

Texas Department of Banking

Press Release

Banking Commissioner Announces Appointment of J. W. Holt as Regional Director, West Texas Region

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State Banking Commissioner Catherine A. Ghiglieri has announced the appointment of J. W. Holt of Lubbock, Texas, to serve as Regional Director, West Texas Region, Texas Department of Banking. Mr. Holt assumed this new position on January 1, 1996.

The West Texas Region, headquartered in Lubbock, Texas, is responsible for examination activities covering approximately 90 state-chartered banks with assets of \$5.5 billion.

Holt has over 23 years of banking and regulatory experience. His regulatory career began with the Comptroller of the Currency in June 1964, when he was appointed a National Bank Examiner. After serving four years, he left the public sector and began a career as a banker. In May, 1986, Holt joined FDIC as a Section Chief in Liquidation. In January, 1988 he joined the Department of Banking in the West Texas Region and was promoted to Assistant Regional Director in January, 1990.

Holt is a native Texan and holds a Bachelor of Business Administration Degree in Finance from Texas Christian University.