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WASHINGTON -- The Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS) today announced that 46 savings associations are scheduled for Community Reinvestment Act (CRA) examinations during the fourth quarter of 2001.

The schedule released today reflects OTS's implementation of Section 712 of the Gramm-Leach-Billey Act, which extends the CRA examination cycle from approximately every two years to four or five years for institutions with aggregate assets of not more than \$250 million and CRA examination ratings of "Satisfactory" or "Outstanding" respectively. The schedule is attached.

CRA Exam Schedule for 4Q 2001 - <a href="http://www.occ.gov/static/news-issuances/ots/press-releases/ots-pr-2001-56a.pdf">http://www.occ.gov/static/news-issuances/ots/press-releases/ots-pr-2001-56a.pdf</a>

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