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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

### Office of Finance Publishes the FHLBanks Third Quarter 2009 Combined Financial Report

The Office of Finance is announcing the publication of the Third Quarter 2009 Combined Financial Report of the Federal Home Loan Banks (FHLBanks). This report has been prepared from the unaudited financial information of each FHLBank. Current financial reports and other SEC filings for individual FHLBanks can be obtained by searching the EDGAR database.

The Third Quarter 2009 Combined Financial Report for the FHLBanks has been filed with its regulator, the Federal Housing Finance Agency. A copy of this report can be obtained on the Office of Finance web site (<http://www.fhlf-of.com/specialinterest/finreportframe2.html>). To obtain a copy, please email the Office of Finance at: [info@fhlf-of.com](mailto:info@fhlf-of.com).

#### About the FHLBanks:

The primary purpose of the FHLBanks is to ensure the flow of credit and other services for housing and community development to member financial institutions. This liquidity serves the public by enhancing the availability of residential mortgage and community investment funds. As cooperatives, the FHLBanks seek to maintain a balance between their public policy mission and their obligation to provide adequate returns on the capital supplied by members. The FHLBanks achieve this balance by delivering low-cost financing, providing members a viable alternative to the secondary mortgage market through their mortgage programs, and through the payment of dividends. Each FHLBank also helps members with other local housing and community development needs through self-funded affordable housing programs.

The FHLBanks have delivered innovation and service to the U.S. housing market for 77 years, and currently have over 8,100 members in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Northern Mariana and U.S. Virgin Islands. Please contact Mike Ciota at 703-467-3608 ([ciota@fhlf-of.com](mailto:ciota@fhlf-of.com)) for additional information.