

## **MEMORANDUM**

**To:** File

From: Randall Roy

**Date:** July 7, 2008

**RE:** Meeting with representatives of Egan-Jones Rating Company to discuss

Securities Exchange Act Release No. 57976 (File No. S7-13-08), titled "Proposed Rules for Nationally Recognized Statistical Rating Organizations," was discussed

Commission staff met on July 1, 2008 with the following representatives of Egan-Jones Rating Company: Sean Egan and James J. Butera. The Commission staff members attending the meeting were Erik Sirri, Director; Robert Colby, Deputy Director; Michael Macchiaroli, Associate Director; Randall Roy, Branch Chief; Catherine Moore, Special Counsel; and Carrie O'Brien, Attorney; Division of Trading and Markets.

Those present generally discussed a variety of topics related to credit rating agencies registered with the Commission as nationally recognized statistical rating organizations including Securities Exchange Act Release No. 55431.