
Settlement accounts payable	44,006,000	19,763,000
Accrued taxes and other expenses	1,313,000	1.305,000
Unclaimed dividends	111,000	196,000
Total current liabilities	49,890,000	24,787.000
Clearing Fund:		
Participants' cash deposits	37,781,000	42,018,000
Amounts due from participants on demand	160,008,000	154.565.000
	197,789,000	196,583,000
Commitments and contingent liabilities		
(See Notes)		
Shareholders' Equity:		
Common stock authorized, issued and		
outstanding, 30,000 shares of \$.50 par value	15,000	15,000
Capital in excess of par	885,000	885,000
Retained earnings	3,000,000	2,500,000
	3,900,000	3,400,000
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$251,579,000	\$224,770,000

The accompanying Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

National Securities Clearing Corporation Statement of Income and Retained Earnings

December 31,	1984	1983
Revenue from clearing services Interest income	\$43,986,000 1,476,000	\$44,320,000 1,209,000
Total revenues	45,462,000	45,529,000
Expenses:		
Securities Industry Automation Corporation processing expenses	28,103,000	26,766,000
Other processing expenses	2,386,000	1,993,000
Regulatory fees	-	4,199,000
The Depository Trust Company fees	7,643,000	6,357,000
Employee compensation and related benefits	3,622,000	3,157,000
General and administrative	2,715,000	1,989,000
Professional fees	273,000	455,000
Total expenses	44,742,000	44,916,000
Income before income taxes	720,000	613,000
Provision for income taxes	220,000	113,000
Net income	500,000	500,000
Retained earnings, beginning of the year	2,500,000	2,000,000
Retained earnings, end of the year	\$ 3,000,000	\$ 2,500,000

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National Securities Clearing Corporation Statement of Changes in Financial Position

For the	year	ended
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December 31,	1984	1983
Financial resources were provided by (used for):		- i
Net income	\$ 500,000	\$ 500,000
Depreciation and amortization charges		
not affecting working capital	230,000	148,000
Working capital provided from operations	730,000	648,000
Clearing Fund cash deposits	(4,237,000)	9,773,000
Purchase of fixed assets	(1,373,000)	(256,000)
Disposal of fixed assets	117,000	_
Deposits and other	(2,064,000)	(207,000)
Increase (decrease) in working capital	\$ (6,827,000)	\$ 9,958,000
Analysis of Changes in Working Capital		
Increase (decrease) in current assets:		
Cash	\$ (4,703,000)	\$(26,638,000)
Temporary investments	13,946,000	3,009,000
Accounts receivable	926,000	88,000
Settlement accounts receivable	8,231,000	(1,276,000)
Other current assets	(124,000)	186,000
	18,276,000	(24,631,000)
(Increase) decrease in current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	(232,000)	7,794,000
Regulatory fees payable	(705,000)	484,000
Settlement accounts payable	(24,243,000)	26,576,000
Accrued taxes and other expenses	(8,000)	(371,000)
Unclaimed dividends	85,000	106,000
	(25,103,000)	34,589,000
Increase (decrease) in working capital	\$ (6,827,000)	\$ 9,958,000

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Notes to Financial Statements

Note 1/Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:

The accounting and reporting practices of National Securities Clearing Corporation (the Company) conform to generally accepted accounting principles. The significant policies are summarized as follows:

(a) Retained earnings:

The Company has retained earnings in order to establish a contingency fund of \$3,000,000 and does not plan to declare dividends. The Company determines the amount of earnings, if any, it wishes to retain in a given year and adjusts its billings to participants accordingly.

(b) Temporary investments:

Temporary investments consist of U.S. Treasury securities maturing in less than one year, and are carried at cost, adjusted for amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts. At December 31, 1984, \$23,859,000 of such investments were held in an account for the exclusive benefit of participants. The amount to be held in such account, where the Company's rules require, is determined daily in accordance with procedures established by the Company to facilitate participants' compliance with the customer segregation rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

(c) Settlement accounts:

Settlement accounts receivable and payable arise from temporary time lags in the cash settlement process between the Company and participants or other registered clearing agencies. The nature of the Company's business involves significant money transfers on a daily basis, certain of which are executed via Federal Funds and given effect in the financial statements on the basis of one-day earlier Clearing House Funds. In particular, Federal Funds transfers due from or to certain registered clearing organizations of \$159,890,000 and \$4,727,000, respectively, were recorded as of December 31, 1984 (\$44,433,000 and \$28,235,000 as of December 31, 1983) in accordance with such Company practice.

(d) Revenue from clearing services:

Revenue from clearing services is net of adjustments to participant invoices which reduce gross revenue to the approximate amount of costs in accordance with the Company's retained earnings policy. Since gross revenues exceeded costs, participant invoices were discounted \$2,639,000 and \$10,802,000 in 1984 and 1983, respectively.

(e) Provision for income taxes:

The difference between the Company's 30.6% effective tax rate for the year ended December 31, 1984 (18.4% for the year ended December 31, 1983) and the 46.0% statutory tax rate is primarily attributable to research credits and investment tax credits.

Note 2/Organization and Operations:

All of the Company's shares are owned equally by the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. (NYSE), American Stock Exchange, Inc. (Amex), and the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. (NASD). The Company is managed by its own staff and controlled by an independent user Board of Directors, which is responsible for its policies, operations, and financing. The Company's fee structure, which was approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission, is based upon the Company's cost of providing services to its participants.

Note 3/Clearing Fund:

The rules of the Company require each participant to deposit in the Clearing Fund an amount based on its settlement activity. The Fund is available to secure participant obligations to the Company and certain liabilities and losses of NSCC, should they occur. The Company's policy is to apply 25% and, in its discretion, a greater percentage of its then existing retained earnings, if such losses exceed a defaulting participant's Clearing Fund deposit. After appropriate notice to both its membership and the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Company may assess its membership in accordance with the Company's rules. An assessment for a loss arising from a guaranteed NSCC system is limited to those participants who utilize that guaranteed system. Under certain circumstances, a participant in a guaranteed system can limit its assessment for losses arising from the financial impairment of another member in such guaranteed system to the amount of Clearing Fund attributable or allocated to that system based on the limiting participant's overall settlement activity. Neither the Company nor its predecessors have ever subjected their memberships to such an assessment.

The Clearing Fund consists of cash deposits and amounts due from participants. This open indebtedness may be secured by either cash, bearer bonds issued or guaranteed by the U.S. Government, its states and their political subdivisions, or by Letters of Credit issued by authorized banks.

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The composition of the Clearing Fund is as follows:		
December 31,	1984	1983
Calculated requirements based on settlement activity Cash in excess of such requirements	\$187,435,000 10,354,000	\$186,231,000 10,352,000
Clearing Fund	197,789,000	196,583,000
Less: Participants' cash deposits, including cash in excess of such requirements	(37,781,000)	(42,018,000)
Amounts due from participants on demand	\$160,008,000	\$154,565,000
Secured by: Letters of Credit Bearer bonds (at market value)	\$144,410,000 49,043,000	\$139,195,000 52,795,000
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Substantially all of the cash portion of the Clearing Fund is included in temporary investments at December 31, 1984 and 1983.

Title to the cash deposits and bearer bonds remains with the participant subject to the Company's contractual right to use them (and to present drafts under Letters of Credit deposited by participants) in accordance with the Company's rules.

Note 4/Transactions with Related Parties:

The NYSE, Amex and NASD provide regulatory services which include periodic examinations of the records and operations of participants, the monitoring and investigation of the financial and operating condition of participants and new applicants for membership, and notification to the Company of unusual market conditions which may affect NSCC and/or its membership. The agreement under which the Company was billed for these services was modified effective July 1, 1983 and, pursuant to such modification, participants are billed directly by these organizations, with NSCC collecting on their behalf. Amounts payable at December 31, 1984 and 1983 with respect to these transactions, and amounts billed to the Company by these organizations in 1983, are as follows:

1984	1983	1983
Payable	Billed	Payable
\$594,000	\$2,649,000	\$ -
_	550,000	_
111,000	1,000,000	_
\$705,000	\$4,199,000	\$ -
	Payable \$594,000 — 111,000	Payable Billed \$594,000 \$2,649,000 - 550,000 111,000 1,000,000

As described in Note 5, the Company has a facilities management agreement with Securities Industry Automation Corporation (SIAC), which is owned by the NYSE and Amex. The Company has a rental agreement for office space with SIAC. Billings under the rental agreement amounted to \$565,000 and \$289,000 in 1984 and 1983, respectively. The NYSE also owns a minority interest in The Depository Trust Company (DTC), whose facilities are used by the Company. Amounts unpaid at December 31, 1984 and 1983 to SIAC and DTC are as follows:

	1984	1983
SIAC	\$2,880,000	\$2,689,000
DTC	274,000	281,000 -

At December 31, 1984 and 1983, the Company had certain receivables (payables) resulting from the cash settlement process, as follows:

	1984 198	33
NYSE	\$84,000 \$ 168,00	00
Amex	39,000 14,00	00
DTC	- (4,324,00	00)

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Note 5/Facilities Management Agreement:

Under the terms of an agreement, SIAC provides the necessary facilities, personnel and services in support of the Company's clearing services and related functions. SIAC's charge is based on its direct, computer and general overhead costs arising from providing such services. The agreement has no expiration date and continues in effect unless notice of cancellation is given by either party. Under the terms of this agreement the Company was liable, in the event of cancellation, for computer equipment leases in the amount of \$4,312,000 at December 31, 1984. This amount decreases to zero in 1989.

Note 6/Contingencies:

The Continuous Net Settlement (CNS) system interposes the Company between participants in each security position on a daily basis. The total long and short security positions are in balance each day. The failure of participants to deliver securities to the Company, and the corresponding failure of the Company to redeliver such securities results in unsettled transactions. Unsettled transactions are marked to the market and credited or debited to participants involved.

At December 31, 1984, unsettled positions due the Company approximated \$587,000,000 (\$2,533,000,000 at December 31, 1983), and the amounts due from the Company approximated \$354,000,000 (\$2,399,000,000 at December 31, 1983) for unsettled positions and \$233,000,000 (\$134,000,000 at December 31, 1983) for securities borrowed through the Company's Stock Borrow Program. The more significant unsettled positions at December 31, 1983, were primarily attributable to when-issued trading arising from the American Telephone & Telegraph divestiture at that time.

Note 7/Pension Plan:

The Company has a trusteed noncontributory pension plan covering all employees who have attained age 25 and have six months of service. The total pension expense, which includes amortization of past service cost over 10 years, was \$148,000 and \$153,000 for 1984 and 1983, respectively, calculated under the entry age normal actuarial cost method. The Company makes annual contributions to the plan equal to the amount accrued for pension expense. Benefits and net assets for the pension plan are presented below:

January 1,	1984	1983
Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits:		
Vested	\$558,000	\$492,000
Nonvested	55,000	85,000
	\$613,000	\$577,000
Net assets available for plan benefits	\$745,000	\$546,000

During the plan year beginning January 1, 1984, certain actuarial assumptions and plan provisions were modified, including an increase in the rate of return used in determining the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits to 7.5% for 1984 from 6.5% for 1983. The effect of these changes on pension expense and the accumulated plan benefits information is not significant.

Report of Independent Accountants



153 EAST 53RD STREET NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10022

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of National Securities Clearing Corporation

February 20, 1985

In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheet and the related statements of income and retained earnings and of changes in financial position present fairly the financial position of National Securities Clearing Corporation at December 31, 1984 and 1983, and the results of its operations and the changes in its financial position for the years then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles consistently applied. Our examinations of these statements were made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

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In keeping with NSCC's receptiveness to open communication with and guidance from the industry, the executives that comprise NSCC's Board of Directors represent the broad diversity of the financial services industry.

Beyond the variety of businesses represented, Board members' professional expertise spans such areas as executive, financial and operational management. As representatives of participating organizations, they bring a breadth of knowledge, perspective and experience to the Board's deliberations and decisions.

Through short-term and long-range planning, the Board establishes corporate objectives and monitors NSCC's progress toward achieving goals. The Board's guidance works to: minimize the industry's clearance and settlement risks; ensure NSCC's support, where appropriate, of the National Market System; and guarantee that NSCC provide services on a costjustified, efficient and equitable basis. In conjunction with NSCC's senior management, the Board effectively directs NSCC's work to enhance and develop services for financial instruments, their marketplaces, and NSCC participants, as well as to direct interaction with other clearing corporations and the Securities and Exchange Commission.

members, including Chairman J. Ronald Morgan, are executives of participating brokers, dealers and banks. The other members of the Board are NSCC's President, David M. Kelly, and three shareholder directors, C. Richard Justice, Joseph F. Neil, Jr. and Stephen L. Williams, appointed by the NASD, NYSE and Amex, respectively. The NYSE appointed Samuel A. Alward, Executive Vice President, Finance and Administration, pictured on page 30, to succeed Mr. Neil after he retires from the NYSE and NSCC's Board in 1985.

The Board had, during 1984, six standing committees: Executive, Audit, Finance,

The NSCC Board of Directors: (left to right) In front. Donald D. Kittell. Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. Dean Witter Revnolds Inc.; NSCC President David M. Kelly; NSCC Chairman J. Ronald Morgan. Chairman. Chief Executive Officer and Director, Thomson McKinnon Securities Inc.: W. Gresham O'Malley III. Senior Vice President. Secretary and Director. Janney Montgomery Scott Inc.: and Gilbert L. Pamplin. President and Chief Executive Officer, J.J.B. Hilliard, W.L. Lyons, Inc. In back. Bernard L. Madoff, Proprietor. Bernard L. Madoff; Gerard P. Lynch. Managing Director, Morgan Stanlev & Co. Incorporated: Robert L. Woodberry, President and Director, Sutro & Co. Incorporated: Stephen L. Williams, Senior Vice President, American Stock Exchange, Inc.; Walter H. Cushman, Senior Vice President, The Bank of New York: Joseph F. Neil. Jr., Senior Vice President. Finance, New York Stock Exchange, Inc.: William J. Tierney, Jr., Managing Director, Salomon Brothers Inc.: Melvin B. Taub, Division Vice President, Securities Operations Division, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Inc.: J. Kevin Kenny, President and Chief Executive Officer, J.J. Kenny Co., Inc.; William A. Rogers, Partner and Chief Operating Officer. Wayne Hummer & Co.: and C. Richard Justice, Executive Vice President, National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc.

Marketing, Membership and Operations. In early 1985, the Audit and Finance committees were combined.

he Executive Committee ensures adherence to Board policy and progress toward corporate goals. The Finance and Audit Committee is responsible for NSCC's financial integrity, including: overseeing NSCC's internal accounting and auditing procedures; appointing the independent accountants and reviewing with them the planned scope of their examination and results thereof; and monitoring operating and capital budgets. The Marketing Committee is responsible for the direction and review of NSCC's overall business development and customer service program. The Membership Committee oversees NSCC's programs which monitor participants' financial and operational accountability and compliance with NSCC's rules. The Operations Committee

During early 1985, these Board Committees were as follows:

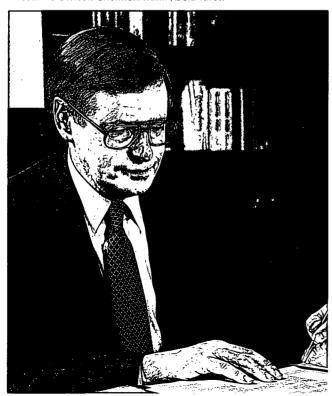
reviews operations and guides system planning efforts.

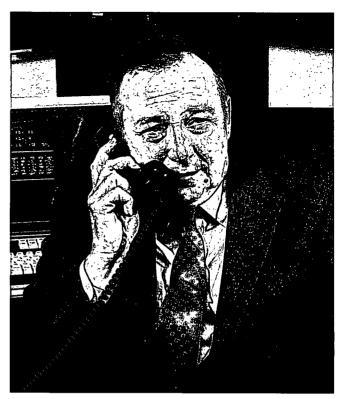
Executive Committee: J. Ronald Morgan, Chairman; Walter H. Cushman, David M. Kelly, Donald D. Kittell, Gerard P. Lynch, W. Gresham O'Malley III, Gilbert L. Pamplin.

Finance and Audit Committee: Gilbert L. Pamplin, Chairman; Walter H. Cushman, Vice Chairman; Donald D. Kittell, Gerard P. Lynch, William A. Rogers, Melvin B. Taub and Robert L. Woodberry.

Marketing Committee: W. Gresham O'Malley III, Chairman; J. Kevin Kenny, William A. Rogers and Robert L. Woodberry.

1985 Director-Elect Bruce T. Muddell, President and Chief Executive Officer, Chemical Bank (Delaware).





1985 Director-Elect Raymond J. Kalinowski, Vice Chairman, A. G. Edwards & Sons, Inc.

Membership Committee: Donald D. Kittell, Chairman; Walter H. Cushman, J. Kevin Kenny, Bernard L. Madoff and William J. Tierney, Jr.

Operations Committee: Gerard P. Lynch, Chairman; Bernard L. Madoff, W. Gresham O'Malley III, Melvin B. Taub and William J. Tierney, Jr.

Appointments to all of the Board Committees are made on an annual basis, with Committee chairmen and members elected by a vote of the full Board of Directors.

In late 1984, NSCC's

annual electoral process was set in motion with an official invitation to participants to propose names of prospective directors and new members of the Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee, each year, is a group selected from the executive ranks of participant firms.

After reviewing suggestions submitted by participants, the Nominating Committee proposed four candidates for three-year terms of office. They include Melvin B. Taub, who joined the board in early 1985, succeeding Leonard V. Haynes, formerly Executive Vice President, Shearson Lehman/American Express Inc., who had resigned when he transferred to a new post within American Express. Walter H. Cushman and Gerard P. Lynch, whose first three-year terms were due to expire in May 1985, were nominated for an additional one-year term. As pictured here and on page 30,

NSCC Senior Management: (clockwise from left) John F. Elberfeld, Senior Vice President, Finance: Robert A. Schultz, Senior Vice President, Planning and Operations: John L. Kinnaman, Senior Vice President, Marketing, Corporate Communications and Administration; David M. Kelly, President; and Robert J. Woldow, Senior Vice President, Membership and Compliance, and General Counsel.





1985 Director-Elect Samuel A. Alward, Executive Vice President, Finance and Administration, New York Stock Exchange, Inc.

three other senior executives were nominated for threeyear terms:

Raymond J. Kalinowski Vice Chairman A.G. Edwards & Sons, Inc.

Herbert I. Levitt General Partner Spear, Leeds & Kellogg

Bruce T. Muddell President and Chief Executive Officer Chemical Bank (Delaware)

Alfter all NSCC partici-

pants were notified of the Committee's recommendations, and in the absence of participant petitions to nominate any additional candidates, these nominees were to become Participant Directors of NSCC following the Board's Annual Meeting in May 1985, succeeding two retiring Directors. They were Chairman of the Board J. Ronald Morgan and W. Gresham O'Malley III. One of the Directors-elect is to succeed Peter D.S. Dale, formerly Senior Vice President, Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York, who resigned from the Board in early 1985 when he assumed a post in Europe.

The members of the 1984-

1985 Nominating Committee were as follows:

Alan F. Blanchard Vice President and Director Goldman Sachs Money Markets Inc.

William J. Fields Executive Vice President Wheat, First Securities, Inc. Edgar D. Jannotta Managing Partner William Blair & Company

Richard H. Jenrette Chairman of the Board

Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette, Inc.

Donald E. Nickelson

President, Consumer Markets

PaineWebber Incorporated

Daniel P. Tully

Executive Vice President

Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.

George A. Vonder Linden

President and Chief Executive Officer

Smith Barney, Harris Upham & Co. Incorporated

The Nominating Committee

also proposed four senior executives for two-year terms on the 1985-1986 Nominating Committee:

Norman M. Epstein

Executive Vice President/Managing Director

E.F. Hutton & Company, Inc.

James A. Jacobson

Partner

Benjamin Jacobson & Sons

Jeffrey B. Lane

Vice Chairman and Chief Operating Officer

Shearson Lehman Brothers Inc.

John A. Wing

President and Chief Executive Officer

The Chicago Corporation

They will serve on the

1985-86 Committee with returning Committee members Fields, Tully and Vonder Linden.

1985 Director-Elect Herbert I. Levitt, General Partner. Spear. Leeds & Kellogg.



Participating Organizations (as of December 31, 1984)

ABD Securities Corporation Adams, Harkness & Hill, Inc. Adler, Coleman & Co. Advest, Inc. Agora Securities, Inc. Fred Alger & Company Incorporated Allen & Company Incorporated Allen Securities Corp. Alpine Associates Amalgamated Bank of New York American Investment Group American Securities Corporation American Stock Exchange Clearing Corporation Arnhold and S. Bleichroeder, Inc. Asiel & Co. Atlantic Capital Corporation **BHF Securities Corporation** B & S Financial Services Inc. Iulius Baer Securities Inc. Robert W. Baird & Co., Incorporated Baird, Patrick & Co., Inc. Bank of Montreal, New York Branch The Bank of New York The Bank of New York-Brokers Clearance Bankers Trust-Clearance **Bankers Trust Company** Adams, McEntee & Company Bossier Bank & Trust Company Capital Bank, N.A. Citizens Trust Company Langdon P. Cook & Co. Incorporated First Wisconsin National Bank of Milwaukee Fleet National Bank Liss, Tenner & Goldberg, Inc. Midlantic National Bank National City Bank, Cleveland D.A. Pincus & Co., Inc. Refco Municipal Securities Co. Sterling, Grace Municipal Securities Corporation Strahsmier Securities Co. Tollner & Bean, Inc. United Virginia Bank Bankers Trust/Investment Services Bankers Trust - J.J. Kenny Co., Inc. **Barclays Bank International Limited** Barrett & Company Bear, Stearns & Co. Beare Brothers & Co., Inc. Beauchamp & Co. Bellamah, Neuhauser & Barrett, Inc. Benton & Company Sanford C. Bernstein & Co., Inc. William Blair & Company Blinder, Robinson & Co., Inc. Boettcher & Company, Inc. **Boston Stock Exchange Clearing** Corp. **Bodell Overcash Anderson** & Co., Inc. **Buell Securities Corp.** Cantella & Co. (Retail) Robert C. Carr & Co., Inc. Clayton, Polleys & Co. Cummings & Company Diamant Investment Corp. Gage-Wiley & Co., Inc. Gordon & Co. Instant Funds Incorporated **Investors Discount Corporation** Kimball & Cross Linsco Corp. Merrimack Valley Investment Inc. Oftring & Co., Inc. H.M. Payson & Co. Wm. H. Rybeck & Co., Inc. Spencer, Swain & Co., Inc.

Boston Stock Exchange Specialist Account ABD Securities Corp. Steven J. Agoston Andrew Company John N. Aufiero Blodgett & Co., Inc. Cantella & Co. Dietrich & Company Feigelman Securities Gus N. Ganoudis Garden State Securities, Inc. Gowell Securities Corp. H.T.N. Securities Hawthorne Securities Corporation Jorgenson Securities, Inc. K. and S., Inc. King, Keller & Co. May & Gannon, Inc. Mermelstein & Co. Gerald P. Michaud John Murphy & Associates Olwell, McCallion, Inc. J. C. Bradford & Co. Bradford Trust Company American Municipal Securities Inc. Bankers Trust (Des Moines, IA) Bernardi Securities, Inc. Brean Murray, Foster Securities Inc. Bryan, Worley & Co., Inc. Buetti, Cannon & Company, Incorporated Capitol Municipal Securities, Inc. Central Bank of the South Columbian Securities, Inc. Commerce Union Bank, Nashville Crews & Associates, Inc. Diamant Investment Corp. Ladd, Dinkins & Company Dorsey & Company Incorporated Dupree & Company, Inc. M. J. Dwyer Securities R. W. Ellwood & Co., Inc. Essex Company Essex Partners Ltd. FAIC Securities, Inc. First Huntington Securities Corp. First Miami Securities First Monmouth Securities Corp. First National Bank (Covington, LA) A. F. Green & Co., Inc. Greer Moreland Fosdick Shepherd Inc. Hattier, Sanford & Reynoir Horizon Securities, Inc. John F. Houlahan & Co., Inc. Investment Securities of Oklahoma, Inc. Isaak Bond Investments, Inc. Jefferson Guaranty Bank Lex Jolley & Co., Inc. Juran & Moody, Inc. Kenny & Branisel Municipals Inc. W. L. Knox & Company Lasater & Company David Lerner & Associates, Inc. Maryland National Bank Matthews & Wright, Inc. Meuse, Rinker & Chapman Incorporated NCNB National Bank of North Carolina - a/c Cape Securities National Bank of Commerce The Philadelphia National Bank Plansmith Securities, Inc. Powell & Satterfield, Inc. Republicbank Dallas N.A. Security National Bank of Kansas City Sills, Zoppa & Associates, Inc. Tennessee Capital Corp. Texas Independent Bank Texas State Securities, Inc. Thornton, Farish & Gauntt Inc. Transgulf Municipal Securities Corp. Underwood, Neuhaus & Co.

Vierling, Devaney & Maguire, Inc. Zahner & Company B. C. Ziegler & Company A. W. Zucker & Co. Branch, Cabell & Co. H. A. Brandt & Associates, Inc. Broadcort Capital Corporation Brokerage Clearance Services Inc. BrokersTrust Clearing Corp. Brounoff, Claire & Co., Inc. Brown Brothers Harriman & Co. Brown & Company Securities Corporation Brown, Lisle/Cummings, Inc. Alex. Brown & Sons, Inc. P. R. Burke & Co. Burns Fry & Timmins Inc. Burns, Pauli & Co., Inc. CBT Municipal Dealer Cable, Howse & Ragen Canadian Depository for Securities Limited Bache Securities Inc. **Burns Fry Limited** F. H. Deacon, Hodgson Inc. Dominion Securities Pitfield Limited Levesque, Beaubien Inc. Pemberton Houston Willoughby Incorporated Richardson Greenshields of Canada, Limited Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce S. B. Cantor & Co., Inc. Cantor, Fitzgerald & Co., Inc. Capital Shares, Inc. Carolina Securities Corporation Carr Securities Corp. Carr & Thompson, Inc. Chase Dealer & Investment The Chase Manhattan Bank, N.A. Chase/Syndicate Chemical Bank Chemical Bank-Municipal Dealer The Chicago Corporation B. C. Christopher Securities Co. The Cincinnati Stock Exchange Citibank Dealer - Municipal **Operations** Citibank/IFI Custody Citibank, N.A. Citibank-Private Banking Division Conklin, Cahill & Co. The Connecticut Bank and Trust Company Cosentino & DeFelice, Inc. Coughlin & Co., Inc. Cowen & Co. Craig-Hallum, Inc. Craigie Incorporated DLJ Fixed-Income Dain Bosworth Incorporated Daiwa Securities America Inc. Davenport & Co. of Virginia, Inc. Shelby Cullom Davis & Co. Dean Witter Reynolds Inc. deCordova, Cooper & Co. **Deltec Securities Corporation** Denton & Co., Inc. The Depository Trust Company Citizens Commercial & Savings Bank (Municipal Dealer) First National Bank of Cincinnati First National Bank of Louisville Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit—Municipal Bond Dept. Wachovia Bank & Trust-Bond Department Dillon, Read & Co. Inc.

Union Planters National Bank

Trusteed Funds, Inc.

Arthur W. Wood Company

Ultrafin International Corporation

Doft & Co., Inc. Dominick Investor Services Corp. Dominion Securities Pitfield Inc. Donald & Co. Securities, Inc. Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette Securities Corporation Drexel Burnham Lambert Incorporated E. I. Loan Services Easton & Co. F. Eberstadt & Co., Inc. A. G. Edwards & Sons, Inc. Einhorn & Co. Engler & Budd Company Eppler, Guerin & Turner, Inc. Equity Securities Trading Co., Inc. Ernst & Company **EuroPartners Securities Corporation** Evans & Co., Incorporated Exchange Services, Inc. **Execution Services Incorporated** Fagenson & Company, Inc. Fagenson & Company, Inc. - Retail Fahnestock & Co. Fechtor, Detwiler & Co., Inc. Fernandez, Bartsch & Mirra Ferris & Company, Incorporated Financial America Securities, Inc. Financial Clearing & Services Corporation First Albany Corporation First Birmingham Securities Corporation The First Boston Corporation First Florida Securities, Inc. First Jersey National Bank First Jersey Securities, Inc. First Manhattan Co. First of Michigan Corporation First Options of Chicago, Inc. First Southwest Company Fossett Corporation Walter N. Frank & Co. Walter N. Frank & Co. & Travers, Dear & Fernandez Wm. V. Frankel & Co., Inc. Freehling & Co. Freeman Securities Company, Inc. Freeman Welwood & Co., Inc. French American Banking Corp. Albert Fried & Company J. W. Gant & Associates Gintel & Co. **Goldberg Securities** Goldman, Sachs & Co. **Gowell Securities Corporation** Gradison & Company Incorporated Greenfield Partners Gruntal & Co. Oscar Gruss & Son Incorporated Haas Securities Corporation Hanifen, Imhoff Inc. J. F. Hartfield & Co., Inc. The Heitner Corporation Henderson Brothers, Inc. Herzfeld & Stern Inc. Herzog, Heine, Geduld, Inc. Hill, Thompson, Magid & Co., Inc. J. J. B. Hilliard, W. L. Lyons, Inc. Hirshon, Roth & Co. Howard, Weil, Labouisse, Friedrichs Incorporated Wayne Hummer & Co. E. F. Hutton & Company Inc. Icahn & Co., Inc. The Illinois Company Incorporated Ingalls & Snyder Interstate Securities Corporation Irving Trust Company The First National Bank in Albuquerque Mitsui Manufacturers Bank The Rainier Bancorporation United Bank of Arizona

Irving Trust/Investment/Dealer JMS Execution Services Benjamin Jacobson & Sons Janney Montgomery Scott Inc. Jefferies & Co., Inc. Jesup & Lamont Clearing Corp. Johnson, Lane, Space, Smith & Co., Inc. Johnston, Lemon & Co. Incorporated Edward D. Jones & Co. Josephthal & Co. Incorporated Kalb, Voorhis & Co. Kall & Co., Inc. Kaufmann, Alsberg & Co., Inc. Kellner, DiLeo & Co. J. J. Kenny Co., Inc. Kidder, Peabody & Co. Incorporated C. L. King & Associates, Inc. Koonce Securities Inc. Henry Krieger & Co. LaBranche & Co. Lafer Amster & Co. Laidlaw Ansbacher, Inc. Lashco, Inc. Lasker, Stone & Stern Cyrus J. Lawrence Incorporated Lawrence, O'Donnell & Co. Lazard Freres & Co. Legg Mason Masten Inc. B. J. Leonard & Company, Inc. Lewco Securities Corp. S. B. Lewis & Company MKI Securities Corp. **MN Services** M. S. Securities Services Inc. MSC Loan Group McCourtney-Breckenridge & Company McDonald & Company Securities, Inc. McLeod Young Weir Incorporated McMahan, Brafman, Morgan & Co. Mabon, Nugent & Co. Bernard L. Madoff Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company Manufacturers Correspondent Clearing Services Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company Alamo National Bank American Fletcher National Bank The Arizona Bank Banco Popular de Puerto Rico BancOhio National Bank Bank of Virginia Bankers Trust of South Carolina Boatman's National Bank of St. Louis Central Fidelity Bank-Investments Pasternack Securities Central Fidelity Bank (Lynchburg, VA) Central Fidelity Bank Corpus Christi National Bank Crocker National Bank First American National Bank First National Bank of South Carolina First Union National Bank Landmark First National Bank LaSalle National Bank Mellon Bank, N.A. NCNB National Bank of North Carolina Old Stone Corporation Pittsburgh National Bank South Carolina National Bank Southeast Bank, N.A. Southtrust Bank of Alabama, N.A. Sovran, N. A. **Unibanc Trust** United Bank and Trust Compay

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Marcus & Company

Trust Company -

Marcus Schloss & Co., Inc.

Markets Clearance

Municipal Dealer Operations

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