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Ed Thomson has been the Midsize Banks Asset Management Lead Expert at the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC) since 2016. He serves as a technical advisor and provides fiduciary guidance to OCC management and our examination staff. He is available to provide regulatory guidance to banks and federal savings associations with trust departments and brokerage/advisory activity.

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