



Announcement
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Announcement from Afviklingsselskabet til sikring af finansiel stabilitet A/S

Guarantee commission March 2009

Pursuant to the Act on Financial Stability, the Private Contingency Association is required to pay a regular commission to Afviklingsselskabet til sikring af finansiel stabilitet A/S (the Financial Stability Company).

The annual commission amount is DKK 7.5 billion, corresponding to a monthly guarantee commission of DKK 625 million. The guarantee commission is payable in monthly instalments (prepaid) and may, at the request of each individual bank, be paid in cash or Tier 1 capital instruments (own shares, cooperative share certificates or guarantee certificates).

Payments by way of Tier 1 capital instruments must along with cash payments have a market value of DKK 625 million on the due date. The guarantee commission falls due on the first business day of each month with settlement on the second business day.

The recently due amount, covering March 2009, totalled DKK 625 billion. The Private Contingency Association has informed the Financial Stability Company that almost 90% of the amount has been paid in cash. This level is equal to that of the previous month.

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Set up under the Act on Financial Stability, the purpose of the **Financial Stability Company** is to ensure that the claims of unsecured creditors against banks and bank branches comprised by the guarantee scheme are covered to the extent that such claims are not otherwise covered.