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SUBJECT: Disposal of Problem Assets through Exchanges.

HIGHLIGHTS: Financial institutions are increasingly exploring strategies to

dispose of or reduce nonperforming assets and other real estate

owned (OREO).

DOCUMENT LOCATION:

http://www.federalreserve.gov/bankinforeg/srletters/sr1115.htm

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