

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): July 29, 2025

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-02979
(Commission File
Number)

No. 41-0449260
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

420 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California 94104
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **415-371-2921**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

<u>Title of Each Class</u>	<u>Trading Symbol</u>	<u>Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered</u>
Common Stock, par value \$1-2/3	WFC	New York Stock Exchange (NYSE)
7.5% Non-Cumulative Perpetual Convertible Class A Preferred Stock, Series L	WFC.PRL	NYSE
Depository Shares, each representing a 1/1000th interest in a share of Non-Cumulative Perpetual Class A Preferred Stock, Series Y	WFC.PRY	NYSE
Depository Shares, each representing a 1/1000th interest in a share of Non-Cumulative Perpetual Class A Preferred Stock, Series Z	WFC.PRZ	NYSE
Depository Shares, each representing a 1/1000th interest in a share of Non-Cumulative Perpetual Class A Preferred Stock, Series AA	WFC.PRA	NYSE
Depository Shares, each representing a 1/1000th interest in a share of Non-Cumulative Perpetual Class A Preferred Stock, Series CC	WFC.PRC	NYSE
Depository Shares, each representing a 1/1000th interest in a share of Non-Cumulative Perpetual Class A Preferred Stock, Series DD	WFC.PRD	NYSE
Guarantee of Medium-Term Notes, Series A, due October 30, 2028 of Wells Fargo Finance LLC	WFC/28A	NYSE

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company ☐

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ☐

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Special CEO Equity Award

On July 29, 2025, the independent members of the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of Wells Fargo & Company (the “Company”), consistent with the recommendation of the Human Resources Committee of the Board (the “HRC”), awarded Chief Executive Officer and President Charles W. Scharf a one-time equity award (the “Award”), consisting of Restricted Share Rights (“RSRs”) with a grant date value of approximately \$30 million and 1.046 million Stock Options (“Options”). Both the RSRs and Options will vest (and become exercisable for Options) on a pro-rata basis following the fourth, fifth, and sixth anniversaries of the grant date. If Mr. Scharf resigns or retires from the Company, unvested portions of the Award will be forfeited.

The Award reflects the Board’s desire to retain Mr. Scharf in his role and to acknowledge his successful leadership of the Company, in particular by:

- promoting the long-term retention of Mr. Scharf as the Company’s CEO
- recognizing Mr. Scharf’s role in building a strong executive team and supporting his continued leadership of the team in driving future growth
- recognizing Mr. Scharf’s leadership in driving significant progress, including:
 - creating significant shareholder value and positioning the Company for future success
 - continuing to build out a sustainable risk and control infrastructure appropriate for a company of our size and complexity
 - reaching key regulatory milestones, resulting in 13 consent orders terminating during his tenure and including the Federal Reserve announcing in June 2025 the termination of the limits on growth in total assets that had been imposed in 2018
 - delivering a strong financial performance, while making strategic investments in driving growth of the Company’s core businesses
- maintaining our CEO’s compensation relative to peer financial institutions, including the CEOs of our Labor Market Peer Group

The Award design is intended to promote long-term shareholder value creation as the value of the RSRs will fluctuate with the Company’s stock price and the Options will only have value to the extent the Company’s stock price appreciates over the vesting period. The entire Award will be subject to the Company’s Clawback and Forfeiture Policy as well as our Stock Ownership Policy, under which Mr. Scharf must, for the duration of his employment and one year after his departure, retain at least 50% of the net vested shares from Company stock-based awards.

The foregoing summary of the Award is qualified in all respects by reference to the text of the award agreements that govern the Award, forms of which are filed as Exhibits 10.1 and 10.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and are incorporated herein by reference.

2025 Named Executive Officer Compensation Program

In connection with a comprehensive evaluation of our executive compensation program earlier this year, the HRC determined not to maintain a target total compensation structure for our named executive officers (“NEOs”) effective as of the 2025 performance year. The HRC will continue to determine incentive compensation for each NEO, including the CEO, using a holistic performance assessment that evaluates NEO performance based on individual and Company performance, as well as line of business performance, where applicable, relative to established financial and non-financial performance criteria. This change further aligns the Company’s executive compensation program with those of the Company’s most comparable peers. The HRC will continue to award incentive compensation through a combination of cash and equity, with a significant majority deferred through performance share awards and RSRs that include additional performance and vesting criteria.

Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On July 29, 2025, the Board approved and adopted the Company’s By-Laws (as amended and restated, the “By-Laws”), effective immediately.

Among other things, the amendments remove the requirement that the Chairman of the Board be an independent director. The Board also amended the Company’s Corporate Governance Guidelines (the “Guidelines”) to, among other things, require a Lead Independent Director if the Chairman of the Board is not independent. Consistent with this change, the independent directors of the Board intend to appoint Mr. Scharf as Chairman of the Board, and to appoint a Lead Independent Director of the Board.

Additionally, the amendments to the By-Laws update certain procedural and disclosure requirements related to director nominations and/or other business proposals by shareholders, including by:

- tailoring information requirements to focus on the actual proposing shareholders
- removing requirements to disclose certain commercial interests relating to the Company and its principal competitors
- clarifying the purpose of any additional disclosure requirements as may be reasonably requested by the Company for a proposed nominee
- clarifying certain disclosure requirements regarding the director nominee questionnaire and representations

The amendments also: (i) update language permitting the use of proxies to align more closely with the requirements of the Delaware General Corporation Law and market practice; (ii) remove unnecessary detail regarding geographic locations referenced therein; and (iii) incorporate various other technical, clarifying and conforming changes, including certain changes to defined terms to improve readability.

The foregoing summary of the By-Laws is qualified in all respects by reference to the text of the By-Laws, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 3.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

On July 31, 2025, the Company issued a press release announcing the Award and the Board’s intent to change its leadership structure. The press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on

Form 8-K. Exhibit 99.1 shall not be considered “filed” for purposes of Section 18 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into the filings of the Company under the Securities Act of 1933.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>3.1</u>	<u>By-Laws</u>	Filed herewith
<u>10.1</u>	<u>Form of Restricted Share Rights Award Agreement for Chief Executive Officer grant on July 29, 2025</u>	Filed herewith
<u>10.2</u>	<u>Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement for Chief Executive Officer grant on July 29, 2025</u>	Filed herewith
<u>99.1</u>	<u>Press Release dated July 31, 2025</u>	Furnished herewith
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File.	Embedded within the Inline XBRL document

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: July 31, 2025

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY

By: /s/ JANET McGINNESS

Janet McGinness
Senior Vice President and Secretary

**BY-LAWS
OF
WELLS FARGO & COMPANY**

**(AS AMENDED THROUGH JULY 29, 2025)
WELLS FARGO & COMPANY**

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**BY-LAWS
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**ARTICLE I
DEFINITIONS**

1.1. Definitions. In these By-Laws, unless otherwise specified, the following terms shall have the meanings set forth in this Section 1.1:

(a) “*Affiliate*” shall have the meaning ascribed thereto in Rule 405 under the Securities Act; *provided, however*, that “*Affiliate of the Company*” means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust or other entity or organization that is Controlled By the Company.

(b) “*Board*” means the Company’s Board of Directors.

(c) “*Certificate of Incorporation*” means the Company’s Restated Certificate of Incorporation, as amended or restated from time to time, including any certificates of designation filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware setting forth the terms of preferred stock of the Company.

(d) “*Commission*” means the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, and any successor thereto.

(e) “*Common Stock*” means the Company’s common stock, par value \$1-2/3 per share.

(f) “*Company*” means Wells Fargo & Company, a Delaware corporation.

(g) “*Controlled By*” means possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction and management of the policies of an entity, whether through the ownership of over fifty percent (50%) of the voting securities or other ownership interest, by contract or otherwise.

(h) “*Derivative Instrument*” means any option, warrant, convertible security, stock appreciation right, or similar right with an exercise or conversion privilege or a settlement payment or mechanism at a price related to any securities or with a value derived in whole or in part from the value of any class or series of Shares or any derivative or synthetic arrangement having the characteristics of a long position in any securities, or any contract, derivative, swap or other transaction or series of transactions designed to produce economic benefits and risks that correspond substantially to the ownership of any securities, including due to the fact that the value of such contract, derivative, swap or other transaction or series of transactions is determined by reference to

the price, value or volatility of any securities, whether or not such instrument, contract or right shall be subject to settlement in the underlying securities, through the delivery of cash or other property, or otherwise, and without regard to whether any transactions may have been entered into that hedge or mitigate the economic effect of such instrument, contract or right, or any other direct or indirect opportunity to profit or share in any profit derived from any increase or decrease in the value of such securities.

(i) “*Designated Officers*” means a numbered list of officers of the Company who shall be deemed to be, in the order in which they appear on the list up until a quorum is obtained, directors of the Company for purposes of obtaining a quorum during an emergency (as described in Article VIII of these By-Laws) if a quorum of directors cannot otherwise be obtained during such emergency, which officers have been designated by the Board or a committee of the Board, as the case may be, from time to time but in any event prior to such time or times as an emergency may have occurred.

(j) “*DGCL*” means the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as the same now exists or may hereafter be amended.

(k) “*Exchange Act*” means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated from time to time thereunder.

(l) “*Lead Independent Director*” means the lead independent director of the Board, if any.

(m) “*Person*” means any individual, corporation, partnership, business trust, limited liability company, an association, unincorporated organization or other entity of whatever nature.

(n) “*Proponent*” shall mean the Stockholder or beneficial owner, if any, on whose behalf a Special Meeting Request, director nomination, or proposal of business is made.

(o) “*Securities Act*” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated from time to time thereunder.

(p) “*Shares*” means shares of the Common Stock, any class or series of preferred stock and any other class or series of capital stock of the Company that may be outstanding from time to time.

(q) “*Short Interest*” means any agreement, arrangement, instrument, understanding, relationship or otherwise, (i) the purpose or effect of which is to, with respect to any securities, (A) mitigate loss to or benefit from share price changes for, with respect to such securities, such Proponent or any Stockholder Associated Person; (B) reduce or otherwise manage the risk (of ownership or

otherwise) of such securities by such Proponent and Stockholder Associated Person; or (C) maintain, increase or decrease the voting power of such Proponent or any Stockholder Associated Persons with respect to such securities, or (ii) which provides, directly or indirectly, the opportunity to profit or share in any profit derived from any decrease in the price or value of any securities, in each case, whether the instrument or agreement is to be settled with shares or with cash based on the notional amount or value of outstanding Shares, involving a Proponent or any Stockholder Associated Persons, directly or indirectly.

(r) “*Stockholder*” means the Person in whose name Shares are registered in the records of the Company.

(s) “*Stockholder Associated Persons*” means, with respect to each Proponent, such Proponent’s respective Affiliates, and, if the Proponent is an entity, each individual who is a director, executive officer, general partner or managing member of such entity or of any other entity that has or shares control of such Proponent.

1.2. DGCL. If any term is used in these By-Laws, and such term is not otherwise defined in these By-Laws but is defined for purposes of the DGCL, such definition in the DGCL shall apply for purposes of these By-Laws, unless the context shall clearly require otherwise.

1.3. Construction. The masculine gender, if appearing in these By-Laws, shall be deemed to include the feminine gender.

ARTICLE II OFFICES

2.1. Principal Place of Business. The principal place of business of the Company shall be located in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

2.2. Registered Office and Agent. The Company’s registered office is maintained in the State of Delaware as required by the DGCL. The name of the Company’s registered agent at such location, as required by the DGCL to be maintained in the State of Delaware, is Corporation Service Company.

2.3. Other Offices. The Company may also have other offices at such other places, either within or without the State of Delaware, as the Board may from time to time appoint or the business of the Company may require as determined by the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, the President or any Vice Chair.

ARTICLE III STOCKHOLDERS

3.1. Place of Meetings. All annual and special meetings of Stockholders shall be held at the principal place of business of the Company in San Francisco, California, or at such other places, within or without the State of Delaware, as the Board, the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, the President or any Vice Chair shall from time to time designate. The Board shall have the right to determine that a Stockholder meeting not be held at a place, but instead be held solely by means of remote communication in the manner and to the extent permitted by the DGCL.

3.2. Annual Meeting. An annual meeting of Stockholders shall be held each year for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting. Such annual meeting of Stockholders shall be held on the fourth Tuesday of April in each year, or such other date as shall be designated from time to time by the Board. The date, place, if any, and time of such annual meeting shall be specified in the notice of annual meeting in accordance with Section 3.4 of this Article III.

3.3. Special Meetings.

(a) *General.* Unless otherwise prescribed by the DGCL, a special meeting of the Stockholders may be called at any time, for any purpose or purposes, by the Board, the Chief Executive Officer, the Secretary or, subject to Section 3.3(b), by the Board at the written request in proper form to the Secretary of the record holders of not less than twenty percent (20%) of the voting power of the issued and outstanding Common Stock (the “Requisite Percent”). To be in proper form, such request (each, a “Special Meeting Request”) must be signed by each Stockholder requesting a special meeting (or their duly authorized agents), state the specific purpose(s) of the proposed meeting and the matters to be acted on at the meeting and include all information that would be required to be delivered pursuant to Section 3.11 of these By-Laws. In determining whether a special meeting of Stockholders has been requested by Stockholders representing in the aggregate at least the Requisite Percent, multiple Special Meeting Requests delivered to the Secretary will be considered together only if (i) each Special Meeting Request identifies substantially the same purpose or purposes of the special meeting and substantially the same matters proposed to be acted on at the special meeting (in each case as determined in good faith by the Board) and (ii) such Special Meeting Requests have been dated and delivered to the Secretary within sixty (60) days of the earliest dated Special Meeting Request. A Stockholder may revoke a Special Meeting Request at any time by written revocation delivered to the Secretary. The Company’s notice of special meeting shall state the purpose or purposes of such meeting, and no business shall be transacted at such special meeting except as stated in the notice of meeting thereof. Business transacted at any Stockholder requested special meeting shall be limited to the purpose(s) stated in the Special Meeting Request; *provided, however*, that nothing herein shall prohibit the Board from including additional matters in (or in accordance with) the Company’s notice of meeting or otherwise submitting matters to the Stockholders at any Stockholder requested

special meeting. The date, place and time of such special meeting shall also be specified in the notice of special meeting in accordance with Section 3.4 of this Article III.

(b) *Stockholder Requested Special Meetings.* Except as provided in the next sentence, a special meeting requested by Stockholders shall be held at such date and time as may be fixed by the Board; *provided, however*, that the date of any such special meeting shall not be more than ninety (90) days after the receipt by the Secretary of a Special Meeting Request in proper form to call a special meeting. A special meeting requested by Stockholders shall not be held if (i) the Special Meeting Request relates to an item of business that is not a proper subject for Stockholder action under applicable law, (ii) the Special Meeting Request is delivered during the period commencing ninety (90) days prior to the first anniversary of the date of the notice of annual meeting of Stockholders for the immediately preceding annual meeting of Stockholders and ending on the earlier of (x) the date of the next annual meeting of Stockholders and (y) thirty (30) calendar days after the first anniversary of the date of the immediately preceding annual meeting of Stockholders, (iii) an identical or substantially similar item (as determined in good faith by the Board, a “Similar Item”) other than the election of directors, was presented at a meeting of Stockholders held not more than twelve (12) months before the Special Meeting Request is delivered, (iv) a Similar Item was presented at a meeting of the Stockholders held not more than ninety (90) days before the Special Meeting Request is delivered (and, for purposes of this clause (iv), the election of directors shall be deemed a “Similar Item” with respect to all items of business involving the election or removal of directors), or (v) a Similar Item is included in the Company’s notice as an item of business to be brought before a Stockholder meeting that has been called by the time the Special Meeting Request is delivered but not yet held. For purposes of this Section 3.3(b), the date of delivery of the Special Meeting Request shall be the first date on which valid Special Meeting Requests constituting not less than the Requisite Percent have been received by the Secretary.

3.4. Notice of Meetings.

(a) *Content and Timing of Notice.* Except as may otherwise expressly be required by law, written notice of the place, if any, date and time of each annual and special meeting of the Stockholders, the means of remote communications, if any, by which Stockholders and proxy holders may be deemed to be present in person and vote at such meeting, the record date for determining the Stockholders entitled to vote at such meeting, if such date is different from the record date for determining Stockholders entitled to notice of the meeting, and, in the case of a special meeting, the purpose or purposes thereof shall be given in accordance with the requirements set forth in the DGCL, not less than 10 nor more than 60 days before the date of such meeting, to each Stockholder entitled to vote at such meeting as of the record date for determining the Stockholders entitled to notice of the meeting. If mailed, notice is given when deposited in the U.S. mail, postage

prepaid, directed to such Stockholder at such Stockholder's address as it appears in the records of the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing, notice may be given to Stockholders sharing an address in the manner and to the extent permitted by the DGCL. Any notice to Stockholders shall be effective if given by a form of electronic transmission consented to by the Stockholder in the manner and to the extent permitted by the DGCL. Notice of any meeting of Stockholders shall not be required to be given to any Stockholder who shall attend such meeting in person or by proxy and shall not, at the beginning of such meeting, object to the transaction of any business because the meeting has not been lawfully called or convened, or who shall, either before or after the meeting, submit a signed waiver of notice, in person or by proxy. Except as required by law, Stockholders holding preferred stock of the Company shall not receive notice of any meeting of Stockholders at which such holders of preferred stock are not entitled to vote at such meeting.

(b) *Notice for Adjourned Meetings.* Meetings of Stockholders, whether annual or special, may be adjourned from time to time, to reconvene at the same or some other place, and when a meeting is adjourned to another time or place (including an adjournment taken to address a technical failure to convene or continue a meeting using remote communication), notice need not be given of the adjourned meeting if the time thereof, place thereof, if any, and means of remote communication, if any, by which the Stockholders may be deemed to be present in person and vote with respect to the adjourned meeting are (i) announced at the meeting at which the adjournment is taken; (ii) displayed, during the time scheduled for the meeting, on the same electronic network used to enable Stockholders and proxyholders to participate in the meeting by means of remote communication; or (iii) set forth in the notice of meeting given in accordance with Section 3.4(a) above. At the adjourned meeting, the Company may transact any business which might have been transacted at the original meeting. If the adjournment is for more than 30 days, a notice of the adjourned meeting shall be given to each Stockholder entitled to vote at the meeting. If after the adjournment a new record date for determination of Stockholders entitled to vote is fixed for the adjourned meeting, the Board shall fix as the record date for determining Stockholders entitled to notice of such adjourned meeting the same or an earlier date as that fixed for determination of Stockholders entitled to vote at the adjourned meeting, and shall give notice of the adjourned meeting to each Stockholder of record as of the record date so fixed for notice of such adjourned meeting.

3.5. Quorum. The holders of a majority in voting power of the outstanding Shares entitled to vote at the meeting of Stockholders, present in person or represented by proxy, shall be requisite and shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of the Stockholders for the transaction of business, except as otherwise provided by law, the Certificate of Incorporation or these By-Laws. If, however, such majority shall not be present or represented at any meeting of the Stockholders, the Chair, or such other individual entitled to preside at such meeting, shall have power to adjourn the meeting from time to time in accordance with Section 3.4(b), and if a quorum shall have been

represented at such meeting and such meeting is adjourned, business may be transacted at such adjourned meeting which might have been transacted at the meeting as originally convened. Where a quorum was not present at the meeting as originally convened and such meeting is adjourned, then at such adjourned meeting at which the requisite amount of voting stock shall be represented, any business may be transacted which might have been transacted at the meeting as originally convened.

3.6. Voting and Proxies.

(a) *Voting of Shares.* Except as otherwise provided in the Certificate of Incorporation, each Stockholder shall, at each meeting of the Stockholders, be entitled to one vote in person or by proxy for each outstanding Share held by such Stockholder and registered in such Stockholder's name on the stock ledger of the Company on the date fixed pursuant to the provisions of Section 3.8 of this Article III as the record date for the determination of Stockholders who shall be entitled to notice of and to vote at such meeting. Stockholders holding Shares of preferred stock of the Company shall not have the right to vote unless otherwise provided in the Certificate of Incorporation or the DGCL. At all meetings of the Stockholders at which a quorum is present all matters shall, unless a different or minimum vote is required by the Certificate of Incorporation, these By-Laws, the rules or regulations of any stock exchange applicable to the Company or its securities, in which case such different or minimum vote shall be the applicable vote on the matter, be decided by the affirmative vote of the majority in voting power of the Shares present in person or represented by proxy at the meeting and entitled to vote on the subject matter. The vote at a meeting need not be by ballot, except in the case of votes for the election of directors or unless demanded by a Stockholder present in person or by proxy at any meeting of the Stockholders and entitled to vote thereat.

(b) *Voting for Directors.* Subject to the provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation relating to the election of directors by the holders of preferred stock, voting separately as a class, a nominee for director shall be elected to the Board if the votes cast for such nominee's election exceed the votes cast against such nominee's election at any meeting for the election of directors at which a quorum is present; *provided, however*, that directors shall be elected by a plurality of the votes cast at any meeting for which, on or before the record date for the meeting (i) the Secretary of the Company receives a notice that a Stockholder (or an Eligible Stockholder) has nominated a person for election to the Board in compliance with the advance notice and other requirements for Stockholder (or Eligible Stockholder) nominations set forth in Section 3.11 of these By-Laws, and (ii) such nomination has not been withdrawn by such Stockholder (or Eligible Stockholder).

(c) *Class Voting.* Except as otherwise may be provided in the Certificate of Incorporation or the DGCL, where a separate vote by a class or series is required by the Certificate of Incorporation or the DGCL, a majority in voting power of the outstanding Shares of such class or series entitled to vote on

the matter, present in person or represented by proxy, shall constitute a quorum entitled to take action with respect to that vote on the matter and the affirmative vote of the majority in voting power of Shares of such class or series present in person or represented by proxy at the meeting shall be the act of such class or series. Such class or series shall not be entitled to vote separately unless expressly required by the Certificate of Incorporation or required in the DGCL.

(d) *Proxies.* Any vote of Shares may be given at any meeting of the Stockholders by the Stockholder entitled thereto in person or by such Stockholder's proxy appointed by a written instrument executed by such Stockholder or by such Stockholder's attorney thereunto authorized and delivered to the Secretary of the Company or such other individual or individuals as the Secretary shall designate, or by the transmitting or authorizing the transmission of an electronic transmission to the Person who will be the holder of the proxy to receive such transmission, *provided* that any such authorization must either set forth or be submitted with information enabling the Company to determine the identity of the Stockholder granting such authorization. Any copy, facsimile telecommunication or other reliable reproduction of such writing or transmission may be substituted or used in lieu of the original writing or transmission for any and all purposes for which the original writing or transmission could be used, *provided* that any such reproduction is a complete reproduction of the entire original writing or transmission. No proxy shall be voted or acted upon after three years from its date, unless the proxy shall provide for a longer period.

3.7. Stockholders List. It shall be the duty of the Secretary, or other officer of the Company who shall have charge of the Company's stock ledger, either directly or through another officer of the Company designated by such officer or through a transfer agent appointed by the Board, to prepare and make, no later than the tenth (10th) day before the date of any meeting of the Stockholders, a complete list of the Stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting (*provided, however*, if the record date for determining the Stockholders entitled to vote is less than ten (10) days before the date of the meeting, the list shall reflect the Stockholders entitled to vote as of the tenth day before the meeting date), arranged in alphabetical order, and showing the address of each Stockholder and the number of Shares registered in the name of each Stockholder. Such list shall be open to the examination of any Stockholder, for any purpose germane to the meeting, during ordinary business hours, for a period of ten (10) days ending on the day before said meeting, at the Company's principal place of business, or the Company may place the Stockholders' list on a reasonably accessible electronic network as permitted by the DGCL.

3.8. Fixing of Record Date.

(a) *Stockholder Meetings; Dividends and Other Rights.* In order that the Company may determine the Stockholders entitled to notice of any meeting of Stockholders or any adjournment thereof, the Board may fix a record date, which record date shall not precede the date upon which the resolution fixing the record

date is adopted by the Board, and which record date shall not be more than 60 nor less than 10 days before the date of such meeting. If the Board so fixes a date, such date shall also be the record date for determining the Stockholders entitled to vote at such meeting unless the Board determines, at the time it fixes such record date, that a later date on or before the date of the meeting shall be the date for making such determination. If no record date is fixed by the Board, the record date for determining Stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of Stockholders shall be at the close of business on the day before the first notice is given, or, if notice is waived, at the close of business on the day before the day on which the meeting is held. A determination of Stockholders of record entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of Stockholders shall apply to any adjournment of the meeting; *provided, however*, that the Board may fix a new record date for the adjourned meeting, and in such case shall also fix as the record date for Stockholders entitled to notice of such adjourned meeting the same or an earlier date as that fixed for determination of Stockholders entitled to vote in accordance herewith at the adjourned meeting. In order that the Company may determine the Stockholders entitled to receive payment of any dividend or other distribution or allotment of any rights, or entitled to exercise any rights in respect of any change, conversion or exchange of stock or for the purpose of any other lawful action, the Board is expressly empowered to fix a record date, which record date shall not precede the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted, and which record date shall not be more than sixty (60) days prior to such action. If no such record date is fixed, the record date for determining Stockholders for any such purpose shall be at the close of business on the day on which the Board adopts the resolution relating thereto.

(b) *Action by Written Consent.* In order that the Company may determine the Stockholders entitled to consent to corporate action in writing without a meeting pursuant to Section 3.12 below, the Board may fix a record date, which record date shall not precede the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted by the Board, and which date shall not be more than 10 days after the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted by the Board. Any Stockholder seeking to have the Stockholders authorize or take corporate action by written consent without a meeting shall, by written notice to the Company's Secretary, request the Board to fix a record date. Upon receipt of such a request, the Company's Secretary shall place such request before the Board at its next regularly scheduled meeting; *provided, however*, that if the Stockholder represents in such request that such Stockholder intends, and is prepared, to commence a consent solicitation as soon as is permitted by the Exchange Act and other applicable law, the Secretary shall as promptly as practicable call a special meeting of the Board, which meeting shall be held as promptly as practicable. At such regular or special meeting, the Board shall fix a record date as provided in this Section 3.8 and the DGCL. If no record date is fixed by the Board, the record date for determining Stockholders entitled to consent to corporate action in writing without a meeting, when no prior action by the Board is required by the DGCL, shall be the first date on which a signed written consent setting forth the action so taken or proposed to be taken is delivered to the

Company. If no record date is fixed by the Board, the record date for determining Stockholders entitled to consent to corporate action in writing without a meeting, when prior action by the Board is required by the DGCL, shall be the close of business on the day on which the Board adopts the resolution taking such prior action.

3.9. Conduct of Meeting. The Chair shall preside at each meeting of Stockholders or, in the absence or at the request of the Chair, the Chief Executive Officer, or the President of the Company shall so preside. At the request of the Chair, the Chief Executive Officer, or the President, or in all of their absences, such other officer or director as the Board shall designate shall so preside at any such meeting. In the absence of a presiding officer or director determined in accordance with the preceding sentences, any individual may be designated to so preside at a meeting of Stockholders by a plurality vote of the Shares represented and entitled to vote at the meeting. The Secretary or, in the absence or at the request of the Secretary, any individual designated by the individual presiding at a meeting of Stockholders shall act as secretary of such meeting. The date and time of the opening and the closing of the polls for each matter upon which the Stockholders will vote at a meeting shall be announced at the meeting by the person presiding over the meeting. The Board (or any duly authorized committee thereof) may adopt by resolution such rules and regulations for the conduct of the meeting of Stockholders as it shall deem appropriate and may postpone, reschedule, recess and/or adjourn such meeting as deemed appropriate by the Board. Except to the extent inconsistent with such rules and regulations as adopted by the Board, the person presiding over any meeting of Stockholders shall also have the right and authority to convene, recess and/or adjourn the meeting, to prescribe such rules, regulations and procedures and to do all such acts as, in the judgment of such presiding person, are appropriate for the proper conduct of the meeting. Such rules, regulations or procedures, whether adopted by the Board or prescribed by the presiding person of the meeting, may include, without limitation, the following: (i) the establishment of an agenda or order of business for the meeting; (ii) rules and procedures for maintaining order at the meeting and the safety of those present; (iii) limitations on attendance at or participation in the meeting to Stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting, their duly authorized and constituted proxies, qualified representatives (including rules around who qualifies as such) or such other persons as the presiding person of the meeting shall determine; (iv) restrictions on entry to the meeting after the time fixed for the commencement thereof; and (v) limitations on the time allotted to questions or comments by participants. The presiding person at any meeting of Stockholders, in addition to making any other determinations that may be appropriate to the conduct of the meeting, shall, if the facts warrant, determine and declare to the meeting that a matter or business was not properly brought before the meeting (including if a determination is made that a nomination or other business was not made or proposed, as the case may be, in accordance with Section 3.3 or 3.11 of these By-Laws) and if such presiding person should so determine, such presiding person shall so declare to the meeting and any such matter or business not properly brought before the meeting shall not be transacted or considered.

3.10. Inspector of Election. For each meeting of the Stockholders, the Board or the Chair, or such other individual entitled to preside at the meeting, shall appoint an individual to act as the Inspector of Election. The Inspector of Election so appointed shall, before entering upon the discharge of the duties of inspector, take and sign an oath faithfully to execute the duties of the Inspector of Election at such meeting with strict impartiality and according to the best of such Inspector's ability. The Inspector of Election shall have the duties as set forth in the DGCL and such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board (or a duly authorized committee of the Board) or the Chair, or such other individual entitled to preside at such meeting.

3.11. Notice of Director Nominations and Other Stockholder Business.

(a) *Annual Meetings of Stockholders.*

(i) Nominations of individuals for election to the Board and the proposal of other business to be considered by the Stockholders may be made at an annual meeting of Stockholders only: (1) pursuant to the Company's notice of meeting given by or at the direction of the Board (or a duly authorized committee of the Board); (2) by or at the direction of the Board (or duly authorized committee of the Board); (3) by any Stockholder who was a Stockholder of record at the time of giving of notice provided for in this Section 3.11(a)(i) and (ii) and at the time of the annual meeting, who is entitled to vote at the annual meeting and complies with the notice procedures and other requirements set forth in this Section 3.11 as to such nomination or other business or (4) pursuant and subject to Section 3.11(a)(iv) of these By-Laws with respect to an eligible nomination pursuant to a Proxy Access Notice of a Stockholder Nominee at an annual meeting by an Eligible Stockholder. Section 3.11(a)(i)(3)-(4) shall be the exclusive means for a Stockholder to make nominations and Section 3.11(a)(i)(3) shall be the exclusive means for Stockholders to submit other business (other than matters properly brought under Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act and included in the Company's notice of meeting) before an annual meeting of Stockholders.

(ii) For any nominations or any other business to be properly brought before an annual meeting by a Stockholder pursuant to Section 3.11(a)(i)(3) above, the Stockholder must have timely given notice thereof in writing to the Company and such other business must otherwise be a proper matter for Stockholder action at the meeting. To be timely, a Stockholder's notice shall be delivered to the Company's Secretary in writing not earlier than the close of business on the 120th day and not later than the close of business on the 90th day prior to the first anniversary of the preceding year's annual meeting; *provided, however*, that in the event that the date of the annual meeting is more than 30 days before or more than 60 days after such anniversary date, notice by the Stockholder to be timely must be so delivered not earlier than the close of business on the 120th day prior to the date of such annual meeting and not later than the close of business on the later of the 90th day prior to the date of such

annual meeting or, if the first public announcement of the date of such annual meeting is less than 100 days prior to the date of such annual meeting, the 10th day following the day on which public announcement of the date of such meeting is first made by the Company. In no event shall any adjournment or postponement of an annual meeting or the public announcement thereof commence a new time period (or extend any time period) for the giving of a Stockholder's notice as described above, and a Stockholder shall not be entitled to make additional or substitute nominations following the expiration of the time periods set forth in these By-Laws. The number of nominees a Proponent may nominate for election at the annual meeting shall not exceed the number of directors to be elected at such annual meeting. To be in proper form, a Stockholder's notice (whether given pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(ii), Section 3.11(a)(iv), Section 3.11(b) or Section 3.3(a)) must set forth the following information:

(1) as to the Proponent and all Stockholder Associated Persons and, in the case of paragraphs (A) and (B)(i) of this paragraph (1), as to the Stockholder in respect of such Proponent (if separate):

(A) the name and address of such Person, as they appear on the Company's books (if applicable);

(B) (i) the class or series and number of Shares which are, directly or indirectly, owned beneficially and of record by such Persons; (ii) any Derivative Instruments in the Company directly or indirectly owned beneficially by such Proponent or any Stockholder Associated Persons; (iii) any proxy, contract, arrangement, understanding, or relationship pursuant to which such Proponent or any Stockholder Associated Person has a right to vote any Shares; (iv) any Short Interests in the Company involving such Proponent or any Stockholder Associated Persons, directly or indirectly; (v) any rights to dividends on the Shares owned beneficially by such Proponent that are separated or separable from the underlying Shares; (vi) any proportionate interest in Shares or Derivative Instruments in the Company held, directly or indirectly, by a general or limited partnership in which such Proponent is a general partner or, directly or indirectly, beneficially owns an interest in a general partner of such general or limited partnership; and (vii) any performance-related fees (other than an asset-based fee) that such Proponent is directly or indirectly entitled to based on any increase or decrease in the value of Shares or Derivative

Instruments in the Company, if any, as of the date of such notice, including without limitation any such interests held by members of such Proponent's immediate family sharing the same household;

(C) a representation (i) as to whether the Proponent, any Stockholder Associated Person or any other participant (as defined in Item 4 of Schedule 14A under the Exchange Act) will engage in a solicitation with respect to such nomination or proposal and, if so, whether or not such solicitation will be conducted as an exempt solicitation under Rule 14a-2(b) of the Exchange Act, the name of each participant in such solicitation and the amount of the cost of solicitation that has been and will be borne, directly or indirectly, by each participant in such solicitation and (x) in the case of a proposal of business other than nominations, whether such person or group which intends to deliver, through means satisfying each of the conditions that would be applicable to the Company under either Exchange Act Rule 14a-16(a) or Exchange Act Rule 14a-16(n), a proxy statement and/or form of proxy to holders (including any beneficial owners pursuant to Rule 14b-1 and Rule 14b-2 of the Exchange Act) of at least the percentage of the Company's outstanding Shares required under applicable law to approve or adopt the proposal or (y) in the case of any solicitation that is subject to Rule 14a-19 under the Exchange Act, confirming that such person or group will deliver, through means satisfying each of the conditions that would be applicable to the Company under either Exchange Act Rule 14a-16(a) or Exchange Act Rule 14a-16(n), a proxy statement and form of proxy to holders (including any beneficial owners pursuant to Rule 14b-1 and Rule 14b-2 of the Exchange Act) of at least 67% of the voting power of the Company's outstanding Shares entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, (ii) that promptly after soliciting the Stockholders referred to in the foregoing clause (i), and no later than the tenth (10th) day before such meeting of Stockholders, such Proponent or Stockholder Associated Person will provide the Company with documents, which may take the form of a certified statement and documentation from a proxy solicitor, specifically demonstrating that the necessary steps have been taken to deliver a proxy statement and form of proxy to holders of such percentage of the Company's Shares and (iii) that the Proponent (or a qualified representative of the Proponent) intends to

appear at the meeting to make such nomination or propose such business; and

(D) (i) all information that would be required to be set forth in a Schedule 13D (including, without limitation, any plans or proposals that would be required to be disclosed pursuant to Items 4 thereof and any agreements that would be required to be disclosed pursuant to Item 5 or Item 6 thereof) filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(a) or an amendment pursuant to Rule 13d-2(a) if such a statement were required to be filed under the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder by such Proponent or any Stockholder Associated Persons, if any, regardless of whether the requirement to file a Schedule 13D is applicable; (ii) any other information relating to such Proponent and Stockholder Associated Persons that would be required to be disclosed in a proxy statement or other filings required to be made in connection with solicitations of proxies for, as applicable, the proposal and/or for the election of directors in a contested election pursuant to Section 14 of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder; and (iii) a description of any plans or proposals which relate to or would result in, if implemented, any action that would require such Proponent or any Stockholder Associated Persons to notify any government or regulatory agency, including the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and/or the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, under applicable banking laws and regulations;

(2) as to each individual, if any, whom the Proponent proposes to nominate for election or re-election to the Board (A) such individual's name; (B) the number of Shares owned by such individual; (C) sufficient information about the individual's experience and qualifications for the Board, or a committee of the Board, to determine if such individual meets the minimum qualifications for directors as approved and publicly disclosed by the Board from time to time or as required by law; (D) all other information relating to such individual that would be required to be disclosed in a proxy statement or other filings required to be made in connection with solicitations of proxies for election of directors in a contested election pursuant to Regulation 14A of the Exchange Act (including such individual's written consent to being named in a proxy statement as a nominee and to serving as a director if elected, in the form specified in Section 3.11(d) below); (E) a description of all direct and indirect compensation and other material monetary agreements, arrangements and understandings during the past

three years, and any other material relationships, between or among such Proponent and any Stockholder Associated Persons, on the one hand, and each proposed nominee, and his or her respective Affiliates, on the other hand, including, without limitation, all information that would be required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 404 promulgated under Regulation S-K if the Proponent making the nomination and any of the Stockholder Associated Persons, if any, or any Affiliate thereof, were the “registrant” for purposes of such rule and the nominee were a director or executive officer of such registrant; and (F) a written statement, not to exceed 500 words, in support of such person (which statement, in the case of any notice given pursuant to Section 3.11(a)(iv) below, may take the form of the Statement described in Section 3.11(a)(iv)(7) below);

(3) if the notice relates to any business other than a nomination of a director or directors that the Proponent proposes to bring before the meeting, in addition to the matters set forth in paragraph (1) above, (A) a brief description of the business desired to be brought before the meeting; (B) the reasons for conducting such business at the meeting; (C) any substantial interest of such Proponent and any Stockholder Associated Person in such business (within the meaning of Item 5 of Schedule 14A under the Exchange Act); (D) the text of the proposal or business (including the text of any resolutions proposed for consideration) and (E) a description of all agreements, arrangements and understandings between such Proponent and any of the Stockholder Associated Persons and any other Person(s) (including their name(s)) in connection with the proposal of such business by such Proponent; and

(4) with respect to each nominee for election or re-election to the Board (including, without limitation, any individual described in Section 3.11(a)(ii)(2) above), include all fully completed and signed questionnaires, representations, agreements and any other information or communications required by Section 3.11(d) below, within the time periods specified therein.

In addition, to be considered timely, a Stockholder’s notice shall further be updated and supplemented, if necessary, so that the information provided or required to be provided in such notice shall be true and correct as of the record date for the meeting and as of the date that is ten (10) business days prior to the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof, and such update and supplement shall be delivered to the Company’s Secretary in writing not later than five (5) business days after the record date for the

meeting in the case of the update and supplement required to be made as of the record date, and not later than eight (8) business days prior to the date for the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof in the case of the update and supplement required to be made as of ten (10) business days prior to the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof. For the avoidance of doubt, the obligation to update and supplement as set forth in this paragraph or any other Section of these By-Laws shall not limit the Company's rights with respect to any deficiencies in any notice provided by a Stockholder, extend any applicable deadlines hereunder or under any other provision of the By-Laws or enable or be deemed to permit a Proponent who has previously submitted notice hereunder or under any other provision of the By-Laws to amend or update any nomination or business proposal or to submit any new nomination or business proposal, including by changing or adding nominees, matters, business and or resolutions proposed to be brought before a meeting of the Stockholders.

(iii) Notwithstanding anything in the second sentence of Section 3.11(a)(ii) to the contrary, in the event that the number of directors to be elected to the Board is increased and there is no public announcement by the Company naming all of the nominees for director or specifying the size of the increased Board at least 100 days prior to the first anniversary of the preceding year's annual meeting, a Stockholder's notice required by Section 3.11(a)(ii) of this By-Law shall also be considered timely, but only with respect to nominees for any new positions created by such increase, if it shall be delivered to the Company's Secretary in writing not later than the close of business on the 10th day following the day on which such public announcement is first made by the Company.

(iv) *Inclusion of Stockholder Director Nominations in the Company's Proxy Materials.*

(1) Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in these By-Laws, whenever the Board solicits proxies with respect to the election of directors at an annual meeting of Stockholders, the Company shall include in its proxy materials for an annual meeting of Stockholders, in addition to any persons nominated for election by the Board (or any committee thereof), the name, together with the Required Information (defined below), of any person nominated for election (the "Stockholder Nominee") to the Board by one or more Stockholders that satisfy the requirements of this Section 3.11(a)(iv), including qualifying as an Eligible Stockholder (as defined in paragraph (5) below), and that expressly elects at the time of providing the written notice required by this Section

3.11(a)(iv) (a “Proxy Access Notice”) to have its nominee included in the Company’s proxy materials pursuant to this Section

3.11(a)(iv). For the purposes of this Section 3.11(a)(iv):

(A) “Voting Shares” shall mean outstanding Shares entitled to vote generally for the election of directors;

(B) “Constituent Holder” shall mean any Stockholder, fund included within a Qualifying Fund (as defined in paragraph (5) below) or beneficial holder whose stock ownership is counted for the purposes of qualifying as holding the Proxy Access Request Required Shares (as defined in paragraph (5) below) or qualifying as an Eligible Stockholder (as defined in paragraph (5) below);

(C) a Stockholder shall be deemed to “own” only those Voting Shares as to which the Stockholder (or any Constituent Holder) possesses both (a) the full voting and investment rights pertaining to the shares and (b) the full economic interest in (including the opportunity for profit and risk of loss on) such shares. The number of Voting Shares calculated in accordance with the foregoing clauses (a) and (b) shall be deemed not to include (and to the extent any of the following arrangements have been entered into by Affiliates of the Stockholder (or of any Constituent Holder), shall be reduced by) any shares (x) sold by such Stockholder (or any of its Affiliates) in any transaction that has not been settled or closed, including any short sale, (y) borrowed by such Stockholder (or any of its Affiliates) for any purposes or purchased by such Stockholder (or any of its Affiliates) pursuant to an agreement to resell or (z) subject to any option, warrant, forward contract, swap, contract of sale, other derivative or similar agreement entered into by such Stockholder (or any of its Affiliates), whether any such instrument or agreement is to be settled with shares or with cash based on the notional amount or value of Voting Shares, in any such case which instrument or agreement has, or is intended to have, or if exercised by either party thereto would have, the purpose or effect of (i) reducing in any manner, to any extent or at any time in the future, such Stockholder’s (or its Affiliate’s) full right to vote or direct the voting of any such shares, and/or (ii) hedging, offsetting or altering to any degree gain or loss arising from the full economic ownership of such shares by such Stockholder (or its Affiliate), other than any such arrangements solely involving an exchange listed multi-

industry market index fund in which Voting Shares represents at the time of entry into such arrangement less than ten percent (10%) of the proportionate value of such index. A Person shall “own” shares held in the name of a nominee or other intermediary so long as the Person retains the right to instruct how the shares are voted with respect to the election of directors and the right to direct the disposition thereof and possesses the full economic interest in the shares. A Person’s ownership of shares shall be deemed to continue during any period in which the person has loaned such shares provided that the person has the unrestricted power to recall such loaned shares on five (5) (or fewer) business days’ notice and during any period in which the person has delegated any voting power by means of a proxy, power of attorney or other instrument or arrangement which is revocable at any time by the person. The terms “owned,” “owning” and other variations of the word “own” shall have correlative meanings. Whether Voting Shares are “owned” for these purposes shall be determined by the Board or any committee thereof, in each case, in its sole discretion.

(2) For purposes of this Section 3.11(a)(iv), the “Required Information” that the Company will include in its proxy statement is (1) the information concerning the Stockholder Nominee and the Eligible Stockholder that the Company determines is required to be disclosed in the Company’s proxy statement by the regulations promulgated under the Exchange Act; and (2) if the Eligible Stockholder so elects, a Statement (defined below). The Company shall also include the name of the Stockholder Nominee in its proxy card. For the avoidance of doubt, and any other provision of these By-Laws notwithstanding, the Company may in its sole discretion solicit against, and include in the proxy statement its own statements or other information relating to, any Eligible Stockholder and/or Stockholder Nominee, including any information provided to the Company with respect to the foregoing.

(3) To be timely, a Proxy Access Notice shall be delivered to the Company’s Secretary in writing not earlier than the close of business on the 150th day and not later than the close of business on the 120th day prior to the first anniversary of the filing date of the definitive proxy statement for the preceding year’s annual meeting. In no event shall any adjournment or postponement of an annual meeting or the public announcement thereof commence a new time period for the giving of a Proxy Access Notice.

(4) The maximum number of Stockholder Nominees nominated by all Eligible Stockholders pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv) (including Stockholder Nominees that were submitted by an Eligible Stockholder for inclusion in the Company's proxy materials pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv) but either are subsequently withdrawn or that the Board decides to nominate as Board nominees) appearing in the Company's proxy materials with respect to an annual meeting of Stockholders shall not exceed the greater of (x) two and (y) the largest whole number that does not exceed twenty percent (20%) of the number of directors in office as of the last day on which a Proxy Access Notice may be delivered in accordance with the procedures set forth in this Section 3.11(a)(iv) (such greater number, the "Permitted Number"); *provided, however*, that the Permitted Number shall be reduced by the number of directors in office that will be included in the Company's proxy materials with respect to such annual meeting for whom access to the Company's proxy materials was previously provided (or requested) pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv), other than any such director referred to in this proviso who at the time of such annual meeting will have served as a director continuously, as a nominee of the Board, for at least two annual terms; provided, further, that in the event the Board resolves to reduce the size of the Board effective on or prior to the date of the annual meeting, the Permitted Number shall be calculated based on the number of directors in office as so reduced. In the event that the number of Stockholder Nominees submitted by Eligible Stockholders pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv) exceeds the Permitted Number, each Eligible Stockholder will select one Stockholder Nominee for inclusion in the Company's proxy materials until the Permitted Number is reached, going in order of the amount (largest to smallest) of shares of Voting Shares each Eligible Stockholder disclosed as owned in its Proxy Access Notice submitted to the Company's Secretary. If the Permitted Number is not reached after each Eligible Stockholder has selected one Stockholder Nominee, this selection process will continue as many times as necessary, following the same order each time, until the Permitted Number is reached.

(5) An "Eligible Stockholder" is one or more Stockholders who

(A) own and have owned, or is acting on behalf of one or more beneficial owners who own and have owned (in each case as defined above), in each case continuously for at least three years as of both the date that the Proxy Access Notice is received by the Company's Secretary pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv), and as of the record date for determining Stockholders eligible to vote at

the annual meeting, at least three percent (3%) of the Voting Shares (the “Proxy Access Request Required Shares”), and who continue to own the Proxy Access Request Required Shares at all times between the date such Proxy Access Notice is received by the Company’s Secretary and the date of the applicable annual meeting, provided that the aggregate number of Stockholders, and, if and to the extent that a Stockholder is acting on behalf of one or more beneficial owners, of such beneficial owners, whose stock ownership is counted for the purpose of satisfying the foregoing ownership requirement shall not exceed twenty and (B) otherwise individually meet the requirements of this Section 3.11(a)(iv). Two or more funds that are (i) under common management and investment control, (ii) under common management and funded primarily by a single employer or (iii) a “group of investment companies,” as such term is defined, as of the date these By-Laws were amended to add this Section 3.11(a)(iv), in Section 12(d)(1)(G)(ii) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (such funds together under each of (i), (ii) or (iii), a “Qualifying Fund”) shall be treated as one Stockholder for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of Stockholders in this paragraph (5), provided that each fund included within a Qualifying Fund otherwise meets the requirements set forth in this Section 3.11(a)(iv). No shares may be attributed to more than one group constituting an Eligible Stockholder under this Section 3.11(a)(iv) (and, for the avoidance of doubt, no Stockholder may be a member of more than one group constituting an Eligible Stockholder). A record holder acting on behalf of a beneficial owner will not be counted separately as a Stockholder with respect to the shares owned by beneficial owners on whose behalf such record holder has been directed in writing to act, but each such beneficial owner will be counted separately, subject to the other provisions of this paragraph (5), for purposes of determining the number of Stockholders whose holdings may be considered as part of an Eligible Stockholder’s holdings. For the avoidance of doubt, Proxy Access Request Required Shares will qualify as such if and only if the beneficial owner of such shares as of the date of the Proxy Access Notice has itself individually beneficially owned such shares continuously for the three-year (3 year) period ending on that date and through the other applicable dates referred to above (in addition to the other applicable requirements being met).

(6) Within the time period specified in this Section 3.11(a)(iv) for delivering the Proxy Access Notice, an Eligible Stockholder (including each Constituent Holder) must provide, in writing to the Company’s Secretary and with respect to such Eligible Stockholder:

(A) the name and address of, and number of Voting Shares owned by, such person;

(B) one or more written statements from the record holder of the Voting Shares (and from each intermediary through which the shares are or have been held during the requisite three-year (3 year) holding period) verifying that, as of a date within seven (7) calendar days prior to the date the Proxy Access Notice is delivered to the Company, such person owns, and has owned continuously for the preceding three (3) years, the Proxy Access Request Required Shares, and such person's agreement to provide (i) within ten (10) days after the record date for the annual meeting, written statements from the record holder and intermediaries verifying such person's continuous ownership of the Proxy Access Request Required Shares through the record date, together with any additional information reasonably requested to verify such person's ownership of the Proxy Access Request Required Shares; and (ii) immediate notice if the Eligible Stockholder ceases to own any of the Proxy Access Request Required Shares prior to the date of the applicable annual meeting of Stockholders;

(C) the information that would be required to be submitted pursuant to Section 3.11(a)(ii)(1) (except for the representations required under Section 3.11(a)(ii)(1)(C)(i)-(ii)), together with such supplements and updates thereto as required pursuant to Section 3.11(a)(ii) (which shall be submitted within the time frames specified therein in order to be considered timely);

(D) a representation as to the number of Voting Shares it asserts it is deemed to own for purposes of this Section 3.11(a)(iv) and a representation that such person:

(1) acquired the Proxy Access Request Required Shares in the ordinary course of business and not with the intent to change or influence control of the Company, and does not presently have any such intent;

(2) intends to continue to own the Proxy Access Request Required Shares through the conclusion of the annual meeting;

(3) has not nominated and will not nominate for election to the Board at the annual meeting any person other than the Stockholder Nominee(s) being nominated pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv);

(4) has not engaged and will not engage in, and has not and will not be a “participant” in another person’s, “solicitation” within the meaning of Rule 14a-1(l) under the Exchange Act in support of the election of any individual as a director at the annual meeting other than its Stockholder Nominee(s) or a nominee of the Board;

(5) will not distribute to any Stockholder any form of proxy for the annual meeting other than the form distributed by the Company; and

(6) will provide facts, statements and other information in all communications with the Company and its Stockholders that are and will be true and correct in all material respects and do not and will not omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, and will otherwise comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations in connection with any actions taken pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv);

(E) in the case of a nomination by a group of stockholders that together is such an Eligible Stockholder, the designation by all group members of one group member that is authorized to act on behalf of all members of the nominating Stockholder group with respect to the nomination and matters related thereto, including withdrawal of the nomination; and

(F) an undertaking that such person agrees to:

(y) assume all liability stemming from, and indemnify and hold harmless the Company (and Affiliates of the Company) and each of their respective directors, officers, employees, agents and advisors individually against, any liability, loss or damages in connection with any threatened or pending action, suit or proceeding, whether legal,

administrative or investigative, against the Company or any of its directors, officers or employees arising out of any legal or regulatory violation arising out of the Eligible Stockholder's communications with the Stockholders of the Company or out of the information that the Eligible Stockholder (including such person) provided to the Company; and

(z) file with the Commission any solicitation by the Eligible Stockholder of Stockholders of the Company relating to the annual meeting at which the Stockholder Nominee will be nominated, regardless of whether any such filing is required under Regulation 14A of the Exchange Act or whether any exemption from filing is available for such solicitation or other communication under Regulation 14A of the Exchange Act.

In addition, within the time period specified in this Section 3.11(a)(iv) for delivering the Proxy Access Notice, a Qualifying Fund whose stock ownership is counted for purposes of qualifying as an Eligible Stockholder must provide to the Secretary of the Company documentation reasonably satisfactory to the Board that demonstrates that each of the funds included within a Qualifying Fund satisfies the requirements set forth in Section 3.11(a)(iv)(5). In order to be considered timely, any information required by this Section 3.11(a)(iv) to be provided to the Company must be supplemented (by delivery to the Secretary of the Company) (1) no later than ten (10) days following the record date for the applicable annual meeting, to disclose the foregoing information as of such record date, and (2) no later than the fifth day before the annual meeting, to disclose the foregoing information as of the date that is no earlier than ten (10) days prior to such annual meeting. For the avoidance of doubt, the requirement to update and supplement such information shall not permit any Eligible Stockholder or other person to change or add any proposed Stockholder Nominee or be deemed to cure any defects or limit the remedies (including without limitation under these By-Laws) available to the Company relating to any defect.

(7) The Eligible Stockholder may provide to the Secretary of the Company, at the time the information required by this Section 3.11(a)(iv) is originally provided pursuant to a Proxy Access Notice, a single written statement of the Eligible Stockholder (including such single statement as may be submitted by a group comprising such Eligible Stockholder) for

inclusion in the Company's proxy statement for the annual meeting, not to exceed 500 words, in support of the candidacy of such Eligible Stockholder's Stockholder Nominee(s) (the "Statement"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Section 3.11(a)(iv), the Company may omit from its proxy materials any information or Statement that it, in good faith, believes is materially false or misleading, omits to state any material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, or would violate any applicable law or regulation.

(8) Within the time period specified in this Section 3.11(a)(iv) for delivering the Proxy Access Notice, each Stockholder Nominee must provide to the Company's Secretary:

(A) all completed and signed questionnaires, representations, agreements and any other information or communications required by Section 3.11(d) below in writing (which shall be submitted within the time frames specified therein in order to be considered timely);

(B) the information that would be required to be submitted pursuant to Section 3.11(a)(ii)(2), together with such supplements and updates thereto as required pursuant to Section 3.11(a)(ii) (which shall be submitted within the time frames specified therein in order to be considered timely);

(C) such additional information as necessary to permit the Board to determine whether any of the matters contemplated by paragraph (10) below apply to such Stockholder Nominee and whether such Stockholder Nominee:

(y) has any direct or indirect relationship with the Company other than those relationships that have been deemed categorically immaterial pursuant to the Company's Corporate Governance Guidelines; and

(z) is or has ever been subject to any event specified in Item 401(f) of Regulation S-K (or successor rule) of the Commission.

(D) an undertaking that such Person will provide facts, statements and other information in all communications with the Company and its Stockholders

that are or will be true and correct in all material respects (and shall not omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading).

In the event that any information or communications provided by the Eligible Stockholder (or any Constituent Holder) or the Stockholder Nominee to the Company or its Stockholders ceases to be true and correct in all material respects or omits a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, each Eligible Stockholder or Stockholder Nominee, as the case may be, shall promptly notify the Secretary of the Company of any defect in such previously provided information and of the information that is required to correct any such defect; it being understood for the avoidance of doubt that providing any such notification shall not be deemed to cure any such defect or limit the remedies (including without limitation under these By-Laws) available to the Company relating to any such defect.

(9) Any Stockholder Nominee who is included in the Company's proxy materials for a particular annual meeting of Stockholders but withdraws from or becomes ineligible or unavailable for election at that annual meeting (other than by reason of such Stockholder Nominee's disability) will be ineligible to be a Stockholder Nominee pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv) for the next two annual meetings. Any Stockholder Nominee who is included in the Company's proxy statement for a particular annual meeting of Stockholders, but subsequently is determined not to satisfy the eligibility requirements of this Section 3.11(a)(iv) or any other provision of these By-Laws, the Company's Certificate of Incorporation or other applicable regulation any time before the annual meeting of Stockholders, will not be eligible for election at the relevant annual meeting of Stockholders and, for the avoidance of doubt, another individual may not be substituted for such Stockholder Nominee by the Eligible Stockholder that nominated such Stockholder Nominee. The Company shall not be required to include, pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv), any Stockholder Nominee in its proxy materials for any annual meeting of Stockholders or to allow the nomination of any such Stockholder Nominees, notwithstanding that proxies in respect of such vote may have been received by the Company, if the Company has received one or more Stockholder notices nominating director candidates pursuant to Section 3.11(a)(i)(3) of these By-Laws.

(10) The Company shall not be required to include, pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv), a Stockholder Nominee in its proxy materials for any annual meeting of Stockholders, or, if the proxy statement already has been filed, to allow the nomination of a Stockholder Nominee, notwithstanding that proxies in respect of such vote may have been received by the Company:

(A) who is not independent under the listing standards of the principal U.S. exchange upon which the Common Stock of the Company is listed, any applicable rules or regulations of the Commission, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, or the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, as applicable, and any publicly disclosed standards used by the Board in determining and disclosing independence of the Company's directors, in each case as determined by the Board, who does not meet the audit committee independence requirements under the rules of any stock exchange on which the Company's securities are traded and applicable securities laws, who is not a "nonemployee director" for the purposes of Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act (or any successor rule), or who is not independent for the purposes of the requirements under the FDIC Improvement Act related to designation as an "outside director";

(B) whose election or service as a member of the Board would violate or cause the Company to be in violation of these By-Laws, the Certificate of Incorporation, the rules and listing standards of the principal U.S. exchange upon which the Common Stock is traded, or any applicable law, rule or regulation;

(C) who is or has been, within the past three years, an officer or director of a competitor, as defined in Section 8 of the Clayton Antitrust Act of 1914;

(D) (y) whose election as a member of the Board would cause the Company to seek, or assist in the seeking of, advance approval or to obtain, or assist in the obtaining of, an interlock waiver pursuant to the rules or regulations of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency or the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission or (z) who is a director, trustee, officer or employee with management functions for any depository institution, depository institution holding company or entity that has been

designated as a Systemically Important Financial Institution, each as defined in the Depository Institution Management Interlocks Act, *provided, however*, that this clause (z) shall apply only so long as the Company is subject to compliance with Section 164 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act;

(E) who is a named subject of a pending criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations and other minor offenses) or has been convicted in such a criminal proceeding within the past ten years;

(F) who is subject to any order of the type specified in Rule 506(d) of Regulation D promulgated under the Securities Act;

(G) if such Stockholder Nominee or the applicable Eligible Stockholder (including each member of any group of Stockholders and beneficial owners that together is an Eligible Stockholder) shall have provided information to the Company in respect of such nomination that was untrue in any material respect or omitted to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statement made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, as determined by the Board or any committee thereof, in each case, in its sole discretion;

(H) if the Eligible Stockholder or applicable Stockholder Nominee otherwise contravenes any of the agreements or representations made by such Eligible Stockholder or Stockholder Nominee or fails to comply with its obligations pursuant to these By-Laws, including, but not limited to, this Section 3.11(a)(iv); or

(I) if the Eligible Stockholder ceases to be an Eligible Stockholder for any reason, including but not limited to not owning the Proxy Access Request Required Shares through the date of the applicable annual meeting.

For the purposes of this paragraph (10), clauses (A)-(F) and, to the extent related to a breach, action or failure by the Stockholder Nominee, clause (G) or (H) will result in the exclusion from the proxy materials pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv) of the specific Stockholder Nominee to whom the ineligibility applies, or, if the proxy statement already has been filed, the ineligibility of such Stockholder Nominee to be nominated; *provided, however*,

that clause (I) (and, to the extent related to a breach, action or failure by an Eligible Stockholder (or any Constituent Holder), clause (G) or (H)) will result in the Voting Shares owned by such Eligible Stockholder (or Constituent Holder) being excluded from the Proxy Access Request Required Shares (and, if as a result the Proxy Access Notice shall no longer have been filed by an Eligible Stockholder, the exclusion from the proxy materials pursuant to this Section 3.11(a)(iv) of all of the applicable Stockholder's Stockholder Nominees from the applicable annual meeting of Stockholders or, if the proxy statement has already been filed, the ineligibility of all of such stockholder's Stockholder Nominees to be nominated).

Except for a nomination made in accordance with Rule 14a-19 promulgated under the Exchange Act, this Section 3.11(a)(iv) shall be the exclusive method for Stockholders to require that nominees for directors be included in the Company's proxy materials.

(b) *Special Meetings of Stockholders.* Only such business shall be conducted at a special meeting of Stockholders as shall have been brought before the meeting pursuant to the Company's notice of meeting. Nominations of individuals for election to the Board may be made at a special meeting of Stockholders at which directors are to be elected pursuant to the Company's notice of meeting either (i) by or at the direction of the Board (or duly authorized committee thereof) or Stockholders pursuant to Section 3.3 of these By-Laws; or (ii) provided that the Board or Stockholders pursuant to Section 3.3 of these By-Laws have determined that directors shall be elected at such meeting, by any Stockholder who (1) is a Stockholder of record at the time of giving of notice provided for in this Section 3.11(b) and at the time of the special meeting, (2) is entitled to vote at the meeting, and (3) complies with the notice procedures set forth in this Section 3.11(b) as to such nomination. The immediately preceding sentence shall be the exclusive means for a Stockholder to make nominations before a special meeting of Stockholders. The proposal by Stockholders of other business to be conducted at a special meeting of Stockholders may be made only in accordance with Section 3.3 of these By-Laws. In the event the Company calls a special meeting of Stockholders for the purpose of electing one or more individuals to the Board, any such Stockholder may nominate an individual(s) (as the case may be) for election to such position(s) as specified in the Company's notice of meeting, if the Stockholder's notice required by Section 3.11(a)(ii) above with respect to any such nomination (including the completed and signed questionnaire, representation and agreement required by Section 3.11(d) below) shall be delivered to the Company's Secretary in writing not earlier than the close of business on the 120th day prior to the date of such special meeting and not later than the close of business on the later of the 90th day prior to the date of such special meeting or, if the first public announcement of the date of such special meeting is less than 100 days prior to the date of such special meeting,

the 10th day following the day on which public announcement is first made of the date of the special meeting and of the nominees proposed to be elected at such meeting. In no event shall any adjournment or postponement of a special meeting or a public announcement thereof commence a new time period (or extend any time period) for the giving of a Stockholder's notice as described above, and a Stockholder shall not be entitled to make additional or substitute nominations following the expiration of the time periods set forth in these By-Laws. The number of nominees a Stockholder may nominate for election at a special meeting (or in the case of a Stockholder giving the notice on behalf of a beneficial owner, the number of nominees a Stockholder may nominate for election at a special meeting on behalf of the beneficial owner) shall not exceed the number of directors to be elected at such special meeting. In addition, to be considered timely, a Stockholder's notice shall further be updated and supplemented, if necessary, so that the information provided or required to be provided in such notice shall be true and correct as of the record date for the meeting and as of the date that is ten (10) business days prior to the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof, and such update and supplement shall be delivered to the Company's Secretary in writing not later than five (5) business days after the record date for the meeting in the case of the update and supplement required to be made as of the record date, and not later than eight (8) business days prior to the date for the meeting, any adjournment or postponement thereof in the case of the update and supplement required to be made as of ten (10) business days prior to the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

(c) *General.*

(i) Only such individuals who are properly nominated in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section 3.3 or this Section 3.11 of this Article III, as applicable, or who are elected or appointed to the Board pursuant to Article IV, Section 4.4 of these By-Laws, shall be eligible to serve as directors of the Company. The Company may require any proposed nominee to furnish such additional information as may reasonably be requested by the Company to determine whether such proposed nominee is qualified to serve as an independent director of the Company under the Certificate of Incorporation, these By-Laws, the listing standards of the principal U.S. exchange upon which the Common Stock of the Company is listed, any law or regulation applicable to the Company, including any applicable rule or regulation of the Commission, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, or the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, as applicable, and any publicly disclosed standards used by the Board in determining and disclosing the independence of the Company's directors.

(ii) Notwithstanding anything in these By-Laws to the contrary, only such business that has been properly brought before the meeting in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section 3.3 or this

Section 3.11 of this Article III, as applicable, may be conducted at a meeting of Stockholders.

(iii) The Chair, or such other individual designated by the Board to preside at the meeting, shall, if the facts warrant, determine and declare to the meeting that a nomination or any other business proposed to be brought before the meeting was not properly brought before the meeting in accordance with the provisions of Section 3.3 or this Section 3.11 of this Article III, as applicable (including whether a Proponent or Stockholder Associated Person solicited (or is part of a group which solicited) or did not so solicit, as the case may be, proxies in compliance with such Stockholder's representation as required by clause (a))(ii)(1)(C)(i)-(ii) of this Section 3.11 of this Article III or complied or did not comply with the requirements of Rule 14a-19 under the Exchange Act), and, if such individual shall so determine and declare, such nomination or other business shall not be transacted at the meeting. If any proposed nomination or other business is not in compliance with these By-Laws, including due to a failure to comply with the requirements of Rule 14a-19 under the Exchange Act, then except as otherwise required by law, the Chair of the meeting shall declare that such nomination be disregarded or such other business shall not be transacted, notwithstanding that votes and proxies in respect of such matter have been received by the Company. In furtherance and not by way of limitation of the foregoing provisions of Section 3.3 and this Section 3.11, unless otherwise required by law, if (A) the Stockholder does not provide the information required under this Section 3.11 of this Article III within the time frames specified in these By-Laws or (B) the Stockholder (or a qualified representative of the Stockholder) does not appear at the annual or special meeting of Stockholders of the Company to present a nomination or proposed business, such nomination shall be disregarded and such proposed business shall not be transacted, notwithstanding that votes and proxies in respect of such matter may have been received by the Company. For purposes of these By-Laws, to be considered a qualified representative of the Stockholder, a Person must be a duly authorized officer, manager or partner of such Stockholder or must be authorized by a writing executed by such Stockholder or an electronic transmission delivered by such Stockholder to act for such Stockholder as proxy at the meeting of Stockholders delivered to the Company prior to the making of such nomination or proposal at such meeting (and in any event not fewer than five business days before the meeting of Stockholders) and such person must produce such writing or electronic transmission, or a reliable reproduction of the writing or electronic transmission, at the meeting of Stockholders.

(iv) For purposes of this Section 3.11 of this Article III, the "close of business" shall mean 6:00 p.m. Eastern Time on any calendar day, whether or not the day is a business day, and a "public

announcement” shall mean disclosure in a press release reported by the Dow Jones News Service, Associated Press or comparable national news service or in a document publicly filed by the Company with the Commission pursuant to Section 13, 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act. For purposes of clause (a)(ii)(1)(B)(i) of this Section 3.11 of this Article III, Shares shall be treated as “beneficially owned” by a person if the person beneficially owns such Shares, directly or indirectly, for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and Regulations 13D and 13G thereunder or has or shares pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding (whether or not in writing): (A) the right to acquire such Shares (whether such right is exercisable immediately or only after the passage of time or the fulfillment of a condition or both); (B) the right to vote such Shares, alone or in concert with others; and/or (C) investment power with respect to such Shares, including the power to dispose of, or to direct the disposition of, such Shares.

(v) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of these By-Laws, a Proponent and any Stockholder Associated Persons shall also comply with all applicable requirements of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations thereunder with respect to the matters set forth in this Section 3.11 of this Article III; *provided, however*, that any references in this Section 3.11 to the Exchange Act or the rules promulgated thereunder are not intended to and shall not limit the requirements applicable to nominations or proposals as to any other business to be considered pursuant to Sections 3.3, 3.11(a)(i)(3), 3.11(a)(iv) or 3.11(b) of these By-Laws. Nothing in this Section 3.11 of this Article III shall be deemed to affect any rights of (1) Stockholders to request inclusion of proposals in the Company’s proxy statement pursuant to Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act or (2) of the holders of any series of preferred stock to elect directors under circumstances specified in the Certificate of Incorporation. Subject to Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act and, solely with respect to an eligible nomination pursuant to a Proxy Access Notice of a Stockholder Nominee at an annual meeting by an Eligible Stockholder, Section 3.11(a)(iv) of these By-Laws, nothing in this Section 3.11 shall be construed to require the Company, or give any Stockholder the right, to have disseminated or described or included in the Company’s proxy statement any Stockholder nomination of director or directors or any other business proposal.

(vi) Any Stockholder and/or Proponent directly or indirectly soliciting proxies from other Stockholders must use a proxy card color other than white, which shall be reserved for the exclusive use for solicitation by the Board.

(d) *Submission of Questionnaire, Representation and Agreement.* To be eligible to be a nominee for election or re-election as a director of the Company,

an individual must deliver (in accordance with the time periods prescribed for delivery of notice under Sections 3.3, 3.11(a)(ii), 3.11(a)(iv) or 3.11(b) above, as applicable) to the Company's Secretary a written questionnaire with respect to the background and qualification of such individual and the background of any other Person on whose behalf the nomination is being made (which questionnaire shall be provided by the Secretary upon written request) and a written representation and agreement (in the form provided by the Secretary upon written request) that such person (i) is not and will not become a party to (A) any agreement, arrangement or understanding with, and has not given any commitment or assurance to, any Person as to how such individual, if elected as a director of the Company, will act or vote on any issue or question (a "Voting Commitment") that has not been disclosed therein or (B) any Voting Commitment that could limit or interfere with such individual's ability to comply, if elected as a director of the Company, with such individual's fiduciary duties under applicable law, (ii) is not and will not become a party to any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person other than the Company with respect to any direct or indirect compensation, reimbursement or indemnification in connection with service or action as a director (including as a nominee) that has not been disclosed therein, (iii) in his or her individual capacity and on behalf of any Person on whose behalf the nomination is being made, would be in compliance, if elected as a director of the Company, and will comply with all of the Company's applicable corporate governance policies and guidelines related to conflict of interest, confidentiality and stock ownership and trading, and any other Company policies and guidelines applicable to directors (which will be promptly provided following a request therefor), (iv) consents to serving as a director if elected and to being named as a nominee in a proxy statement and form of proxy relating to the meeting at which directors are to be elected, and currently intends to serve as a director for the full term for which such person is standing for election, (v) consents to the running of a background check (including through a third party investigation firm) of the type typically obtained by the Corporation with respect to the initial nomination of persons as directors, and will provide any information reasonably requested by the Corporation (as determined by the Board in its sole discretion) to run such background check, and (vi) will submit to interviews with the Board or any committee thereof, and will make themselves available for any such interviews within no less than ten (10) business days following the date of such request. At the request of the Company, such nominee must further submit all other fully completed and signed questionnaires required of the Board's non-incumbent director nominees. If a Stockholder has submitted notice of an intent to nominate a candidate for election or re-election as a director pursuant to Sections 3.3, 3.11(a)(ii), 3.11(a)(iv) or 3.11(b) above, as applicable, all written and signed representations and agreements and all fully completed and signed questionnaires described above shall be provided to the Company at the same time as such notice, and the additional information described in Section 3.11(c)(i) above shall be provided to the Company promptly upon request by the Company, but in any event within five (5) business days after such request.

All information (including all questionnaires, representations and agreements described in the foregoing paragraph) and communications (including any meeting described in clause (vi) of the foregoing paragraph) provided pursuant to this Section 3.11(d) shall be deemed part of the Stockholder's notice submitted pursuant to Sections 3.3, 3.11(a)(ii), 3.11(a)(iv) or 3.11(b) above, as applicable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if any information or communication submitted pursuant to this Section 3.11 is inaccurate or incomplete in any material respect, ceases to be true and correct in all material respects, or omits a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading (in each case, as determined by the Board (or any authorized committee thereof)) such information shall be deemed not to have been provided in accordance herewith. Any Stockholder providing information pursuant to this Section 3.11 shall promptly notify the Secretary in writing of any defect in any previously provided information within two (2) business days after becoming aware of such inaccuracy or change. Upon written request of the Secretary, such Stockholder shall provide, within seven (7) business days after delivery of such request (or such longer period as may be specified in such request), (i) written verification, reasonably satisfactory to the Company, to demonstrate the accuracy of any information submitted and (ii) a written affirmation of any information submitted as of an earlier date; it being understood for the avoidance of doubt that providing any such notification shall not be deemed to cure any such defect or limit the remedies (including without limitation under these By-Laws) available to the Company relating to any such defect. If the Stockholder giving notice of an intent to nominate a candidate for election fails to provide any information or communications described in this Section 3.11(d), including any written verification or affirmation described in the foregoing sentence, within the timeframes specified herein, such information (including any information as to which written verification or affirmation was requested in accordance with the foregoing sentence) or communications shall be deemed not to have been provided in accordance with this Section 3.11.

3.12. Action by Written Consent of Stockholders.

(a) Unless otherwise provided in the Certificate of Incorporation, any action which is required to be or may be taken at any annual or special meeting of Stockholders may be taken without a meeting, without prior notice and without a vote, if consents in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall have been signed by the holders of outstanding Shares having not less than the minimum number of votes that would be necessary to authorize or to take such action at a meeting at which all Shares entitled to vote thereon were present and voted and shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Company; provided, that prompt notice of the taking of the corporate action without a meeting and by less than unanimous written consent shall be given to those Stockholders who have not consented in writing and who, if the action had been taken at a meeting, would have been entitled to notice of the meeting if the record date for notice of such meeting had been the date that written consents signed by a sufficient number of

holders to take the action were delivered to the Company. A writing or electronic transmission consenting to the action to be taken and transmitted by the Stockholder, or a Person authorized to act for the Stockholder, shall be deemed to be written, signed and dated for purposes of this Section 3.12(a); *provided* that any such writing or electronic transmission sets forth or is delivered with information from which the Company can determine (1) that the writing or electronic transmission was transmitted by the Stockholder, or the Person authorized to act for the Stockholder, and (2) the date on which such Stockholder, or Person authorized to act for the Stockholder, transmitted such writing or electronic transmission. The date on which such writing or electronic transmission is transmitted shall be deemed the date on which such consent was signed. Any copy, facsimile, or other reliable reproduction of such writing or transmission may be substituted or used in lieu of the original writing or transmission for any and all purposes for which the original writing or transmission could be used, *provided* that any such reproduction is a complete reproduction of the entire original writing or transmission.

(b) In the event of the delivery to the Company of written consents purporting to represent the requisite voting power to authorize or take corporate action and/or related revocations, the Secretary of the Company shall provide for the safekeeping of such consents and revocations and shall, as promptly as practicable, engage a nationally recognized independent inspector of election for the purpose of promptly performing a ministerial review of the validity of the consents and revocations. No action by written consent and without a meeting shall be effective until such inspector has completed its review, determined that the requisite number of valid and unrevoked consents has been obtained to authorize or take the action specified in the consents, and certified such determination for entry in the records of the Company kept for the purpose of recording the proceedings of meetings of Stockholders.

ARTICLE IV BOARD OF DIRECTORS

4.1. General Powers. The business and affairs of the Company shall be managed under the direction of its Board, except as otherwise provided in the Certificate of Incorporation or permitted under the DGCL.

4.2. Number and Qualification. The number of directors of the Company shall be not less than 3 or more than 28, with the number to be designated from time to time by resolution of the Board. Directors need not be residents of the State of Delaware. Directors must be stockholders of the Company.

4.3. Terms of Directors. The terms of all directors shall expire at the next annual meeting of Stockholders following their election to the Board. Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of Stockholders, except as otherwise provided in the Certificate of Incorporation or these By-Laws. A decrease in the number of directors does

not shorten an incumbent director's term. Despite the expiration of a director's term, however, such director shall continue to serve until the director's successor is elected and qualified or until such director's earlier resignation or removal.

4.4. Vacancies and Newly Created Directorships. Except in those instances where the Certificate of Incorporation, these By-Laws or applicable law provides otherwise, a majority of directors then in office, although less than a quorum, or a sole remaining director, may fill a vacancy (created by reason of death, resignation, retirement, disqualification, removal from office or otherwise) or a newly created directorship on the Board, and such directors so chosen shall hold office until the next annual meeting of Stockholders at which directors are elected and until their successors are elected and qualified. A vacancy that will occur at a specific later date (by reason of a resignation effective at a later date or otherwise) may be filled before the vacancy occurs by a majority of directors then in office, including those who have resigned, but the new director may not take office until the vacancy occurs. Whenever the holders of outstanding Shares of preferred stock are entitled to elect directors pursuant to the Certificate of Incorporation, any newly created directorships for such Shares of preferred stock and any vacancies may be filled as set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation.

4.5. Chair; Vice Chair. The Board shall annually elect one of its members to be Chair. The Chair of the Board shall preside at meetings of the Stockholders and at all meetings of the Board, unless otherwise provided in these By-Laws, and shall perform such other duties as the Board may from time to time determine. The Board may elect one of its directors who meets the criteria for director independence required by the New York Stock Exchange and the Company's Corporate Governance Guidelines (referred to for purposes of this paragraph as an "independent director") as a Vice Chair. The Vice Chair shall perform such duties and have such authority as may be prescribed by the Board or by the Chair from time to time. In the event the Chair is unable to perform the duties of the Chair, the Vice Chair shall exercise the powers and discharge the duties of the Chair until such time as the Board shall elect a new Chair from among its members in accordance with these By-Laws; or if there is no Vice Chair, or, if the Vice Chair is unable to perform such duties, the Lead Independent Director (if any) or such other independent director as the Board may designate shall exercise the powers and discharge the duties of the Chair.

4.6. Place of Meetings. The directors may hold their meetings, have one or more offices, and keep the books of the Company outside of the State of Delaware at the offices of the Company or at such other places, within or without the State of Delaware, as they may from time to time determine.

4.7. Annual Meeting. An annual meeting of the directors shall be held each year, without other notice than this By-Law provision, on the same date as the annual meeting of Stockholders. The time and place of such meeting shall be designated by the Board, the Chair, any Vice Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, or the President. At such meeting, the directors shall elect or appoint officers as

authorized by Article V of these By-Laws. The directors may also transact such other business at the annual meeting as they deem necessary or appropriate.

4.8. Regular Meetings. Regular meetings of the Board may be held without notice at such time and place as shall from time to time be determined by the Board.

4.9. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Board shall be held whenever called by the Chair, any Vice Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, the President, the Secretary, or a majority of the Board. The individual(s) calling a special meeting of the Board shall give written notice of each such special meeting as provided in this Section 4.9, in which shall be stated the time and place of such meeting, but, except as otherwise expressly provided by the DGCL or these By-Laws, the purpose of the meeting need not be stated in such notice. Except as otherwise provided by law, notice of each such special meeting shall be mailed to each director, addressed to the director at the director's residence or usual place of business as it appears in the records of the Secretary, at least two (2) days before the day on which such meeting is to be held, or shall be sent addressed to the director by electronic transmission, or be delivered personally or by telephone, in each case, not later than 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time of the calendar day before the day on which such meeting is to be held. Notice of any meeting of the Board shall not, however, be required to be given to any director who submits a waiver of notice, in writing or by electronic transmission, whether before or after the meeting, or if the director shall be present at or participate in such meeting except when the director attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting, at the beginning of the meeting, to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened; and any meeting of the Board shall be a legal meeting without any notice thereof having been given if all the directors of the Company then in office shall be present thereat except when any director attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting, at the beginning of the meeting, to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened.

4.10. Quorum. At all meetings of the Board, any number of directors constituting not less than one-third (1/3) of the total number of members of the Board shall be necessary and sufficient to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, provided that where there is less than a majority of the Board present at any meeting a majority of the directors present may adjourn the meeting from time to time without further notice.

4.11. Act of Board. Except as otherwise provided in the DGCL, the Certificate of Incorporation or these By-Laws, the act of a majority of the directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the vote of the Board; *provided, however*, that where there is less than a majority of the Board present at any meeting, no action by those present, although constituting a quorum, shall be taken except by unanimous vote of the directors present.

4.12. Action Without a Meeting. Unless otherwise restricted by the Certificate of Incorporation or these By-Laws, any action required or permitted to be taken at a Board meeting, or of any committee thereof, may be taken without a meeting if the

action is taken by all members of the Board, or of the committee thereof. The action must be evidenced by one or more consents in writing or by electronic transmission describing the action taken, which consent or consents shall be included in the minutes or filed with the corporate records.

4.13. Conduct of Meetings. The Chair shall preside at all meetings of the Board or, in the absence or at the request of the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Vice Chair, if any, or another director chosen by the Chair or the Board shall so preside. The Secretary, or in the absence or at the request of the Secretary, any assistant secretary or individual designated by the Secretary, shall act as secretary of such meeting.

4.14. Committees. The Company elects to be governed by Subsection (2) of Section 141(c) of the DGCL. The Board may from time to time create or eliminate one (1) or more committees, including, but not limited to, an executive committee, any committee the Company may be required to create under the laws and regulations applicable to the Company (such as the New York Stock Exchange listing standards and the rules and regulations promulgated by the Commission) or such other committees having such name or names as may be stated in these By-Laws or as may be designated from time to time by resolution adopted by the Board. The Board shall appoint one (1) or more of the directors of the Company to serve on such committees. In the absence or disqualification of a member of the committee, the member or members thereof present at any meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not he, she or they constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another member of the Board to act at the meeting in place of any such absent or disqualified member. Such committees, to the extent provided in said resolution or resolutions, these By-Laws, in any charter for such committee approved by the Board, or any laws and regulations applicable to the Company, shall have and may exercise the powers and authority of the Board in the management of the business and affairs of the Company, and may have power to authorize the seal of the Company to be affixed to all papers which may require it. Except as expressly provided in the DGCL, these By-Laws or the resolution designating the committee, a majority of the members of any such committee may fix its rules of procedure, fix the time and place of its meetings and specify what notice of meetings, if any, shall be given. Each committee of the Board shall keep minutes of their proceedings and shall report their actions to the Board at the next meeting of the Board.

4.15. Compensation. By resolution of the Board, the Board may provide for the compensation of non-employee directors and members of any committee of the Board for their services as such and may provide for the payment or reimbursement of any or all expenses reasonably incurred by them in attending meetings of the Board or of any committee of the Board or in the performance of their other duties as directors. Nothing contained in these By-Laws, however, shall be construed to prevent any director from serving the Company in any other capacity or receiving compensation therefor. Employees of the Company or any of the Affiliates of the Company serving on the Board shall not receive additional compensation from the Company for such Board service.

4.16. Participation Other Than in Person. At any regular or special meeting of the Board, or any committee thereof, one or more Board or committee members may participate in such meeting by means of a conference telephone or other communications equipment which allows all individuals participating in the meeting to hear each other at the same time. This type of participation in a meeting shall constitute presence in person at the meeting.

4.17. Rules and Regulations. The Board, including any committee of the Board, may adopt such rules and regulations for the conduct of its meetings, its committees and the management of the affairs of the Company as it may deem proper, not inconsistent with the DGCL or these By-Laws.

ARTICLE V OFFICERS

5.1. Election – Appointment of Officers. The Board shall elect the following officers of the Company: a President, a Chief Executive Officer, a Chief Financial Officer, a Secretary, a Treasurer, a Controller, a Chief Auditor and any other officers as may be designated by the Board. The Board may from time to time designate which of these elected officers shall have the authority to appoint and terminate the appointment of such other officers and agents of the Company with such titles and duties as may be necessary for the prompt and orderly transaction of the business of the Company. Any two (2) or more offices may be held by the same individual. The Chief Executive Officer shall be a member of the Board and other officers may be members of the Board. In its discretion, the Board may leave unfilled any offices specified in this Section 5.1.

5.2. Term; Removal. All officers shall hold office until their death, resignation, retirement, removal or disqualification or until their successors are elected or appointed and qualified. Any officer elected by the Board may be removed at any time by the affirmative vote of a majority of the whole Board.

5.3. President; Vice Presidents. The Board shall elect a President, who shall perform the duties and exercise the powers of that office and, in addition, shall perform such other duties and shall have such other authority as may be prescribed by these By-Laws or the Board from time to time. The President may, by resolution of the Board, be designated Chief Executive Officer of the Company. If the President is not designated Chief Executive Officer, the President shall assist the Chief Executive Officer in the management of the Company. In accordance with Section 5.1, the Board may elect, or an authorized officer elected by the Board may appoint, one or more Vice Presidents, who shall have such duties and authorities, and designations and titles (e.g., Senior Executive Vice President, Group Executive Vice President, Executive Vice President and Senior Vice President), as may be prescribed by the Board or the authorized officer, as applicable.

5.4. Chief Executive Officer. The Board shall elect a Chief Executive Officer of the Company. The Chief Executive Officer shall, subject to the direction and control of the Board, supervise and control the business and affairs of the Company and shall see that all orders and resolutions of the Board are carried into effect. The Chief Executive

Officer shall be charged with the duty of causing to be presented to the Board full information regarding the conditions and operations of the Company, as well as matters of a policy nature concerning the affairs of the Company and information requisite to enable the Board in the discharge of its responsibilities to exercise judgment and take action upon all matters requiring its consideration. Except where by law the signature or action of any other officer is required, the Chief Executive Officer shall possess the same power as any such other officer to sign certificates, contracts and other instruments of the Company and to take other action on behalf of the Company. The Chief Executive Officer shall have the general powers and duties of supervision and management usually vested in the chief executive officer of a corporation.

5.5. Chief Financial Officer. The Board shall elect a Chief Financial Officer, who shall have general supervision over the financial affairs of the Company and have such powers and perform such duties as may be prescribed by these By-Laws, the Board, the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), any Vice Chair, the Chief Executive Officer, or the President from time to time.

5.6. Secretary; Assistant Secretary. The Secretary and any Assistant Secretary shall, as applicable:

- (a) record all the proceedings of the meetings of the Stockholders and the Board in one or more books kept for that purpose and shall perform like duties for any committee of the Board when requested;
- (b) see that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these By-Laws or as required by law;
- (c) be custodian of the seal of the Company, and see that such seal or a facsimile thereof is affixed to any documents the execution of which on behalf of the Company is duly authorized and may attest such seal when so affixed; and
- (d) in general, perform all duties incident to the office of Secretary and such other duties as from time to time may be prescribed by the Board, the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, the President or a Vice Chair.

At the request of the Secretary, or in case of the Secretary's absence or inability to act, the Assistant Secretary, or if there be more than one, any of the Assistant Secretaries, shall perform the duties of the Secretary and, when so acting, shall have all the powers of, and be subject to all the restrictions upon, the Secretary. Each Assistant Secretary shall perform such other duties as from time to time may be prescribed by the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, the President, a Vice Chair or the Secretary.

5.7. Treasurer; Assistant Treasurer. The Treasurer and any Assistant Treasurer shall, as applicable:

(a) have the custody of the corporate funds and securities and shall keep full and accurate accounts thereof, and shall deposit all moneys, and other valuable effects, in the name and to the credit of the Company in such depositories as may be designated by the Board or pursuant to procedures established by resolution of the Board;

(b) render such reports and perform such duties as from time to time may be prescribed by the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, the President, any Vice Chair or the Chief Financial Officer; and

at the request of the Treasurer, or in case of the Treasurer's absence or inability to act, the Assistant Treasurer, or if there be more than one, any of the Assistant Treasurers, shall perform the duties of the Treasurer and, when so acting, shall have all the powers of, and be subject to all the restrictions upon, the Treasurer. Each Assistant Treasurer shall perform such other duties as from time to time may be prescribed by the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, the President, any Vice Chair, the Chief Financial Officer or the Treasurer.

5.8. Controller. The Controller shall exercise general supervision of the accounting departments of the Company. The Controller shall be responsible to the Chief Financial Officer and shall render reports from time to time relating to the general financial condition of the Company. The Controller shall render such other reports and perform such other duties as from time to time may be prescribed by the Board, the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Chief Executive Officer, the President, any Vice Chair or the Chief Financial Officer.

5.9. Chief Auditor. The Chief Auditor shall examine the affairs of the Company and its subsidiaries and shall report to the Board summarizing the condition of the Company and its subsidiaries. The Chief Auditor shall have and may exercise such powers and duties as from time to time may be prescribed by the Board or a committee of the Board.

5.10. Powers and Duties of Other Officers. The powers and duties of all other officers of the Company shall be those usually pertaining to their respective offices, subject to the direction and control of the Board and as otherwise provided in these By-Laws.

ARTICLE VI

STOCK AND STOCK TRANSFERS

6.1. Certificates for Stock. Shares may be uncertificated, except to the extent otherwise required by applicable law and except to the extent Shares are represented by outstanding certificates that have not been surrendered to the Company or its transfer agent. Certificates representing Shares shall be numbered in the order in which they shall be issued and shall be signed in the name of the Company by any two authorized officers of the Company, including, without limitation, by the Chief Executive Officer, the President, a

Vice President, the Secretary, an Assistant Secretary, the Treasurer, and an Assistant Treasurer; *provided, however*, that the signatures of any such officers or any transfer agent may be facsimiles. In case any officer or officers or transfer agent of the Company who shall have signed, or whose facsimile signature or signatures shall have been placed upon, any such certificate shall cease to be such officer or officers or transfer agent before such certificate shall have been issued, such certificate may be issued by the Company with the same effect as though the individual or individuals who signed such certificate, or whose facsimile signature or signatures shall have been placed thereupon were such officer and officers or transfer agent at the date of issue.

6.2. Stock Ledger. A stock ledger shall be kept of the respective names of the Persons owning stock, the number, class and series of stock owned by such Persons, respectively, and the respective dates thereof, and in case of cancellation, the respective dates of cancellation. Every certificate surrendered to the Company for exchange or transfer shall be cancelled and a new certificate or certificates, or new equivalent uncertificated Shares, as the case may be, shall not be issued in exchange for any existing certificate until such existing certificate shall have been so cancelled, except in cases provided for in Section 6.4 below or otherwise required by law.

6.3. Transfers of Stock. Transfers of Shares shall be made on the stock ledger of the Company only by the registered holder thereof, or by such holder's attorney thereunto authorized by power of attorney duly executed and filed with the Company's Secretary, or with a transfer agent duly appointed, and upon surrender of the certificate or certificates for such Shares properly endorsed, if such Shares are represented by a certificate, and payment of all taxes thereon. Upon receipt of proper transfer instructions from the registered owner of uncertificated Shares such uncertificated Shares shall be cancelled and issuance of new equivalent uncertificated Shares shall be made to the Person entitled thereto and the transaction shall be recorded in the stock ledger of the Company. The Person in whose name Shares stand on the Company's stock ledger shall be deemed the owner thereof for all purposes as regards the Company.

6.4. Lost Certificates. Any Person claiming a certificate for Shares to be lost, stolen or destroyed shall make an affidavit or affirmation of the fact and advertise the same in such manner as the Company may require. The owner of such lost, stolen or destroyed certificate, or such owner's legal representative, shall be required to give the Company a bond in such sum as the Company, in its discretion, may direct to indemnify the Company against any claim that may be made against it on account of the alleged loss of any such certificate before the Company will issue a new certificate, or new equivalent uncertificated Shares, in place of the certificate claimed to have been lost, stolen or destroyed; *provided, however*, a new certificate, or new equivalent uncertificated Shares, of the same tenor and for the same number of shares as the certificate alleged to be lost, stolen or destroyed may be issued without requiring such bond when, in the judgment of the Company, it is proper so to do.

6.5. Holder of Record. Except as otherwise required by the Certificate of Incorporation, these By-Laws, the DGCL or applicable law, the Company shall be entitled to treat the Person in whose name its stock stands of record on its stock ledger as the

absolute owner of the stock and accordingly shall not be bound to recognize any equitable or other claim to or interest in such stock on the part of any other Person, whether or not it shall have express or other notice thereof.

6.6. Stock of Other Corporations; Proxies. Unless otherwise provided by the Board, the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Vice Chair, the Chief Executive Officer, the President, the Chief Financial Officer, the Secretary, any Executive Vice President or any Senior Vice President may from time to time:

(a) appoint an attorney or attorneys or an agent or agents of the Company to exercise in the name and on behalf of the Company the powers and rights which the Company may have as the holder of stock or other securities in any other corporation or entity to vote or consent in respect of such stock or other securities;

(b) instruct the Person or Persons so appointed as to the manner of exercising such powers and rights; and

(c) execute or cause to be executed in the name and on behalf of the Company and under its corporate seal, or otherwise, all such written proxies or other instruments as such officer may deem necessary or proper in order that the Company may exercise its said powers and rights.

6.7. Local Directors. In the event that this Company shall own in excess of fifty percent (50%) of the capital stock of any financial or moneyed corporation or association and if in the acquisition of such stock this Company shall have agreed that as to the voting of such stock for the election of directors this By-Law or an agreement substantially in accord therewith shall be binding on the Company, then and in each such event the stock so acquired shall, at all meetings for the election of a board of directors of any such association or corporation, be voted in favor of the election to such board of a sufficient number of residents of the city where the principal office of such corporation or association is located so that, if the candidate so voted for shall be elected, at least seventy-five percent of the members of said board shall be residents of said city. This Section 6.7 of this Article VI shall be amended only upon the affirmative vote of eighty percent (80%) in amount of the Common Stock of the Company outstanding at the time of such amendment or by the Board after receipt of the written consent of the holders of at least eighty percent (80%) of the Common Stock of the Company.

6.8. Regulations. The Board may make such rules and regulations as it may deem expedient, not inconsistent with these By-Laws or the DGCL, concerning the issue, transfer and registration of uncertificated Shares or certificates for Shares. The Board may appoint, or authorize any officer or officers to appoint, one or more transfer agents and one or more registrars, and may require all certificates for Shares bear the signature or signatures of any of them.

ARTICLE VII MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

7.1. Fiscal Year. The fiscal year shall begin the first day of January in each year.

7.2. Seal. The corporate seal shall have inscribed thereon the name of the Company, the year of its organization and the words “Corporate Seal, Delaware.” Said seal may be used by causing it or a facsimile thereof to be impressed or affixed or reproduced or otherwise.

7.3. Execution of Contracts. Except as may be otherwise expressly provided in these By-Laws or by law, all contracts or other written instruments made in the Company’s name shall be signed by the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the Vice Chair, the Chief Executive Officer, the President, an Executive Vice President, a Senior Vice President or such other individual(s) and in such other manner as shall from time to time be directed by the Board by appropriate resolutions.

7.4. Amendments. Except as otherwise specifically provided by the DGCL or in these By-Laws, these By-Laws may be added to, amended, altered or repealed by (1) the affirmative vote of a majority of the entire Board at a regular meeting of directors, or at a special meeting of directors if notice of such proposed action is given to each director prior to such special meeting, or (2) the affirmative vote of a majority in voting power of the Shares issued and outstanding and entitled to vote at an annual meeting of the Stockholders or at a special meeting of the Stockholders if notice of such proposed action is contained in the notice of such annual or special meeting.

7.5. Distributions. The Board may from time to time authorize, and the Company may pay or distribute, dividends or other distributions on its outstanding Shares in such a manner and upon such terms and conditions as are permitted by the Certificate of Incorporation and the DGCL.

ARTICLE VIII EMERGENCY BY-LAWS

8.1. Emergency By-Laws. This Article VIII shall be operative during any emergency resulting from an attack on the United States or on a locality in which the Company conducts its business or customarily holds meetings of its Board or its Stockholders, or during any nuclear or atomic disaster, or during the existence of any catastrophe or other similar emergency condition (an “emergency”), notwithstanding any different or conflicting provisions in these By-Laws, the Certificate of Incorporation or the DGCL. To the extent not inconsistent with the provisions of this Article VIII, the By-Laws provided in the other Articles of these By-Laws and the provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation shall remain in effect during such emergency and upon termination of such emergency, the provisions of this Article VIII shall cease to be operative.

8.2. Meetings. During any emergency, a meeting of the Board, or any committee thereof, may be called by any member of the Board, the Chair, the Lead Independent Director (if any), the President, a Vice Chair, an Executive Vice President or the Secretary. Notice of the time and place of the meeting shall be given by any available means of communication by the individual calling the meeting to such of the directors and/or Designated Officers as it may be feasible to reach. Such notice shall be given at such time in advance of the meeting as, in the judgment of the individual calling the meeting, circumstances permit. As a result of such emergency, the Board may determine that a meeting of Stockholders not be held at any place, but instead be held solely by means of remote communication in accordance with the DGCL.

8.3. Quorum. At any meeting of the Board, or any committee thereof, called in accordance with Section 8.2 above, the presence or participation of two directors or one director and a Designated Officer shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. In the event that no directors are able to attend the meeting of the Board, then the Designated Officers in attendance shall serve as directors for the meeting, without any additional quorum requirement and will have full powers to act as directors of the Company.

8.4. By-Laws. At any meeting called in accordance with Section 8.2 above, the Board or a committee of the Board, as the case may be, may modify, amend or add to the provisions of this Article VIII so as to make any provision that may be practical or necessary for the circumstances of the emergency.

8.5. Liability. No officer, director or employee of the Company acting in accordance with the provisions of this Article VIII shall be liable except for willful misconduct.

8.6. Repeal or Change. The provisions of this Article VIII shall be subject to repeal or change by further action of the Board or by action of the Stockholders, but no such repeal or change shall modify the provisions of Section 8.5 of this Article VIII with regard to action taken prior to the time of such repeal or change.

ARTICLE IX

FORUM FOR ADJUDICATION OF DISPUTES

9.1 Forum. Unless the Company, in writing, selects or consents to the selection of an alternative forum: (a) the sole and exclusive forum for any complaint asserting any internal corporate claims (as defined below) or for any derivative action or proceeding brought on behalf of the Company, to the fullest extent permitted by law, and subject to applicable jurisdictional requirements, shall be the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware (or, if the Court of Chancery does not have, or declines to accept, jurisdiction, another state court or a federal court located within the State of Delaware); and (b) the sole and exclusive forum for any complaint asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act of 1933 or any rule or regulation promulgated thereunder (in each case, as amended), to the fullest extent permitted by law, shall be the federal district courts of the

United States of America, *provided, however*, that if the foregoing provision (b), or the application of such provision to any person or entity or circumstance, is held to be illegal, invalid, or unenforceable, the sole and exclusive state court forum for any cause of action arising under the Securities Act of 1933 or any rule or regulation promulgated thereunder (in each case, as amended) shall be the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware. For purposes of this Article IX, “internal corporate claims” means claims, including claims in the right of the Company: (i) that are based upon a violation of a duty by a current or former director, officer, employee or Stockholder in such capacity; (ii) that arise pursuant to any provision of the DGCL or the Company’s Certificate of Incorporation or these By-Laws or as to which the DGCL confers jurisdiction upon the Court of Chancery; or (iii) that is governed by the internal affairs doctrine. To the fullest extent permitted by law, any person or entity purchasing or otherwise acquiring or holding any interest in shares of stock of the Company shall be deemed to have notice of and consented to the provisions of this Article IX.

9.2 Enforceability. If any provision of this Article IX shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable as applied to any person or entity or circumstance for any reason whatsoever, then, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the validity, legality and enforceability of such provision in any other circumstance and of the remaining provisions of this Article IX (including, without limitation, each portion of any sentence of this Article IX containing any such provision held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable that is not itself held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable) and the application of such provision to other persons or entities or circumstances shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

**WELLS FARGO & COMPANY
2022 LONG-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN
RESTRICTED SHARE RIGHTS AWARD AGREEMENT**

Grant Date: July 29, 2025

1. **Award.** To encourage your continued employment with the Company or any Affiliate and to motivate you to help the Company increase stockholder value over the long term, Wells Fargo & Company (the "Company") has awarded you the number of Restricted Share Rights as set forth on the acknowledgement screen for your grant on this website (the "Award"). Each Restricted Share Right entitles you to receive one share of Wells Fargo & Company common stock ("Common Stock") contingent upon vesting and subject to the other terms and conditions set forth in the Company's 2022 Long-Term Incentive Plan, as may be amended from time to time (the "Plan") and this Award Agreement.

2. **Vesting.** Except as otherwise provided in this Award Agreement, and subject to the Company's right to recoup or forfeit all or any portion of this Award and other conditions as provided in this Award Agreement, the Restricted Share Rights will vest according to the vesting schedule set forth in the "Award Details" portion of the notice of grant of the Award (the "Grant Notice") provided to you via the web portal of the third-party service provider assisting the Company with the administration of the Plan, which Grant Notice is incorporated herein by reference.

Shares of Common Stock in settlement of the Restricted Share Rights will be issued to you or, in case of your death, your Beneficiary determined in accordance with the Plan. Although you may receive dividend equivalents as provided below, you will have no rights as a stockholder of the Company with respect to your Restricted Share Rights until settlement. Upon the vesting dates set forth in the Grant Notice, but in any case no later than December 31 of the taxable year in which the applicable vesting date occurs (for each such date, the "Settlement Period"), each Restricted Share Right will be settled and distributed as one share of Common Stock, subject to the Clawback Policy and the other terms of paragraph 3 and the restrictions in paragraphs 8 and 9 below. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the Company determines that a Performance Condition (as defined in the Clawback Policy) or other clawback event under paragraph 3 below has occurred prior to settlement of your Restricted Share Rights, your Restricted Share Rights are subject to forfeiture. You acknowledge that your transactions in any shares of Common Stock you may acquire pursuant to this Award are subject to your compliance with the Company's Personal Trading Policy, including with respect to certain blackout trading restrictions and preclearance requirements, to the extent applicable to you.

3. **Clawback Policy.** The Award is fully conditioned on and subject to the Performance Conditions (as defined in the Clawback Policy) to vesting and the other clawback, forfeiture and cancellation provisions described in the Wells Fargo & Company Clawback and Forfeiture Policy attached hereto as Exhibit B, as it may be amended from time to time (the "Clawback Policy"). If you are an "officer" of the Company within the meaning of Rule 16a-1(f) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), the Award may also be impacted by application of the Wells Fargo & Company Mandatory Clawback Policy. The Award is also subject to any other applicable reduction, recoupment, "malus" or "clawback" policies, practices or provisions of the Company and its Affiliates, as in effect from time to time, and any applicable reduction, recoupment, malus or clawback requirements imposed under laws, rules and regulations.

In the event that you are subject to additional award payout criteria under the Wells Fargo Bonus Plan or a line-of-business incentive plan, then the Award is also fully conditioned on and subject to your risk performance, as described in such plan and determined by the Plan Administrator of such plan or his or her delegate (the "Plan Administrator"). The Plan Administrator may cancel all or any unpaid portion of the Award for negative risk or compliance outcomes at the individual level based on consideration of actual losses (as specified in the given plan), compliance, or risk infractions that occurred during any year this Award or a portion thereof is outstanding.

4. **Termination.**

- (a) The definitions of the terms "Separation from Service", "Disability" and "Cause" are set forth on Exhibit A to this Award Agreement, which definitions are incorporated by reference herein.
- (b) If you cease to be an employee due to your death, any unvested Restricted Share Rights awarded hereby (including any Restricted Share Rights granted with respect to dividend equivalents as provided below) will immediately vest upon your date of death and will be settled and distributed to your Beneficiary in shares of Common Stock between the date of your death and December 31 of the year following the year in which you die. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if by the last date set forth herein your Beneficiary has not presented evidence deemed satisfactory by the Company to allow transfer of the shares of Common Stock to the Beneficiary under applicable laws, the Company may treat all Restricted Share Rights as forfeited, in which case the Company shall have no obligation to issue shares of Common Stock, benefits or anything else in lieu of such shares to your Beneficiary and shall have no liability therefor.
- (c) If you experience an involuntary Separation from Service as a result of application of the Company's Extended Absence Policy to you in connection with a Disability, then any unvested Restricted Share Rights awarded hereby (including any Restricted Share Rights granted with respect to dividend equivalents as provided below) will continue to vest and be settled pursuant to the schedule set forth in the Grant Notice and within the respective Settlement Period set forth in paragraph 2 above, subject to the Clawback Policy and the other terms of paragraph 3 above and the restrictions in paragraphs 8 and 9 below. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if you die following such a Separation from Service, any unvested Restricted Share Rights will vest and be settled in accordance with paragraph 4(b).

- (d) If you experience an involuntary Separation from Service as a result of the Company's termination of your employment without Cause, then those unvested Restricted Share Rights awarded hereby that would otherwise vest on the next regularly scheduled vesting date following the date of such Separation from Service as set forth in the Grant Notice (including any Restricted Share Rights granted with respect to dividend equivalents as provided below) will continue to vest and be settled pursuant to the schedule set forth in the Grant Notice and within the respective Settlement Period set forth in paragraph 2 above, subject to the Clawback Policy and the other terms of paragraph 3 above and the restrictions in paragraphs 8 and 9 below. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if you die prior to the next regularly scheduled vesting date following your Separation from Service, any then outstanding unvested Restricted Share Rights that would have otherwise vested under this paragraph 4(c) will immediately vest upon your date of death and will be settled and distributed to your Beneficiary in shares of Common Stock between the date of your death and December 31 of the year following the year in which you die, subject to the last sentence of paragraph 4(b). The remaining Restricted Share Rights (including any Restricted Share Rights granted with respect to dividend equivalents as provided below) will immediately terminate without notice to you and will be forfeited.
- (e) If your employment terminates other than for a reason described in paragraphs 4(b), (c) or (d) above, any unvested Restricted Share Rights awarded hereby (including any Restricted Share Rights granted with respect to dividend equivalents as provided below) will immediately terminate without notice to you and will be forfeited.
5. **Dividend Equivalents.** During the period beginning on the Grant Date and ending on the date the applicable Restricted Share Rights vest and are distributed, or are forfeited, whichever occurs first, if the Company pays a dividend on the Common Stock, you will automatically receive, as of the payment date for such dividend, dividend equivalents in the form of additional Restricted Share Rights based on the amount or number of shares that would have been paid on the Restricted Share Rights had they been issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock as of the record date and, if a cash dividend, the closing price of the Common Stock on the New York Stock Exchange as of the dividend payment date. You will also automatically receive dividend equivalents with respect to such additional Restricted Share Rights, to be granted in the same manner. Restricted Share Rights granted with respect to dividend equivalents will be subject to the same vesting schedule and other terms and conditions as the underlying Restricted Share Rights, including the Company's right of recoupment or forfeiture, and will be distributed in shares of Common Stock when, and if, the underlying Restricted Share Rights are settled and distributed.
6. **Tax Withholding.** Regardless of any action the Company or an Affiliate which is your employer (the "Employer") takes with respect to any or all income tax, payroll tax, payment on account or other tax-related items related to your participation in the Plan and legally applicable to you or deemed by the Company or the Employer to be an appropriate charge to you even if technically due by the Company or the Employer ("Tax-Related Items"), you acknowledge that the ultimate liability for all Tax-Related Items is and remains your responsibility and may exceed the amount (if any) withheld by the Company or the Employer. You further acknowledge that the Company and/or the Employer: (a) make no representations or undertakings regarding the treatment of any Tax-Related Items in connection with any aspect of the Award, including the grant, vesting or settlement of the Restricted Share Rights, the issuance of shares of Common Stock upon settlement of the Restricted Share Rights, the subsequent sale of shares of Common Stock acquired pursuant to such issuance and the receipt of any dividends and/or any dividend equivalents; and (b) do not commit to and are under no obligation to structure the terms of the grant or any aspect of the Award to reduce or eliminate your liability for such Tax-Related Items or to achieve any particular tax result. Further, if you are subject to Tax-Related Items in more than one jurisdiction, you acknowledge that the Company and/or the Employer (or former employer, as applicable) may be required to withhold or account for Tax-Related Items in more than one jurisdiction.

In connection with any relevant taxable or tax withholding event, as applicable, you shall pay or make adequate arrangements satisfactory to the Company or the Employer to satisfy all Tax-Related Items. In this regard, you authorize the Company and/or the Employer, or their respective agents, at their discretion and pursuant to such procedures as the Company may specify from time to time, to satisfy the obligations with regard to all Tax-Related Items by one or a combination of the following: (1) withholding from any wages or other cash compensation paid to you by the Company and/or the Employer; (2) withholding from proceeds of the sale of shares of Common Stock acquired upon vesting and settlement of the Restricted Share Rights either through a voluntary sale or through a mandatory sale arranged by the Company (on your behalf pursuant to this authorization without further consent); or (3) withholding in shares of Common Stock to be issued upon vesting and settlement of the Restricted Share Rights. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if you are subject to the short-swing profit rules of Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act, the Company will withhold in shares of Common Stock upon the relevant tax withholding event, including with respect to any Tax-Related Items required to be withheld prior to the vesting dates set forth in the Grant Notice. Only if withholding in shares of Common Stock is prevented by applicable law or has materially adverse accounting or tax consequences, may the withholding obligation for Tax-Related Items for individuals subject to Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act be satisfied by one or a combination of methods (1) and (2) above. In the event that you forfeit all or a portion of the Award for any reason, you will not be reimbursed for the amount withheld in connection with any Tax-Related Items that were required to be withheld prior to the date of such forfeiture of the Award or portion thereof.

Depending on the withholding method, the Company may withhold or account for Tax-Related Items by considering applicable minimum statutory withholding amounts or other applicable withholding rates, including maximum applicable rates. In the event that the Company over-withholds for Tax-Related Items, you may receive a refund of the over-withheld amount, but you will have no entitlement to compensation for any loss of appreciation in the stock price relative to the over-withheld amount. If not refunded, you may be able to seek a refund from the applicable local tax authorities. In the event of under-withholding, you may be required to pay any additional Tax-Related Items directly to the applicable tax authority. Anything to the contrary in this paragraph 6 notwithstanding, the Company's or the Employer's right to withhold any amounts payable pursuant to this Award to cover Tax-Related Items for any portion of the Award that is considered deferred compensation subject to Section 409A (as defined in paragraph 11 below) shall be limited to the minimum amount permitted to avoid a prohibited acceleration under Section 409A. If the obligation for Tax-Related Items is satisfied by withholding in shares of Common Stock, for tax purposes, you will be deemed to have been issued the full number of shares of Common Stock subject to the vested Restricted Share Rights, notwithstanding that a number of the shares of Common Stock is held back solely for the purpose of paying the Tax-Related Items due as a result of any aspect of your participation in the Plan.

Finally, you shall pay to the Company or the Employer any amount of Tax-Related Items that the Company or the Employer may be required to withhold or account for as a result of your participation in the Plan that cannot be satisfied by the means previously

described. The Company may refuse to issue or deliver the shares or the proceeds of the sale of shares of Common Stock, if you fail to comply with your obligations in connection with the Tax-Related Items.

7. **Nontransferable.** Unless the Committee provides otherwise, (i) no rights under this Award will be assignable or transferable, and neither you nor your Beneficiary will have any power to anticipate, alienate, dispose of, pledge or encumber any rights under this Award, and (ii) the rights and the benefits of this Award may be exercised and received during your lifetime only by you or your legal representative.
8. **Other Restrictions; Amendment.** The grant of the Award and issuance of Common Stock hereunder is subject to compliance by the Company, its Affiliates and you with all legal and regulatory requirements applicable thereto, including compliance with the requirements of 12 C.F.R. Part 359, orders issued under 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b) (together with any agreements related thereto, "orders") and tax withholding obligations, and with all applicable regulations of any stock exchange on which the Common Stock may be listed at the time of issuance. For the avoidance of doubt, regulatory approval under Part 359 or any orders to which the Company is a party may be required for the issuance of Common Stock hereunder in certain circumstances, and the Company cannot provide any assurance that it will be able to request such approval in accordance with the requirements of Part 359 or any applicable order or that any requested approval will be received. Subject to paragraphs 11 and 12 below, the Committee or its delegate may, in its sole discretion and without your consent, reduce, delay vesting, modify, revoke, cancel, impose additional conditions and restrictions on or recover all or a portion of this Award if the Committee or its delegate deems it necessary or advisable to comply with, or to promote or facilitate compliance with, applicable laws, rules and regulations or as required under any procedures or policies implemented by the Company in furtherance of such legal or regulatory compliance.
9. **Restrictive Covenants.** In consideration of the terms of this Award and your access to confidential information, you agree to the restrictive covenants and associated remedies as set forth in the Wells Fargo Agreement Regarding Trade Secrets, Confidential Information, Non-Solicitation, and Assignment of Inventions (the "TSA"), which is attached hereto as Exhibit C and is hereby incorporated by reference. Nothing in this Award Agreement prevents you from discussing or disclosing information about unlawful acts in the workplace, such as harassment, discrimination, retaliation, sexual assault, wage and hour violations, or any other conduct that you have reason to believe is unlawful or that is recognized as against a clear mandate of public policy. Moreover, this Award Agreement does not, in any way, restrict or impede you, if you are a non-manager, from exercising protected rights to the extent such rights cannot be waived by agreement or exercising any rights under Section 7 of the National Labor Relations Act including the right to communicate with current and former co-workers and/or third parties about terms and conditions of employment or labor disputes. Likewise, this Award Agreement is not in any way intended to prohibit or in any manner restrict you or your attorney from initiating communications with, making a report to or filing a charge or complaint with, or participating in an investigation by a regulatory agency or governing body (including providing documents, information, or testimony without providing notice to the Company) such as the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, the Securities and Exchange Commission, or the National Labor Relations Board, nor does it prohibit you from complying with any applicable law or regulation or a valid order of a court of competent jurisdiction or an authorized government agency.

If you breach any of the terms of the TSA, all unvested Restricted Share Rights shall be immediately and irrevocably forfeited. For any Restricted Share Rights that vested within one (1) year prior to the termination of your employment with the Company or an Affiliate or at any time after your termination, you may be required to repay or otherwise reimburse the Company or the Affiliate that employed you an amount having a value equal to the aggregate fair market value (determined as of the date of vesting) of such vested shares. This paragraph does not constitute the Company's exclusive remedy for violation of your restrictive covenant obligations, and the Company and/or the Affiliate that employed you may seek any additional legal or equitable remedy, including injunctive relief, for any such violation.
10. **No Employment Agreement.** Neither the award to you of the Restricted Share Rights nor the delivery to you of this Award Agreement or any other document relating to the Restricted Share Rights will confer on you the right to continued employment with the Company or any Affiliate. You understand that your employment with the Company or any Affiliate is "at will" and nothing in this document changes, alters or modifies your "at will" status or your obligation to comply with all policies, procedures and rules of the Company, as they may be adopted or amended from time to time.
11. **Section 409A.** This Award is intended to comply with the requirements of Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the applicable Treasury Regulations or other binding guidance thereunder ("Section 409A"). Accordingly, all provisions included in this Award Agreement, or incorporated by reference, will be interpreted and administered in accordance with that intent. If any provision of the Plan or this Award Agreement would otherwise conflict with or frustrate this intent, that provision will be interpreted and deemed amended or limited so as to avoid the conflict; provided, however, that the Company makes no representation that the Award is exempt from or complies with Section 409A and makes no undertaking to preclude Section 409A from applying to the Award. The Company will have no liability to you or to any other party if the Award or payment of the Award that is intended to be compliant with Section 409A is not so compliant or for any action taken by the Committee with respect thereto. Notwithstanding any provision of the Plan or this Award Agreement to the contrary, it will not be a violation of the Plan or this Award Agreement, and you will have no right to damages, if the Restricted Share Rights are settled during any period permitted by Section 409A.
12. **Six-month Delay.** Notwithstanding any provision of the Plan or this Award Agreement to the contrary, if, upon your Separation from Service for any reason, the Company determines that you are a "Specified Employee" for purposes of Section 409A and in accordance with guidelines established by the Company from time to time, your Restricted Share Rights, if subject to settlement upon your Separation from Service and if required pursuant to Section 409A, will not settle before the date that is the first business day following the six-month anniversary of such Separation from Service, or, if earlier, upon your death.
13. **Stock Ownership Policy.** If you are an Executive Officer of the Company or a member of its Operating Committee, as a condition to receiving this Award, you agree that you are subject to the Company's stock ownership policy, as may be amended from time to time, and that as a result, you may be required to hold, including after your retirement, all or a portion of any shares of Common Stock issued to you pursuant to this Award in order to achieve compliance with such stock ownership policy.

14. **Severability and Judicial Modification.** If any provision of this Award Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable under pertinent state law or otherwise or the Company elects not to enforce any such provision, including but not limited to Section IV(b) of the TSA, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect and the invalid or unenforceable provision shall be modified only to the extent necessary to render that provision valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law. If the invalid or unenforceable provision cannot be, or is not, modified, that provision shall be severed from this Award Agreement and all other provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.
15. **Additional Provisions.** This Award Agreement is subject to the provisions of the Plan. Capitalized terms not defined in this Award Agreement or on Exhibit A hereto are used as defined in the Plan. If the Plan and this Award Agreement are inconsistent, the provisions of the Plan will govern. Interpretations of the Plan and this Award Agreement by the Committee are binding on you and the Company.
16. **Applicable Law.** This Award Agreement and the award of Restricted Share Rights evidenced hereby will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the state of Delaware (without regard to its choice-of-law provisions), except to the extent Federal law would apply.
17. **Imposition of Other Requirements.** The Company reserves the right to impose other requirements on your participation in the Plan, on the Award and on any shares of Common Stock acquired under the Plan, to the extent the Company determines it is necessary or advisable in order to comply with applicable law or facilitate the administration of the Plan and provided the imposition of the term or condition will not result in adverse accounting expense to the Company, and to require you to sign any additional agreements or undertakings that may be necessary to accomplish the foregoing.
18. **Electronic Delivery and Acceptance.** The Company is electronically delivering documents related to current or future participation in the Plan and is requesting your consent to participate in the Plan by electronic means. You hereby consent to receive such documents by electronic delivery and agree to participate in the Plan through the current plan administrator's on-line system, or any other on-line system or electronic means that the Company may decide, in its sole discretion, to use in the future.
19. **Entire Agreement.** The Plan is incorporated herein by reference. The Plan and this Award Agreement (including Exhibit A, Exhibit B and Exhibit C attached hereto) constitute the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the Award and supersede in their entirety all prior proposals, undertakings and agreements, written or oral, and all other communications between you and the Company with respect to the Award.

[Signature page follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WELLS FARGO & COMPANY has caused this Award Agreement to be executed on its behalf by its duly-authorized officer effective as of the Grant Date.

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY

By: _____ Its: _____

PLEASE NOTE: Receipt of this Award is subject to your electronic signature on the current plan administrator's website acknowledging and accepting all the terms and conditions of this Award Agreement and the Plan, including the exhibits to this Award Agreement. You must accept the terms and conditions of this Award Agreement on or before [____], 2025. Failure to do so within this time period may result in forfeiture of this Award in accordance with administrative procedures adopted under the Plan.

By clicking the "Accept" button below, (i) you agree that this is your electronic signature expressly acknowledging that you agree to accept the Award subject to the terms and conditions of this Award Agreement and the Plan, including but not limited to the Clawback Policy and the other terms of paragraph 3, the restrictions described in paragraph 8 and the restrictive covenants described in paragraph 9 of the Award Agreement and in the TSA; and (ii) you acknowledge that the Company has not provided you with any legal advice. You have the right to consult with, and should consult with, your personal legal advisor prior to accepting this Award Agreement.

Certain Definitions

Cause

“Cause” means (1) the continued failure by you to substantially perform your duties; (2) your conviction of a crime involving dishonesty or breach of trust, conviction of a felony, or commission of any act that makes you ineligible for coverage under the Company’s fidelity bond or otherwise makes you ineligible for continued employment; or (3) your violation of the Company’s policies, including but not limited to Wells Fargo’s Code of Conduct (or the Code applicable to your line of business), Anti-Bribery and Corruption Policy, and Information Security Policies. For the avoidance of doubt, an event or conduct constituting Cause could take place before or after your termination of employment.

Disability

You will be considered to have a “Disability” if you are (1) receiving income replacement benefits for a period of not less than three months under the Company’s or an Affiliate’s long-term disability plan as a result of any medically determinable physical or mental impairment that can be expected to result in death or can be expected to last for a continuous period of not less than 12 months; or (2) determined by the Social Security Administration to be eligible for social security disability benefits.

Separation from Service

Your “Separation from Service” occurs upon your death, retirement or other termination of employment or other event that qualifies as a “separation from service” under Internal Revenue Code Section 409A and the applicable regulations thereunder as in effect from time to time. The Company shall determine in each case when your Separation from Service has occurred, which determination shall be made in a manner consistent with Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(h). The Company shall determine that a Separation from Service has occurred as of a certain date when the facts and circumstances indicate that the Company (or an Affiliate, if applicable) and you reasonably anticipate that, after that date, you will render no further services, or your level of bona fide services (either as an employee or independent contractor) will permanently decrease to a level that is 20% or less than the average level of your bona fide services (either as an employee or independent contractor) previously in effect for you over the immediately preceding 36-month period (or your entire period of service, if you have been providing services for less than 36 months).

The following presumptions shall also apply to all such determinations:

- (1) Transfers. A Separation from Service has not occurred upon your transfer of employment from the Company to an Affiliate or vice versa, or from an Affiliate to another Affiliate.
- (2) Medical leave of absence. Where you have a medical leave of absence due to any medically determinable physical or mental impairment that can be expected to result in death or can be expected to last for a continuous period of not less than six months, and you have not returned to employment with the Company or an Affiliate, a Separation from Service has occurred on the earlier of: (A) the first day on which you would not be considered “disabled” under any disability policy of the Company or Affiliate under which you are then receiving a benefit; or (B) the first day on which your medical leave of absence period exceeds 29 months.
- (3) Military leave of absence. Where you have a military leave of absence, and you have not returned to employment with the Company or an Affiliate, a Separation from Service has occurred on the day next following the last day on which you are entitled to reemployment rights under USERRA.
- (4) Other leaves of absence. In the event that you are on a bona fide leave of absence, not otherwise described in this definition, from which you have not returned to employment with the Company or an Affiliate, your Separation from Service has occurred on the first day on which your leave of absence period exceeds six months or, if earlier, upon your termination of employment (provided that such termination of employment constitutes a Separation from Service in accordance with the last sentence of the first paragraph of this definition).
- (5) Asset purchase transaction. If, in connection with the sale or other disposition of substantial assets (such as a division or substantially all assets of a trade or business) of the Company or an Affiliate to an unrelated buyer, you become an employee of the buyer or an affiliate of the buyer upon the closing of or in connection with such transaction, a Separation from Service has not occurred if the Company and the buyer have specified that such transaction will not, with respect to any individual affected by such transaction who becomes an employee of the buyer or an affiliate, be considered a “separation from service” under Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(h), and such specification meets the requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(h)(4).

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY

Clawback and Forfeiture Policy

This Clawback and Forfeiture Policy (the “Policy”) of Wells Fargo & Company (“Wells Fargo”) is as follows.

1. Definitions. For purposes of this Policy the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below:

- 1.1. **“Affiliate”** has the meaning set forth in the Wells Fargo & Company 2022 Long Term Incentive Plan (the “2022 LTIP”).
- 1.2. **“Award”** means any specific award of Incentive Compensation.
- 1.3. **“Board”** means the Board of Directors of Wells Fargo.
- 1.4. **“Cause”** means (1) the continued failure by the employee to substantially perform their duties; (2) conviction of a crime involving dishonesty or breach of trust, conviction of a felony, or commission of any act that makes the employee ineligible for coverage under the Company's fidelity bond or otherwise makes the employee ineligible for continued employment in their current role; (3) the employee's violation of the Company's policies including but not limited to Wells Fargo's Code of Conduct (or the Code applicable to the employee's line of business), Anti-Bribery and Corruption Policy, and Information Security Policies; or (4) the employee's breach of confidentiality or restrictive covenants applicable to the employee. For the avoidance of doubt, an event or conduct constituting Cause could arise, or be discovered by the Company, before or after the employee's termination of employment.
- 1.5. **“Committee”** means the Human Resources Committee of the Board or such other committee as designated by the Board.
- 1.6. **“Company”** means Wells Fargo, a Delaware corporation, and its Affiliates.
- 1.7. **“Covered Employee(s) in Management” or “CEM(s)”** means an employee who has been designated as a CEM by the Company based on their role, responsibilities, or activities, in each case under criteria established by the Company from time to time.
- 1.8. **“Executive Officer”** means any executive officer as designated by the Board to be subject to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- 1.9. **“Incentive Compensation”** means all incentives, whether paid in cash or in equity that are awarded, granted, earned, vested or paid to an employee or former employee of the Company.
- 1.10. **“Performance Conditions”** has the meaning set forth in Section 2.2 of the Policy.
- 1.11. **“Performance Share”** means an award granted under the 2022 LTIP or the Wells Fargo & Company Long-Term Incentive Compensation Plan whereby the recipient may receive shares of Wells Fargo & Company common stock, their cash equivalent, or a combination thereof, based on the achievement of one or more specified performance criteria during one or more Performance Periods (as defined in the applicable plan document).

2. Authority to Claw back, Cancel, or Forfeit Incentive Compensation. The Committee shall be authorized to clawback, cancel, and/or forfeit Incentive Compensation, in its sole discretion and to the extent permitted by applicable law, in the following circumstances:

2.1. Short-Term Cash-Based Incentive Compensation. The Committee may claw back all or part of short-term cash-based Incentive Compensation (“cash incentive”) previously paid to a CEM to the extent that:

- a) The amount of the cash incentive was based upon the achievement of certain financial results that were subsequently reduced due to a financial restatement (public restatement) or was based upon one or more materially inaccurate performance metrics; or
- b) The CEM engaged in willful misconduct or gross negligence that caused material financial or reputational harm to the Company.

2.2. Long-Term Incentive Compensation. The Committee may (1) claw back all or a portion of any previously vested or paid long-term Award; and/or (2) cause a forfeiture and/or cancellation (each referred to as a “Performance Adjustment”) of all or a

portion of any unpaid or unvested long-term Award, if the Committee determines, in its sole discretion, that any one of the following "Performance Conditions" has occurred:

- a) The employee or former employee engaged in: (1) misconduct or commits an error that, in each case, cause material financial or reputational harm to the Company or to the employee's business group; and/or (2) for purposes of a cancellation or forfeiture (but not for clawback), any conduct that constitutes Cause;
- b) The amount of the Award was based upon the achievement of certain financial results that were subsequently reduced due to a financial restatement (public restatement) or was based upon one or more materially inaccurate performance metrics;
- c) In connection with the employee or former employee's job responsibilities, (1) failure through willful misconduct or gross negligence of the employee, including in a supervisory capacity, to identify, escalate, monitor, or manage, in a timely manner risks material to the Company or to the employee's business group in accordance with Company policies and procedures (as applicable) or (2) the Company or the employee's business group suffers a material failure of risk management; or
- d) For purposes of the cancellation and/or forfeiture of unpaid or unvested Performance Share Awards only, a failure of the employee or former employee, based on their role and responsibility, to have achieved progress on resolving outstanding consent orders and/or other regulatory matters in accordance with commitments made by the Company.

The Committee may consider any factors it determines necessary or appropriate in determining whether any of the Performance Conditions apply and in determining whether to undertake a clawback and/or a Performance Adjustment, and, if so, the amount thereof based on the particular facts and circumstances. All determinations by the Committee will be final and binding.

In addition, the Company may terminate the employment of the employee, authorize legal action, or take such other action to enforce the employee's (or former employee's) obligations to the Company as the Company may deem appropriate based on the particular facts and circumstances. The Company, in determining the appropriate action, may but shall not be required to consider penalties or punishments imposed by third parties, such as law enforcement agencies, regulators or other authorities. The Company's power to determine the appropriate remedial action with respect to the employee or former employee is in addition to, and not in replacement of, remedies imposed by such third-party entities.

- 3. **Method of Clawback.** The Committee, in its sole discretion, shall determine whether the Company shall effect a clawback (subject to applicable law) by (a) seeking repayment from an employee or former employee, (b) reducing (including to zero) the amount that would otherwise be payable to an employee or former employee under any compensation, bonus, incentive, equity or other benefit plan, agreement, policy or arrangement maintained by the Company, (c) forfeiting and/or canceling any unpaid or unvested Incentive Compensation, (d) withholding compensation that otherwise might have been paid or granted in accordance with the Company's compensation practices, plans, commitments, or decisions, or (e) any combination of the foregoing.
- 4. **Incentive Compensation Subject to Clawback, Forfeiture and/or Cancellation.** The requirements of this Policy shall apply to (a) Incentive Compensation that has been vested and/or paid within five years before the Committee approves a clawback; and (b) all unvested and/or unpaid Incentive Compensation.
- 5. **Delegation of Authority.** Any power of the Committee under this Policy may be exercised, except with respect to Executive Officers, by a duly authorized delegate of the Committee.
- 6. **Other Recovery Rights.** Any right of recovery pursuant to this Policy is in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other remedies or rights of recovery that may be available to the Company under applicable law, any employment agreement, plan or award terms, or the terms of any policy, including, but not limited to, the Company's Mandatory Clawback Policy.
- 7. **Interpretation.**
 - 7.1. The Committee has full authority and sole discretion to make determinations regarding the interpretation of the provisions of this Policy.
 - 7.2. This Policy is applicable to all Incentive Compensation awarded or granted beginning January 1, 2021.
 - 7.3. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Policy and the terms of any Company plan, agreement, policy or arrangement under which Incentive Compensation has been granted or awarded, the terms of this Policy shall prevail.

- 7.4. In the event that any provision of this Policy or any part hereof is found invalid, the remainder of this Policy will be binding on the parties hereto and will be construed as if the invalid provision or part thereof had been deleted from this Policy.
- 7.5. This Policy shall not apply to employees categorized as Identified Staff who are subject to the EMEA Malus and Clawback Policy. "Identified Staff" means individuals who have been classified as identified staff for the purposes of the remuneration codes of the UK Financial Conduct Authority, the remuneration rules of the UK Prudential Regulation Authority, the Investment Firms Prudential Rules of the UK Financial Conduct Authority, the EU Capital Requirements Directive, the EU Alternative Investment Fund Managers Directive, the EU Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities Directive, the EU Investment Firms Directive, or any associated directives, regulations and implementing legislation, rules or guidance, in each case as amended or replaced from time to time.
- 7.6. To the extent Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code is applicable to any Award, this Policy does not authorize any offset or substitution that would not comply with such Section.
8. **Amendment or Termination.** The Board or the Committee shall have the right to amend or cancel this Policy at any time if it determines in its sole discretion that such action would be in the best interests of the Company. Notwithstanding the authority of the Board or the Committee to amend this Policy, Wells Fargo's Chief Human Resources Officer or the Head of Total Rewards, or such equivalent title, may amend the Policy to incorporate administrative revisions.

Wells Fargo Agreement Regarding Trade Secrets, Confidential Information, Non-Solicitation, Notice Period, and Assignment of Inventions

In consideration for my employment with a Wells Fargo Company and/or any of its past, present, and future parent companies, subsidiaries, predecessors, successors, affiliates, and acquisitions (collectively “the Company”), I agree as follows:

I acknowledge that the nature of my employment with the Company permits me to have access to certain of its Confidential Information (as defined below). I understand that such Confidential Information is, and always will be, and shall always remain, the sole and exclusive property of the Company. Any unauthorized acquisition, disclosure, or use of this information would be wrongful and would cause the Company irreparable harm. I also acknowledge that if in the course of my employment I develop Inventions (as defined below), I agree to assign these Inventions to the Company. I agree that the property rights of such Inventions belong to the Company and agree to assist, as necessary, with the assignment of these Inventions to the Company.

I. Trade Secrets and Confidential Information

During the course of my employment, I will have access to and learn about confidential, trade secret, and proprietary documents, materials, data, and other information, in tangible and intangible form, of and relating to the Company and its businesses (collectively, “Confidential Information”). For purposes of this Agreement, Confidential Information includes, but is not limited to, all information not generally known to the public, in spoken, printed, electronic, or any other form or medium, relating directly or indirectly to: business processes, practices, methods, policies, plans, publications, documents, research, operations, services, agreements, transactions, potential transactions, negotiations, know-how, computer software, applications, operating systems, web design, work-in-process, databases, manuals, records, articles, systems, supplier information, vendor information, financial information, results, accounting information, legal information, marketing information, advertising information, pricing information, credit information, design information, payroll information, personnel information, developments, reports, internal controls, security procedures, market studies, algorithms, product plans, ideas, inventions, unpublished patent applications, original works of authorship, discoveries, experimental information, specifications, customer information, consumer information, client information, manufacturing information, factory lists, distributor lists, and/or buyer lists of the Company or its businesses or of any other person or entity that has entrusted information to the Company in confidence.

Confidential Information shall further include “Trade Secrets” of the Company. “Trade Secret” means all forms and types of financial, business, scientific, technical, economic, or engineering information, including patterns, plans, compilations, program devices, formulas, designs, prototypes, methods, techniques, processes, procedures, programs, or codes, whether tangible or intangible, and whether or how stored, compiled, or memorialized physically, electronically, graphically, photographically, or in writing if: (1) the owner has taken reasonable measures to keep such information secret; and (2) the information derives independent economic value, actual or potential, from not being generally known to, and not being readily ascertainable through proper means by, another person who can obtain economic value from its disclosure or use. The foregoing does not limit the definition of trade secret under any applicable state or federal law, with the broader definition taking precedence.

I further understand and acknowledge that this Confidential Information and the Company’s ability to reserve it for the exclusive knowledge and use of the Company is of great competitive importance and commercial value to the Company. I understand that the above list is not exhaustive.

II. Disclosure and Use Restrictions

I understand that my obligation to maintain the confidentiality of all Confidential Information continues at all times during and after my employment. Confidential Information does not become any less confidential or proprietary to the Company because I may commit some of the Confidential Information to memory or because I may otherwise maintain the Confidential Information outside of the Company's offices. I acknowledge that such Confidential Information, including but not limited to Trade Secrets, is utilized by the Company throughout the entire United States and in other locations in which it conducts business.

I agree that any Confidential Information of the Company is to be used by me solely and exclusively for the purpose of conducting business on behalf of the Company. I am expected to keep such Confidential Information confidential and not to divulge, use, disclose, or make available this information except for such purpose. Accordingly, I have not, and will not, divulge, use, disclose, or make available Confidential Information, in whole or in part, to anyone (including other Company employees) not having a need to know and authority to know and use the Confidential Information in connection with the business of the Company.

Notwithstanding the above, I understand that nothing in this Agreement (or in any other agreement with, or policy or plan of, the Company) shall be construed to restrict or prevent me from: (i) disclosing Confidential Information to the extent required by applicable law, regulation, or valid order of a court of competent jurisdiction; or (ii) communicating with, making a report to or filing a charge or complaint with any administrative, regulatory or self-regulatory federal, state or local agency or from participating in an on-going investigation with such agency, including providing documents, information, or testimony, without providing notice to the Company; or (iii) discussing the terms and conditions of my employment with coworkers or union representatives in exercise of my rights under section 7 of the National Labor Relations Act if such rights apply given my role(s) with the Company. If I am required to disclose information pursuant to a valid court order, I agree to promptly provide written notice of any such order to an authorized officer of the Company within 48 hours of receiving such order.

III. Notice Period

I understand and agree that in order to better serve our customers and clients, manage business continuity and facilitate an orderly transition when employees resign or retire, if I have an officer title set forth in the Appendix below and decide to either resign or retire, I agree to provide the Company with advance written notice, as specified below and in the Leaving Wells Fargo Policy, before my last day of employment with the Company. I understand the required timing of such advance written notice is set forth in the Appendix below, corresponding to officer title, with the number of days between a notice of resignation or retirement and the last day of employment constituting the length of my required notice period (a "Notice Period").

I understand this provision shall apply, to the fullest extent enforceable under applicable law, unless a longer notice period is applicable to me pursuant to a Company policy or an agreement between me and the Company, in which case the longer notice period shall apply. I hereby acknowledge and agree that during the applicable Notice Period, I will continue to be an employee of the Company and will be required to fulfill my work obligations, including compliance with any applicable policies, and assist in the transition of my responsibilities as directed by my manager; provided, however, that the Company may instruct me not to report to work during my Notice Period (in which case, I will remain reasonably available by phone to assist with an orderly transition) and may, in its sole discretion, restrict my access to Company systems, shorten the duration of my Notice Period, or waive my Notice Period. I further understand that the Company may, during my Notice Period, limit or prohibit my contact or dealing with (or attempting to contact or deal with) any officers, employees (except to the extent that such limitation would conflict with applicable rights, if any, under Section 7 of the National Labor Relations Act), consultants, clients, customers, suppliers, agents, distributors, shareholders, advisers, or other business contacts of the Company. During any applicable Notice Period (or as shortened by the Company, if applicable), I will continue to receive my base salary and associated benefits and I will not work for any other employer.

IV. Non-Solicitation of the Company's Customers and Employees

I understand and agree that the Company's relationships with its employees and customers are some of its most valuable assets and critical to its present and future success. I acknowledge that these relationships are established and maintained at great expense and investment and constitute a protectable interest of the Company. I further understand and agree that

through my employment at the Company, I will have unique exposure to and personal contact directly with the Company's customers.

I therefore agree that during my employment and for a period of one (1) year immediately following the termination of my employment for any reason (including, but not limited to, a termination as a result of resignation), and to the extent permitted by applicable law, I will not do any of the following either directly or through associates, agents, or employees without prior written approval from the Company's Chief Human Resources Officer:

- a. Solicit, recruit, or promote the solicitation or recruitment of any employee or consultant of the Company for the purpose of encouraging that employee or consultant to leave the Company's employ or sever an agreement for services; or
- b. Solicit, participate in, or promote the solicitation of any of the Company's actual or prospective client or customers with whom I had Material Contact and/or regarding whom I received Confidential Information for the purpose of providing products or services that are (i) in competition with the Company's products or services ("Competitive Products/Services") and (ii) the same or similar to products or services the Company provided (or sought to provide) at any time during the last one (1) year of my employment with the Company. "Material Contact" means direct interaction between either me and/or an employee I managed and an actual or prospective client or customer occurring within one (1) year prior to my last day as a Wells Fargo employee that takes place to create, manage, service, or seek or further the business relationship between that prospective client/customer and the Company.

These time period limitations are not intended to limit the Company's right to prevent misappropriation of its Confidential Information beyond these periods and is not intended to limit the restrictions described in Sections I and II of this Agreement. In the event that the Notice Period requirements in Section III above apply, I acknowledge and agree that termination of my employment will occur at the end of the Notice Period. I further understand that I am encouraged to consult with counsel regarding this Agreement.

Notwithstanding the foregoing in this Section IV, the post-employment restrictions on solicitation contemplated herein apply only to the extent permitted by state or other applicable law (for example, the customer solicitation restrictions in subsection b do not apply post-employment to California employees).

V. Return of Company Property

If I resign or am terminated from my employment for any reason, I agree to immediately (a) return to the Company all Company property, including keys, access cards, security devices, network access devices, computers, smartphones, equipment, manuals, reports, files, compilations, work product, email messages, recordings, disks, thumb drives, or other removable information storage devices, hard drives, and data and all the Company's documents and materials belonging to the Company and stored in any fashion, including but not limited to those that constitute or contain any Confidential Information and (b) permanently delete all electronic versions of such documents and materials that remain in my possession or control on any non-Company devices, networks or storage locations. I understand that this obligation shall remain in effect for as long as the information or materials in question retain their status as Confidential Information. I further understand that I am obligated upon request to provide any passwords to Company property.

VI. Compliance with Other Agreements

I certify that, to the extent applicable to me, I have complied and will continue to comply with any other policies or agreements covering trade secrets, inventions, confidential information, or solicitation from any former employer. I further certify that, to the best of my information and belief, I am not a party to, nor will I enter, any other agreement that either does or will interfere with my full compliance with this Agreement, including any agreement with any other employer, entity, or person. I further certify that I have disclosed any such agreements to the Company for review. I also certify that I have not disclosed and will not disclose to the Company, or induce the Company to use, any confidential or proprietary information or material belonging to any previous employer or others. I agree not to enter into any written or oral agreement that conflicts with any provision of this Agreement.

VII. Assignment of Inventions

I agree to and do hereby assign to the Company all inventions, discoveries, designs, formulas, modifications, improvements, new ideas, business methods, processes, algorithms, software programs, know-how or trade secrets, or other works or concepts, and all intellectual property rights therein, whether recorded in a written document, electronically, or not recorded at all, and whether or not protectable and/or elected by the Company to be protected as intellectual property that I make, conceive, develop, reduce to practice, or author (alone or in conjunction with others) during my employment with the Company that (1) relate to the Company's business, or to actual or demonstrably anticipated research or development of the Company or (2) involve the use of any time, material, information, or facility of the Company ("Inventions"). I will also promptly disclose in writing complete information regarding each Invention to the Company. I further agree that all Inventions shall be deemed part of the Confidential Information.

I agree that all copyrightable Inventions shall be deemed "works made for hire" under the United States Copyright Act, provided that in the event and to the extent such Inventions are determined not to constitute "works made for hire," I hereby irrevocably assign and transfer to the Company all rights, title, and interest in such Inventions. To the extent this Agreement does not assign moral rights in any such Inventions, I hereby irrevocably waive such moral rights and agree not to enforce such moral rights against the Company.

I hereby acknowledge having received notification that this Section VII does not obligate me to assign to the Company any rights in inventions that I developed entirely on my own time and without using the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities, or trade secret information unless those inventions either (i) relate at the time the invention was made to the Company's business or to actual or demonstrably anticipated research or development of the Company; or (ii) result from any work performed by me for the Company. If I claim ownership of any such rights, I have identified and provided a non-confidential description thereof in the space provided below (and on additional pages as necessary):

I agree to give the Company, without charge and at the Company's expense, both during and after my employment, all assistance it reasonably requires to evidence, establish, maintain, perfect, protect, and use the rights to the Inventions. Notwithstanding the foregoing, I hereby irrevocably appoint Wells Fargo as attorney-in-fact (coupled with an interest) to execute any such documents on my behalf. I further agree that I shall not be entitled to any additional compensation with respect to any and all Inventions.

VIII. Defend Trade Secrets Act Immunity Notice

I understand that nothing in this Agreement is intended to discourage or restrict me from reporting any theft of trade secrets pursuant to the Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016 ("DTSA") or other applicable state or federal law. The DTSA prohibits retaliation against an employee because of whistleblower activity in connection with the disclosure of trade secrets, so long as any such disclosure is made either (a) in confidence to an attorney or a federal, state, or local government official and solely to report or investigate a suspected violation of the law, or (b) under seal in a complaint or other document filed in a lawsuit or other proceeding. An individual who files a lawsuit for alleged retaliation by an employer for reporting a suspected violation of law may disclose the trade secret to the attorney of the individual and use the trade secret information in a court proceeding; provided, however, the individual must file any document containing the trade secret under seal, and they may not otherwise disclose the trade secret except pursuant to court order.

I understand that I should immediately report any suspected or actual misappropriation or improper use or disclosure of Confidential Information and/or Trade Secrets, pursuant to the Company's Code Conduct. I understand this Agreement does not limit, curtail, or diminish the Company's rights under the DTSA or other applicable state or federal law.

IX. Employment At Will

I understand that nothing in this Agreement alters my obligation to comply with the policies, procedures, and rules of the Company or alters the "at will" status of my employment with the Company, meaning that I, subject to the obligations set forth in Section III, or the Company can terminate the employment relationship at any time, with or without cause or notice.

X. Cooperation

From time to time, the Company may conduct investigations, inquiries and/or reviews (internally or through outside counsel or external investigators) of various matters including matters related to possible litigation and/or regulatory matters. I agree that during and after my employment with the Company, I will cooperate with all such investigations, inquiries and/or reviews in a thorough and timely manner including by providing information and participating in meetings, interviews and other related proceedings (including providing testimony) at reasonable times and places, as requested by the Company or its legal counsel.

XI. Injunctive Relief and Damages

Recognizing the irreparable nature of the injury that my violation of this Agreement would cause, and that money damages would be inadequate compensation to the Company, I agree that any violation or threatened violation of this Agreement by me should be the proper subject for immediate injunctive relief, specific performance, and other equitable relief to the Company. Such relief, however, shall be cumulative and non-exclusive and, therefore, shall be in addition to any other right or remedy to which the Company may be entitled. To the extent they apply to me, I further agree to communicate the contents of this section, the notice period section (if applicable) and the non-solicitation and non-disclosure sections of this Agreement to any prospective employer.

XII. Severability and Judicial Modification

If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect and the invalid or unenforceable provision(s) shall be modified only to the extent necessary to render such provision(s) valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law. If an invalid or unenforceable provision cannot be modified, that provision shall be severed from the Agreement and all other provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.

XIII. Choice Of Law/Integration/Survival

This Agreement and any dispute, controversy, or claim which arises under or relates in any way to it shall be governed by the law of the state where I worked during my employment with the Company (and if I worked in more than one state, it shall be governed by the law of the state in which I worked immediately following my execution of this Agreement). This Agreement supersedes any prior written or verbal agreements pertaining to the subject matter herein and is intended to be a final expression of our Agreement with respect only to the terms contained herein; provided, however, that the notice period and employee and customer non-solicitation provisions herein are in addition to, and not in lieu of, any such provisions contained in any prior agreements (except that to the extent other agreements contain such notice period or non-solicitation provisions, they shall run concurrently with those described herein). There may be no modification of this Agreement except in writing signed by me and an officer of the Company at the level of executive vice president or more senior. This Agreement shall survive my employment by the Company, inure to the benefit of successors and assigns of the Company, and is binding upon my heirs and legal representatives.

Employee's Acknowledgment

I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and received a copy of this Agreement and will abide by its terms._

Employee's Signature

Date

Print Name

Employee ID

APPENDIX

The required timing of advanced written notice addressed in Section III above is set forth in this Appendix and the Leaving Wells Fargo Policy. Notice period requirements correspond to Company officer titles, with the number of days between a notice of a resignation or retirement and the effective date of such resignation or retirement constituting the length of the required Notice Period.

Officer Title*	Notice Period
SEVP	180 Days
EVP	90 Days
Managing Director/Sr. Vice President	90 Days
Executive Director	60 Days
Vice President**	30 Days

**With the 2023-2024 officer title implementation, some employees retained a legacy title that does not align to their job level. In these cases, the Notice Period Requirement will align to the job level. For example, an employee at an M2 job level who retained an Executive Director officer title will have a 30-day Notice Period.*

***This 30-day notice period does not apply to Branch Managers or Roving Banker Managers, even if they have a Vice President officer title.*

Exhibit 10.2

Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement for Chief Executive Officer grant on July 29, 2025

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY 2022 LONG-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION AWARD AGREEMENT

Grant Date:	July 29, 2025	Expiration Date:	July 29, 2035
		Exercise Price:	\$82.65

1. **Grant of Option.** To encourage your continued employment with the Company or any Affiliate and to motivate you to help the Company increase stockholder value over the long term, Wells Fargo & Company (the "Company") has granted to you an option ("Option") to purchase shares (the "Shares") of Wells Fargo & Company common stock ("Common Stock") in the number set forth on the acknowledgement screen for your grant, contingent upon vesting and subject to the other terms and conditions set forth in the Company's 2022 Long Term Incentive Plan, as may be amended from time to time (the "Plan") and this Award Agreement.
2. **Term, Vesting and Exercise of Option.** The term of this Option commences on the Grant Date set forth above and, except as provided in paragraph 3 below, ends on the Expiration Date set forth above, provided you are continuously employed by the Company or an Affiliate ("Wells Fargo") and subject to the Clawback Policy and the other terms of paragraph 4 and the restrictions in paragraphs 7 and 8 below. If your employment with Wells Fargo is terminated, the Option may be exercised only as described in paragraph 3 below.

Except as provided in paragraph 3 below, this Option becomes exercisable ("vests") in three equal installments on each of July 31, 2029, July 31, 2030 and July 31, 2031 (each, a "Vesting Date"), provided it has not been terminated before such date in accordance with the provisions of this Award Agreement.

To exercise all or part of the Option you must complete the exercise in a manner authorized by the Company and deliver payment as described herein of the exercise price and all applicable withholding taxes. You must pay the exercise price on the day you exercise the Option in one of the following methods as permitted by the Company (a) in cash, (b) in whole shares of Common Stock valued at their Fair Market Value, or (c) through a net settlement in which the Company withholds Shares otherwise deliverable upon exercise of the Option. If Common Stock is used to pay the exercise price ("swap transaction"), the Common Stock used (i) must have been owned by you for at least six months prior to the date of exercise or purchased by you in the open market; and (ii) must not have been used in a stock-for-stock swap transaction within the preceding six months. You shall not have any rights as a stockholder with respect to the Shares of Common Stock subject to the Option until you have exercised the Option and received such Shares.

3. **Termination.**
 - a. The definitions of the terms "Disability" and "Cause" are set forth on Exhibit A to this Award Agreement, which definitions are incorporated by reference herein.
 - b. If you cease to be an employee due to your death, then your entire Option will immediately vest and become exercisable by your Beneficiary and will remain exercisable until (i) two years after your date of death if your death occurs on or prior to July 31, 2031, or (ii) the Expiration Date for the Option if your death occurs after July 31, 2031. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if by December 31 of the year following the year in which you die, your Beneficiary has not presented evidence deemed satisfactory by the Company to allow transfer of the Options to the Beneficiary under applicable laws, the Company may treat all Options as forfeited, in which case the Company shall have no obligation to transfer the Options, benefits or anything else in lieu of such Options to your Beneficiary and shall have no liability therefor.
 - c. If you cease to be an employee as a result of application of the Company's Extended Absence Policy to you in connection with a Disability, then your entire Option will remain outstanding and continue to vest and become exercisable as set forth in paragraph 2 above. If such termination of employment occurs on or prior to July 31, 2031, the Option will remain exercisable until two years after the date of such termination of employment (for Options vested as of your termination date) and two years after the date that such Option vests (for Options that continue to vest in accordance with this paragraph 3(c)), and if

such termination of employment occurs after July 31, 2031, the Option will remain exercisable until the Expiration Date for the Option. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if you die following such a termination of employment, the Options will vest and be exercisable in accordance with paragraph 3(b).

- d. If the Company terminates your employment without Cause prior to the date this Option has vested in full, then those unvested Options that would otherwise vest on the next Vesting Date following such termination of employment will remain outstanding and continue to vest and become exercisable as set forth in paragraph 2 above. If such termination of employment occurs on or prior to July 31, 2031, the Option will remain exercisable until two years after the date of such termination of employment (for Options vested as of your termination date) and two years after the date that such Option vests (for Options that continue to vest in accordance with this paragraph 3(c)), and if such termination of employment occurs after July 31, 2031, the Option will remain exercisable until the Expiration Date for the Option. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if you die prior to the next Vesting Date following such a termination of employment, then any unvested Options that would have otherwise vested on such Vesting Date will immediately vest upon your date of death and will be exercisable in accordance with paragraph 3(b), subject to the last sentence of paragraph 3(b). The remaining Options will immediately terminate without notice to you and will be forfeited. If you are discharged for Cause, the Option (whether vested or unvested) will expire upon receipt by you of oral or written notice of termination.
 - e. If you cease to be an employee for any reason other than those set forth above, any unvested Options will immediately terminate without notice to you and will be forfeited and you may exercise that part of the Option which was exercisable on the date of termination (as determined by Wells Fargo) at any time (i) within two years after your termination of employment if such termination occurs on or prior to July 31, 2031, or (ii) prior to the Expiration Date for the Option if such termination occurs after July 31, 2031.
4. **Clawback Policy.** The Option is fully conditioned on and subject to the Performance Conditions (as defined in the Clawback Policy) to vesting and the other clawback, forfeiture and cancellation provisions described in the Wells Fargo & Company Clawback and Forfeiture Policy attached hereto as Exhibit B, as it may be amended from time to time (the "Clawback Policy"). If you are an "officer" of the Company within the meaning of Rule 16a-1(f) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), the Option may also be impacted by application of the Wells Fargo & Company Mandatory Clawback Policy. The Option is also subject to any other applicable reduction, recoupment, "malus" or "clawback" policies, practices or provisions of the Company and its Affiliates, as in effect from time to time, and any applicable reduction, recoupment, malus or clawback requirements imposed under laws, rules and regulations.

In the event that you are subject to additional award payout criteria under the Wells Fargo Bonus Plan or a line-of-business incentive plan, then the Option is also fully conditioned on and subject to your risk performance, as described in such plan and determined by the Plan Administrator of such plan or his or her delegate (the "Plan Administrator"). The Plan Administrator may cancel all or any portion of the Option for negative risk or compliance outcomes at the individual level based on consideration of actual losses (as specified in the given plan), compliance, or risk infractions that occurred during any year this Option or a portion thereof is outstanding.

5. **Tax Withholding.** Regardless of any action the Company or an Affiliate which is your employer (the "Employer") takes with respect to any or all income tax, payroll tax, payment on account or other tax-related items related to your participation in the Plan and legally applicable to you or deemed by the Company or the Employer to be an appropriate charge to you even if technically due by the Company or the Employer ("Tax-Related Items"), you acknowledge that the ultimate liability for all Tax-Related Items is and remains your responsibility and may exceed the amount (if any) withheld by the Company or the Employer. You further acknowledge that the Company and/or the Employer: (a) make no representations or undertakings regarding the treatment of any Tax-Related Items in connection with any aspect of the Option, including the grant, vesting or exercise of the Option, the issuance of Shares upon exercise of the Option, the subsequent sale of Shares acquired pursuant to such issuance and the receipt of any dividends on such Shares; and (b) do not commit to and are under no obligation to structure the terms of the grant or any aspect of the Option to reduce or eliminate your liability for such Tax-Related Items or to achieve any particular tax result. Further, if you are subject to Tax-Related Items in more than one jurisdiction, you acknowledge that the Company and/or the Employer (or former employer, as applicable) may be required to withhold or account for Tax-Related Items in more than one jurisdiction.

In connection with any relevant taxable or tax withholding event, as applicable, you shall pay or make adequate arrangements satisfactory to the Company or the Employer to satisfy all Tax-Related Items. In this regard, you authorize the Company and/or the Employer, or their respective agents, at their discretion and pursuant to such procedures as the Company may specify from time to time, to satisfy the obligations with regard to all Tax-Related Items by one or a combination of the following: (1) withholding from any wages or other cash compensation paid to you by the Company and/or the Employer; (2) withholding from proceeds of the sale of

shares of Common Stock acquired upon exercise of the Options either through a voluntary sale or through a mandatory sale arranged by the Company (on your behalf pursuant to this authorization without further consent); or (3) withholding Shares to be issued upon exercise of the Option. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if you are subject to the short-swing profit rules of Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act, the Company will withhold in shares of Common Stock upon the relevant tax withholding event. Only if withholding in shares of Common Stock is prevented by applicable law or has materially adverse accounting or tax consequences, may the withholding obligation for Tax-Related Items for individuals subject to Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act be satisfied by one or a combination of methods (1) and (2) above. In the event that you forfeit all or a portion of the Option for any reason, you will not be reimbursed for the amount withheld in connection with any Tax-Related Items that were required to be withheld prior to the date of such forfeiture of the Option or portion thereof.

Depending on the withholding method, the Company may withhold or account for Tax-Related Items by considering applicable minimum statutory withholding amounts or other applicable withholding rates, including maximum applicable rates. In the event that the Company over-withholds for Tax-Related Items, you may receive a refund of the over-withheld amount, but you will have no entitlement to compensation for any loss of appreciation in the stock price relative to the over-withheld amount. If not refunded, you may be able to seek a refund from the applicable local tax authorities. In the event of under-withholding, you may be required to pay any additional Tax-Related Items directly to the applicable tax authority. If the obligation for Tax-Related Items is satisfied by withholding Shares of Common Stock, for tax purposes, you will be deemed to have been issued the full number of shares of Common Stock subject to the exercised Option, notwithstanding that a number of the Shares of Common Stock is held back solely for the purpose of paying the Tax-Related Items due as a result of any aspect of your participation in the Plan.

Finally, you shall pay to the Company or the Employer any amount of Tax-Related Items that the Company or the Employer may be required to withhold or account for as a result of your participation in the Plan that cannot be satisfied by the means previously described. The Company may refuse to issue or deliver the shares or the proceeds of the sale of shares of Common Stock, if you fail to comply with your obligations in connection with the Tax-Related Items.

6. **Nontransferable.** Unless the Committee provides otherwise, (i) no rights under the Option will be assignable or transferable, and neither you nor your Beneficiary will have any power to anticipate, alienate, dispose of, pledge or encumber any rights under the Option, and (ii) the rights and the benefits of the Option may be exercised and received during your lifetime only by you or your legal representative.
7. **Other Restrictions; Amendment.** The grant of the Option and issuance of Shares hereunder is subject to compliance by the Company, its Affiliates and you with all legal and regulatory requirements applicable thereto, including compliance with the requirements of 12 C.F.R. Part 359, orders issued under 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b) (together with any agreements related thereto, "orders") and tax withholding obligations, and with all applicable regulations of any stock exchange on which the Common Stock may be listed at the time of issuance. For the avoidance of doubt, regulatory approval under Part 359 or any orders to which the Company is a party may be required for the issuance of Shares hereunder in certain circumstances, and the Company cannot provide any assurance that it will be able to request such approval in accordance with the requirements of Part 359 or any applicable order or that any requested approval will be received. Subject to paragraph 10 below, the Committee or its delegate may, in its sole discretion and without your consent, reduce, delay vesting, modify, revoke, cancel, impose additional conditions and restrictions on or recover all or a portion of this Option if the Committee or its delegate deems it necessary or advisable to comply with, or to promote or facilitate compliance with, applicable laws, rules and regulations or as required under any procedures or policies implemented by the Company in furtherance of such legal or regulatory compliance.
8. **Restrictive Covenants.** In consideration of the terms of this Option and your access to confidential information, you agree to the restrictive covenants and associated remedies as set forth in the Wells Fargo Agreement Regarding Trade Secrets, Confidential Information, Non-Solicitation, and Assignment of Inventions (the "TSA"), which is attached hereto as Exhibit C and is hereby incorporated by reference. Nothing in this Award Agreement prevents you from discussing or disclosing information about unlawful acts in the workplace, such as harassment, discrimination, retaliation, sexual assault, wage and hour violations, or any other conduct that you have reason to believe is unlawful or that is recognized as against a clear mandate of public policy. Moreover, this Award Agreement does not, in any way, restrict or impede you, if you are a non-manager, from exercising protected rights to the extent such rights cannot be waived by agreement or exercising any rights under Section 7 of the National Labor Relations Act including the right to communicate with current and former co-workers and/or third parties about terms and conditions of employment or labor disputes. Likewise, this Award Agreement is not in any way intended to prohibit or in any manner restrict you or your attorney from initiating communications

with, making a report to or filing a charge or complaint with, or participating in an investigation by a regulatory agency or governing body (including providing documents, information, or testimony without providing notice to the Company) such as the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, the Securities and Exchange Commission, or the National Labor Relations Board, nor does it prohibit you from complying with any applicable law or regulation or a valid order of a court of competent jurisdiction or an authorized government agency.

If you breach any of the terms of the TSA, all outstanding Options (whether vested or unvested) shall be immediately and irrevocably forfeited. This paragraph does not constitute the Company's exclusive remedy for violation of your restrictive covenant obligations, and the Company and/or the Affiliate that employed you may seek any additional legal or equitable remedy, including injunctive relief, for any such violation.

9. **No Agreement for Wells Fargo to Continue Your Employment.** Neither the award to you of the Option nor the delivery to you of this Award Agreement or any other document relating to the Option will confer on you the right to continued employment with the Company or any Affiliate. You understand that your employment with the Company or any Affiliate is "at will" and nothing in this document changes, alters or modifies your "at will" status or your obligation to comply with all policies, procedures and rules of the Company, as they may be adopted or amended from time to time.
10. **Section 409A.** This Option is intended to be exempt from the requirements of Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the applicable Treasury Regulations or other binding guidance thereunder ("Section 409A"). Accordingly, all provisions included in this Award Agreement, or incorporated by reference, will be interpreted and administered in accordance with that intent. If any provision of the Plan or this Award Agreement would otherwise conflict with or frustrate this intent, that provision will be interpreted and deemed amended or limited so as to avoid the conflict; provided, however, that the Company makes no representation that the Option is exempt from or complies with Section 409A and makes no undertaking to preclude Section 409A from applying to the Option. The Company will have no liability to you or to any other party if the Option or any exercise thereof that is intended to be compliant with Section 409A is not so compliant or for any action taken by the Committee with respect thereto.
11. **Stock Ownership Policy.** If you are an Executive Officer of the Company or a member of its Operating Committee, as a condition to receiving this Option, you agree that you are subject to the Company's stock ownership policy, as may be amended from time to time, and that as a result, you may be required to hold, including after your retirement, all or a portion of any Shares issued to you upon exercise of this Option in order to achieve compliance with such stock ownership policy.
12. **Severability and Judicial Modification.** If any provision of this Award Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable under pertinent state law or otherwise or the Company elects not to enforce any such provision, including but not limited to Section IV(b) of the TSA, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect and the invalid or unenforceable provision shall be modified only to the extent necessary to render that provision valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law. If the invalid or unenforceable provision cannot be, or is not, modified, that provision shall be severed from this Award Agreement and all other provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.
13. **Additional Provisions.** This Award Agreement is subject to the provisions of the Plan. Capitalized terms not defined in this Award Agreement or on Exhibit A hereto are used as defined in the Plan. If the Plan and this Award Agreement are inconsistent, the provisions of the Plan will govern. Interpretations of the Plan and this Award Agreement by the Committee are binding on you and the Company.
14. **Applicable Law.** This Award Agreement and the Options evidenced hereby will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the state of Delaware (without regard to its choice-of-law provisions), except to the extent Federal law would apply.
15. **Imposition of Other Requirements.** The Company reserves the right to impose other requirements on your participation in the Plan, on the Award and on any shares of Common Stock acquired under the Plan, to the extent the Company determines it is necessary or advisable in order to comply with applicable law or facilitate the administration of the Plan and provided the imposition of the term or condition will not result in adverse accounting expense to the Company, and to require you to sign any additional agreements or undertakings that may be necessary to accomplish the foregoing.
16. **Electronic Delivery and Acceptance.** The Company is electronically delivering documents related to current or future participation in the Plan and is requesting your consent to participate in the Plan by electronic means. You hereby consent to receive such documents by electronic delivery and agree to participate in the Plan through the

current plan administrator's on-line system, or any other on-line system or electronic means that the Company may decide, in its sole discretion, to use in the future.

17. **Entire Agreement.** The Plan is incorporated herein by reference. The Plan and this Award Agreement (including Exhibit A, Exhibit B and Exhibit C attached hereto) constitute the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the Option and supersede in their entirety all prior proposals, undertakings and agreements, written or oral, and all other communications between you and the Company with respect to the Option.

[Signature page follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WELLS FARGO & COMPANY has caused this Award Agreement to be executed on its behalf by its duly-authorized officer effective as of the Grant Date.

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY

By: _____
Its: _____

PLEASE NOTE: Receipt of this Option is subject to your electronic signature on the current plan administrator's website acknowledging and accepting all the terms and conditions of this Award Agreement and the Plan, including the exhibits to this Award Agreement. You must accept the terms and conditions of this Award Agreement on or before [____], 2025. Failure to do so within this time period may result in forfeiture of this Option in accordance with administrative procedures adopted under the Plan.

By clicking the "Accept" button below, (i) you agree that this is your electronic signature expressly acknowledging that you agree to accept the Option subject to the terms and conditions of this Award Agreement and the Plan, including but not limited to the Clawback Policy and the other terms of paragraph 3, the restrictions described in paragraph 8 and the restrictive covenants described in paragraph 9 of the Award Agreement and in the TSA; and (ii) you acknowledge that the Company has not provided you with any legal advice. You have the right to consult with, and should consult with, your personal legal advisor prior to accepting this Award Agreement.

Certain Definitions

Cause

“Cause” means (1) the continued failure by you to substantially perform your duties; (2) your conviction of a crime involving dishonesty or breach of trust, conviction of a felony, or commission of any act that makes you ineligible for coverage under the Company’s fidelity bond or otherwise makes you ineligible for continued employment; or (3) your violation of the Company’s policies, including but not limited to Wells Fargo’s Code of Conduct (or the Code applicable to your line of business), Anti-Bribery and Corruption Policy, and Information Security Policies. For the avoidance of doubt, an event or conduct constituting Cause could take place before or after your termination of employment.

Disability

You will be considered to have a “Disability” if you are (1) receiving income replacement benefits for a period of not less than three months under the Company’s or an Affiliate’s long-term disability plan as a result of any medically determinable physical or mental impairment that can be expected to result in death or can be expected to last for a continuous period of not less than 12 months; or (2) determined by the Social Security Administration to be eligible for social security disability benefits.

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY
Clawback and Forfeiture Policy

This Clawback and Forfeiture Policy (the “Policy”) of Wells Fargo & Company (“Wells Fargo”) is as follows.

- 1. Definitions.** For purposes of this Policy the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below:
 - 1.1. “Affiliate”** has the meaning set forth in the Wells Fargo & Company 2022 Long Term Incentive Plan (the “2022 LTIP”).
 - 1.2. “Award”** means any specific award of Incentive Compensation.
 - 1.3. “Board”** means the Board of Directors of Wells Fargo.
 - 1.4. “Cause”** means (1) the continued failure by the employee to substantially perform their duties; (2) conviction of a crime involving dishonesty or breach of trust, conviction of a felony, or commission of any act that makes the employee ineligible for coverage under the Company's fidelity bond or otherwise makes the employee ineligible for continued employment in their current role; (3) the employee's violation of the Company's policies including but not limited to Wells Fargo's Code of Conduct (or the Code applicable to the employee's line of business), Anti-Bribery and Corruption Policy, and Information Security Policies; or (4) the employee's breach of confidentiality or restrictive covenants applicable to the employee. For the avoidance of doubt, an event or conduct constituting Cause could arise, or be discovered by the Company, before or after the employee's termination of employment.
 - 1.5. “Committee”** means the Human Resources Committee of the Board or such other committee as designated by the Board.
 - 1.6. “Company”** means Wells Fargo, a Delaware corporation, and its Affiliates.
 - 1.7. “Covered Employee(s) in Management” or “CEM(s)”** means an employee who has been designated as a CEM by the Company based on their role, responsibilities, or activities, in each case under criteria established by the Company from time to time.
 - 1.8. “Executive Officer”** means any executive officer as designated by the Board to be subject to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
 - 1.9. “Incentive Compensation”** means all incentives, whether paid in cash or in equity that are awarded, granted, earned, vested or paid to an employee or former employee of the Company.
 - 1.10. “Performance Conditions”** has the meaning set forth in Section 2.2 of the Policy.
 - 1.11. “Performance Share”** means an award granted under the 2022 LTIP or the Wells Fargo & Company Long-Term Incentive Compensation Plan whereby the recipient may receive shares of Wells Fargo & Company common stock, their cash equivalent, or a combination thereof, based on the achievement of one or more specified performance criteria during one or more Performance Periods (as defined in the applicable plan document).
- 2. Authority to Claw back, Cancel, or Forfeit Incentive Compensation.** The Committee shall be authorized to clawback, cancel, and/or forfeit Incentive Compensation, in its sole discretion and to the extent permitted by applicable law, in the following circumstances:
 - 2.1. Short-Term Cash-Based Incentive Compensation.** The Committee may claw back all or part of short-

term cash-based Incentive Compensation (“cash incentive”) previously paid to a CEM to the extent that:

- a) The amount of the cash incentive was based upon the achievement of certain financial results that were subsequently reduced due to a financial restatement (public restatement) or was based upon one or more materially inaccurate performance metrics; or
- b) The CEM engaged in willful misconduct or gross negligence that caused material financial or reputational harm to the Company.

2.2. Long-Term Incentive Compensation. The Committee may (1) claw back all or a portion of any previously vested or paid long-term Award; and/or (2) cause a forfeiture and/or cancellation; (each referred to as a “Performance Adjustment”) of all or a portion of any unpaid or unvested long-term Award, if the Committee determines, in its sole discretion, that any one of the following “Performance Conditions” has occurred:

- a) The employee or former employee engaged in: (1) misconduct or commits an error that, in each case, cause material financial or reputational harm to the Company or to the employee’s business group; and/or (2) for purposes of a cancellation or forfeiture (but not for clawback), any conduct that constitutes Cause;
- b) The amount of the Award was based upon the achievement of certain financial results that were subsequently reduced due to a financial restatement (public restatement) or was based upon one or more materially inaccurate performance metrics;
- c) In connection with the employee or former employee’s job responsibilities, (1) failure through willful misconduct or gross negligence of the employee, including in a supervisory capacity, to identify, escalate, monitor, or manage, in a timely manner risks material to the Company or to the employee’s business group in accordance with Company policies and procedures (as applicable) or (2) the Company or the employee’s business group suffers a material failure of risk management; or
- d) For purposes of the cancellation and/or forfeiture of unpaid or unvested Performance Share Awards only, a failure of the employee or former employee, based on their role and responsibility, to have achieved progress on resolving outstanding consent orders and/or other regulatory matters in accordance with commitments made by the Company.

The Committee may consider any factors it determines necessary or appropriate in determining whether any of the Performance Conditions apply and in determining whether to undertake a clawback and/or a Performance Adjustment, and, if so, the amount thereof based on the particular facts and circumstances. All determinations by the Committee will be final and binding.

In addition, the Company may terminate the employment of the employee, authorize legal action, or take such other action to enforce the employee’s (or former employee’s) obligations to the Company as the Company may deem appropriate based on the particular facts and circumstances. The Company, in determining the appropriate action, may but shall not be required to consider penalties or punishments imposed by third parties, such as law enforcement agencies, regulators or other authorities. The Company’s power to determine the appropriate remedial action with respect to the employee or former employee is in addition to, and not in replacement of, remedies imposed by such third-party entities.

- 3. Method of Clawback.** The Committee, in its sole discretion, shall determine whether the Company shall effect a clawback (subject to applicable law) by (a) seeking repayment from an employee or former employee, (b) reducing (including to zero) the amount that would otherwise be payable to an employee or former employee under any compensation, bonus, incentive, equity or other benefit plan, agreement, policy or arrangement maintained by the Company, (c) forfeiting and/or canceling any unpaid or unvested Incentive Compensation,

(d) withholding compensation that otherwise might have been paid or granted in accordance with the Company's compensation practices, plans, commitments, or decisions, or (e) any combination of the foregoing.

4. **Incentive Compensation Subject to Clawback, Forfeiture and/or Cancellation.** The requirements of this Policy shall apply to (a) Incentive Compensation that has been vested and/or paid within five years before the Committee approves a clawback; and (b) all unvested and/or unpaid Incentive Compensation.
5. **Delegation of Authority.** Any power of the Committee under this Policy may be exercised, except with respect to Executive Officers, by a duly authorized delegate of the Committee.
6. **Other Recovery Rights.** Any right of recovery pursuant to this Policy is in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other remedies or rights of recovery that may be available to the Company under applicable law, any employment agreement, plan or award terms, or the terms of any policy, including, but not limited to, the Company's Mandatory Clawback Policy.
7. **Interpretation.**
 - 7.1. The Committee has full authority and sole discretion to make determinations regarding the interpretation of the provisions of this Policy.
 - 7.2. This Policy is applicable to all Incentive Compensation awarded or granted beginning January 1, 2021.
 - 7.3. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Policy and the terms of any Company plan, agreement, policy or arrangement under which Incentive Compensation has been granted or awarded, the terms of this Policy shall prevail.
 - 7.4. In the event that any provision of this Policy or any part hereof is found invalid, the remainder of this Policy will be binding on the parties hereto and will be construed as if the invalid provision or part thereof had been deleted from this Policy.
 - 7.5. This Policy shall not apply to employees categorized as Identified Staff who are subject to the EMEA Malus and Clawback Policy. "Identified Staff" means individuals who have been classified as identified staff for the purposes of the remuneration codes of the UK Financial Conduct Authority, the remuneration rules of the UK Prudential Regulation Authority, the Investment Firms Prudential Rules of the UK Financial Conduct Authority, the EU Capital Requirements Directive, the EU Alternative Investment Fund Managers Directive, the EU Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities Directive, the EU Investment Firms Directive, or any associated directives, regulations and implementing legislation, rules or guidance, in each case as amended or replaced from time to time.
 - 7.6. To the extent Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code is applicable to any Award, this Policy does not authorize any offset or substitution that would not comply with such Section.
8. **Amendment or Termination.** The Board or the Committee shall have the right to amend or cancel this Policy at any time if it determines in its sole discretion that such action would be in the best interests of the Company. Notwithstanding the authority of the Board or the Committee to amend this Policy, Wells Fargo's Chief Human Resources Officer or the Head of Total Rewards, or such equivalent title, may amend the Policy to incorporate administrative revisions.

Wells Fargo Agreement Regarding Trade Secrets, Confidential Information, Non-Solicitation, Notice Period, and Assignment of Inventions

In consideration for my employment with a Wells Fargo Company and/or any of its past, present, and future parent companies, subsidiaries, predecessors, successors, affiliates, and acquisitions (collectively “the Company”), I agree as follows:

I acknowledge that the nature of my employment with the Company permits me to have access to certain of its Confidential Information (as defined below). I understand that such Confidential Information is, and always will be, and shall always remain, the sole and exclusive property of the Company. Any unauthorized acquisition, disclosure, or use of this information would be wrongful and would cause the Company irreparable harm. I also acknowledge that if in the course of my employment I develop Inventions (as defined below), I agree to assign these Inventions to the Company. I agree that the property rights of such Inventions belong to the Company and agree to assist, as necessary, with the assignment of these Inventions to the Company.

I. Trade Secrets and Confidential Information

During the course of my employment, I will have access to and learn about confidential, trade secret, and proprietary documents, materials, data, and other information, in tangible and intangible form, of and relating to the Company and its businesses (collectively, “Confidential Information”). For purposes of this Agreement, Confidential Information includes, but is not limited to, all information not generally known to the public, in spoken, printed, electronic, or any other form or medium, relating directly or indirectly to: business processes, practices, methods, policies, plans, publications, documents, research, operations, services, agreements, transactions, potential transactions, negotiations, know-how, computer software, applications, operating systems, web design, work-in-process, databases, manuals, records, articles, systems, supplier information, vendor information, financial information, results, accounting information, legal information, marketing information, advertising information, pricing information, credit information, design information, payroll information, personnel information, developments, reports, internal controls, security procedures, market studies, algorithms, product plans, ideas, inventions, unpublished patent applications, original works of authorship, discoveries, experimental information, specifications, customer information, consumer information, client information, manufacturing information, factory lists, distributor lists, and/or buyer lists of the Company or its businesses or of any other person or entity that has entrusted information to the Company in confidence.

Confidential Information shall further include “Trade Secrets” of the Company. “Trade Secret” means all forms and types of financial, business, scientific, technical, economic, or engineering information, including patterns, plans, compilations, program devices, formulas, designs, prototypes, methods, techniques, processes, procedures, programs, or codes, whether tangible or intangible, and whether or how stored, compiled, or memorialized physically, electronically, graphically, photographically, or in writing if: (1) the owner has taken reasonable measures to keep such information secret; and (2) the information derives independent economic value, actual or potential, from not being generally known to, and not being readily ascertainable through proper means by, another person who can obtain economic value from its disclosure or use. The foregoing does not limit the definition of trade secret under any applicable state or federal law, with the broader definition taking precedence.

I further understand and acknowledge that this Confidential Information and the Company’s ability to reserve it for the exclusive knowledge and use of the Company is of great competitive importance and commercial value to the Company. I understand that the above list is not exhaustive.

II. Disclosure and Use Restrictions

I understand that my obligation to maintain the confidentiality of all Confidential Information continues at all times during and after my employment. Confidential Information does not become any less confidential or proprietary to the Company because I may commit some of the Confidential Information to memory or because I may otherwise maintain the Confidential Information outside of the Company’s offices. I acknowledge that such Confidential Information, including but not limited to Trade Secrets, is utilized by the Company throughout the entire United States and in other locations in which it conducts business.

I agree that any Confidential Information of the Company is to be used by me solely and exclusively for the purpose of conducting business on behalf of the Company. I am expected to keep such Confidential Information confidential and not to divulge, use, disclose, or make available this information except for such purpose. Accordingly, I have not, and will not, divulge, use, disclose, or make available Confidential Information, in whole or in part, to anyone (including other Company employees) not having a need to know and authority to know and use the Confidential Information in connection with the business of the Company.

Notwithstanding the above, I understand that nothing in this Agreement (or in any other agreement with, or policy or plan of, the Company) shall be construed to restrict or prevent me from: (i) disclosing Confidential Information to the extent required by applicable law, regulation, or valid order of a court of competent jurisdiction; or (ii) communicating with, making a report to or filing a charge or complaint with any administrative, regulatory or self-regulatory federal, state or local agency or from participating in an on-going investigation with such agency, including providing documents, information, or testimony, without providing notice to the Company; or (iii) discussing the terms and conditions of my employment with coworkers or union representatives in exercise of my rights under section 7 of the National Labor Relations Act if such rights apply given my role(s) with the Company. If I am required to disclose information pursuant to a valid court order, I agree to promptly provide written notice of any such order to an authorized officer of the Company within 48 hours of receiving such order.

III. Notice Period

I understand and agree that in order to better serve our customers and clients, manage business continuity and facilitate an orderly transition when employees resign or retire, if I have an officer title set forth in the Appendix below and decide to either resign or retire, I agree to provide the Company with advance written notice, as specified below and in the Leaving Wells Fargo Policy, before my last day of employment with the Company. I understand the required timing of such advance written notice is set forth in the Appendix below, corresponding to officer title, with the number of days between a notice of resignation or retirement and the last day of employment constituting the length of my required notice period (a "Notice Period").

I understand this provision shall apply, to the fullest extent enforceable under applicable law, unless a longer notice period is applicable to me pursuant to a Company policy or an agreement between me and the Company, in which case the longer notice period shall apply. I hereby acknowledge and agree that during the applicable Notice Period, I will continue to be an employee of the Company and will be required to fulfill my work obligations, including compliance with any applicable policies, and assist in the transition of my responsibilities as directed by my manager; provided, however, that the Company may instruct me not to report to work during my Notice Period (in which case, I will remain reasonably available by phone to assist with an orderly transition) and may, in its sole discretion, restrict my access to Company systems, shorten the duration of my Notice Period, or waive my Notice Period. I further understand that the Company may, during my Notice Period, limit or prohibit my contact or dealing with (or attempting to contact or deal with) any officers, employees (except to the extent that such limitation would conflict with applicable rights, if any, under Section 7 of the National Labor Relations Act), consultants, clients, customers, suppliers, agents, distributors, shareholders, advisers, or other business contacts of the Company. During any applicable Notice Period (or as shortened by the Company, if applicable), I will continue to receive my base salary and associated benefits and I will not work for any other employer.

IV. Non-Solicitation of the Company's Customers and Employees

I understand and agree that the Company's relationships with its employees and customers are some of its most valuable assets and critical to its present and future success. I acknowledge that these relationships are established and maintained at great expense and investment and constitute a protectable interest of the Company. I further understand and agree that through my employment at the Company, I will have unique exposure to and personal contact directly with the Company's customers.

I therefore agree that during my employment and for a period of one (1) year immediately following the termination of my employment for any reason (including, but not limited to, a termination as a result of resignation), and to the extent permitted by applicable law, I will not do any of the following either directly or through associates, agents, or employees without prior written approval from the Company's Chief Human Resources Officer:

- a. Solicit, recruit, or promote the solicitation or recruitment of any employee or consultant of the Company for the purpose of encouraging that employee or consultant to leave the Company's employ or sever an agreement for services; or
- b. Solicit, participate in, or promote the solicitation of any of the Company's actual or prospective client or customers with whom I had Material Contact and/or regarding whom I received Confidential Information for the purpose of providing products or services that are (i) in competition with the Company's products or services ("Competitive Products/Services") and (ii) the same or similar to products or services the Company provided (or sought to provide) at any time during the last one (1) year of my employment with the Company. "Material Contact" means direct interaction between either me and/or an employee I managed and an actual or prospective client or customer occurring

within one (1) year prior to my last day as a Wells Fargo employee that takes place to create, manage, service, or seek or further the business relationship between that prospective client/customer and the Company.

These time period limitations are not intended to limit the Company's right to prevent misappropriation of its Confidential Information beyond these periods and is not intended to limit the restrictions described in Sections I and II of this Agreement. In the event that the Notice Period requirements in Section III above apply, I acknowledge and agree that termination of my employment will occur at the end of the Notice Period. I further understand that I am encouraged to consult with counsel regarding this Agreement.

Notwithstanding the foregoing in this Section IV, the post-employment restrictions on solicitation contemplated herein apply only to the extent permitted by state or other applicable law (for example, the customer solicitation restrictions in subsection b do not apply post-employment to California employees).

V. Return of Company Property

If I resign or am terminated from my employment for any reason, I agree to immediately (a) return to the Company all Company property, including keys, access cards, security devices, network access devices, computers, smartphones, equipment, manuals, reports, files, compilations, work product, email messages, recordings, disks, thumb drives, or other removable information storage devices, hard drives, and data and all the Company's documents and materials belonging to the Company and stored in any fashion, including but not limited to those that constitute or contain any Confidential Information and (b) permanently delete all electronic versions of such documents and materials that remain in my possession or control on any non-Company devices, networks or storage locations. I understand that this obligation shall remain in effect for as long as the information or materials in question retain their status as Confidential Information. I further understand that I am obligated upon request to provide any passwords to Company property.

VI. Compliance with Other Agreements

I certify that, to the extent applicable to me, I have complied and will continue to comply with any other policies or agreements covering trade secrets, inventions, confidential information, or solicitation from any former employer. I further certify that, to the best of my information and belief, I am not a party to, nor will I enter, any other agreement that either does or will interfere with my full compliance with this Agreement, including any agreement with any other employer, entity, or person. I further certify that I have disclosed any such agreements to the Company for review. I also certify that I have not disclosed and will not disclose to the Company, or induce the Company to use, any confidential or proprietary information or material belonging to any previous employer or others. I agree not to enter into any written or oral agreement that conflicts with any provision of this Agreement.

VII. Assignment of Inventions

I agree to and do hereby assign to the Company all inventions, discoveries, designs, formulas, modifications, improvements, new ideas, business methods, processes, algorithms, software programs, know-how or trade secrets, or other works or concepts, and all intellectual property rights therein, whether recorded in a written document, electronically, or not recorded at all, and whether or not protectable and/or elected by the Company to be protected as intellectual property that I make, conceive, develop, reduce to practice, or author (alone or in conjunction with others) during my employment with the Company that (1) relate to the Company's business, or to actual or demonstrably anticipated research or development of the Company or (2) involve the use of any time, material, information, or facility of the Company ("Inventions"). I will also promptly disclose in writing complete information regarding each Invention to the Company. I further agree that all Inventions shall be deemed part of the Confidential Information.

I agree that all copyrightable Inventions shall be deemed "works made for hire" under the United States Copyright Act, provided that in the event and to the extent such Inventions are determined not to constitute "works made for hire," I hereby irrevocably assign and transfer to the Company all rights, title, and interest in such Inventions. To the extent this Agreement does not assign moral rights in any such Inventions, I hereby irrevocably waive such moral rights and agree not to enforce such moral rights against the Company.

I hereby acknowledge having received notification that this Section VII does not obligate me to assign to the Company any rights in inventions that I developed entirely on my own time and without using the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities, or trade secret information unless those inventions either (i) relate at the time the invention was made to the Company's business or to actual or demonstrably anticipated research or development of the Company; or (ii) result from any work performed by me for the Company. If I claim ownership of any such rights, I have identified and provided a non-confidential description thereof in the space provided below (and on additional pages as necessary):

I agree to give the Company, without charge and at the Company's expense, both during and after my employment, all assistance it reasonably requires to evidence, establish, maintain, perfect, protect, and use the rights to the Inventions. Notwithstanding the foregoing, I hereby irrevocably appoint Wells Fargo as attorney-in-fact (coupled with an interest) to execute any such documents on my behalf. I further agree that I shall not be entitled to any additional compensation with respect to any and all Inventions.

VIII. Defend Trade Secrets Act Immunity Notice

I understand that nothing in this Agreement is intended to discourage or restrict me from reporting any theft of trade secrets pursuant to the Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016 ("DTSA") or other applicable state or federal law. The DTSA prohibits retaliation against an employee because of whistleblower activity in connection with the disclosure of trade secrets, so long as any such disclosure is made either (a) in confidence to an attorney or a federal, state, or local government official and solely to report or investigate a suspected violation of the law, or (b) under seal in a complaint or other document filed in a lawsuit or other proceeding. An individual who files a lawsuit for alleged retaliation by an employer for reporting a suspected violation of law may disclose the trade secret to the attorney of the individual and use the trade secret information in a court proceeding; provided, however, the individual must file any document containing the trade secret under seal, and they may not otherwise disclose the trade secret except pursuant to court order.

I understand that I should immediately report any suspected or actual misappropriation or improper use or disclosure of Confidential Information and/or Trade Secrets, pursuant to the Company's Code Conduct. I understand this Agreement does not limit, curtail, or diminish the Company's rights under the DTSA or other applicable state or federal law.

IX. Employment At Will

I understand that nothing in this Agreement alters my obligation to comply with the policies, procedures, and rules of the Company or alters the "at will" status of my employment with the Company, meaning that I, subject to the obligations set forth in Section III, or the Company can terminate the employment relationship at any time, with or without cause or notice.

X. Cooperation

From time to time, the Company may conduct investigations, inquiries and/or reviews (internally or through outside counsel or external investigators) of various matters including matters related to possible litigation and/or regulatory matters. I agree that during and after my employment with the Company, I will cooperate with all such investigations, inquiries and/or reviews in a thorough and timely manner including by providing information and participating in meetings, interviews and other related proceedings (including providing testimony) at reasonable times and places, as requested by the Company or its legal counsel.

XI. Injunctive Relief and Damages

Recognizing the irreparable nature of the injury that my violation of this Agreement would cause, and that money damages would be inadequate compensation to the Company, I agree that any violation or threatened violation of this Agreement by me should be the proper subject for immediate injunctive relief, specific performance, and other equitable relief to the Company. Such relief, however, shall be cumulative and non-exclusive and, therefore, shall be in addition to any other right or remedy to which the Company may be entitled. To the extent they apply to me, I further agree to communicate the contents of this section, the notice period section (if applicable) and the non-solicitation and non-disclosure sections of this Agreement to any prospective employer.

XII. Severability and Judicial Modification

If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect and the invalid or unenforceable provision(s) shall be modified only to the

extent necessary to render such provision(s) valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law. If an invalid or unenforceable provision cannot be modified, that provision shall be severed from the Agreement and all other provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.

XIII. Choice Of Law/Integration/Survival

This Agreement and any dispute, controversy, or claim which arises under or relates in any way to it shall be governed by the law of the state where I worked during my employment with the Company (and if I worked in more than one state, it shall be governed by the law of the state in which I worked immediately following my execution of this Agreement). This Agreement supersedes any prior written or verbal agreements pertaining to the subject matter herein and is intended to be a final expression of our Agreement with respect only to the terms contained herein; provided, however, that the notice period and employee and customer non-solicitation provisions herein are in addition to, and not in lieu of, any such provisions contained in any prior agreements (except that to the extent other agreements contain such notice period or non-solicitation provisions, they shall run concurrently with those described herein). There may be no modification of this Agreement except in writing signed by me and an officer of the Company at the level of executive vice president or more senior. This Agreement shall survive my employment by the Company, inure to the benefit of successors and assigns of the Company, and is binding upon my heirs and legal representatives.

Employee's Acknowledgment

I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and received a copy of this Agreement and will abide by its terms.

Employee's Signature

Date

Print Name

Employee ID

APPENDIX

The required timing of advanced written notice addressed in Section III above is set forth in this Appendix and the Leaving Wells Fargo Policy. Notice period requirements correspond to Company officer titles, with the number of days between a notice of a resignation or retirement and the effective date of such resignation or retirement constituting the length of the required Notice Period.

Officer Title*	Notice Period
SEVP	180 Days
EVP	90 Days
Managing Director/Sr. Vice President	90 Days
Executive Director	60 Days
Vice President**	30 Days

**With the 2023-2024 officer title implementation, some employees retained a legacy title that does not align to their job level. In these cases, the Notice Period Requirement will align to the job level. For example, an employee at an M2 job level who retained an Executive Director officer title will have a 30-day Notice Period.*

***This 30-day notice period does not apply to Branch Managers or Roving Banker Managers, even if they have a Vice President officer title.*



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Wells Fargo Board of Directors Announces Intention to Name CEO, Charlie Scharf, Chairman

Board of Directors Also Announces a Special Equity Award for Mr. Scharf

SAN FRANCISCO – July 31, 2025 – Wells Fargo & Company (NYSE: WFC) today announced that the Board of Directors of Wells Fargo intends to appoint Charlie Scharf, Chief Executive Officer, Wells Fargo, as Chairman of the Board. When Mr. Scharf becomes Chairman, the Board also intends to appoint a Lead Independent Director to support the Board's continued independent oversight.

In addition, the Board awarded Mr. Scharf a one-time special equity grant consisting of \$30 million in Restricted Share Rights and 1,046,000 Stock Options.

These actions reflect the Board's desire to retain Mr. Scharf as the CEO of the Company and to recognize his leadership in transforming Wells Fargo, including creating significant shareholder value and positioning the company for future success. Under his leadership, he has built an outstanding management team, significantly strengthened the company's risk and control infrastructure, improved its reputation, achieved critical regulatory milestones, and delivered a strong financial performance, while making strategic investments in driving growth of our core businesses.

The award will vest (and become exercisable for stock options) on a pro rata basis following the fourth, fifth and sixth anniversaries of the grant date. The Board believes the award design, coupled with our stock ownership policy, promotes further alignment of Mr. Scharf's compensation with long-term shareholder value creation.

Steven Black, current Chairman of the Board, Wells Fargo, said: "We are thrilled to recognize Charlie's significant contributions to Wells Fargo and are planning to appoint him as Chairman of the Board. We also plan to appoint a Lead Independent Director to maintain independent Board leadership. The special equity award is designed to acknowledge Charlie's role in leading Wells Fargo through an unprecedented transformation, creating shareholder value and positioning the Company for the future. We look forward to Charlie's continued guidance and strategic direction as we navigate the future."

Mr. Scharf stated: "Over the last several years, our Operating Committee and our 213,000 employees have executed a multi-faceted transformation under extremely difficult circumstances. It is a privilege to lead Wells Fargo and our talented and dedicated team, and I look forward to building on our significant momentum to continue improving our performance and market position in everything we do."

More information about the Board's leadership and the equity award is available in the Company's Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission today.

About Wells Fargo

Wells Fargo & Company (NYSE: WFC) is a leading financial services company that has approximately \$2.0 trillion in assets. We provide a diversified set of banking, investment and mortgage products and services, as well as consumer and commercial finance, through our four reportable operating segments: Consumer Banking and Lending, Commercial Banking, Corporate and Investment Banking, and Wealth & Investment Management. Wells Fargo ranked No. 33 on Fortune's 2025 rankings of America's largest corporations.

Cautionary Statement About Forward-Looking Statements

This news release contains forward-looking statements about our future financial performance and business. Because forward-looking statements are based on our current expectations and assumptions regarding the future, they are subject to inherent risks and uncertainties. Do not unduly rely on forward-looking statements as actual results could differ materially from expectations. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date made, and we do not undertake to update them to reflect changes or events that occur after that date. For information about factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from our expectations, refer to our reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including the discussion under "Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2024, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission and available on its website at www.sec.gov.

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