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**Texas Banking Commissioner Names
Jeff Anderson as Lubbock Regional Director**

Charles G. Cooper, Texas Banking Commissioner, announced the appointment of Jeff Anderson as the Lubbock Regional Director of the Bank and Trust Division. The appointment is effective July 1, 2015.

As Regional Director, Mr. Anderson will be responsible for the bank supervisory activities of the Lubbock Regional Office and its 16 field examiners. The Lubbock Region, which is also referred to as the West Texas Region, includes the major cities of Lubbock, Amarillo, Midland, Odessa, Abilene, Wichita Falls and El Paso, as well as a number of small rural towns. The region is home to 64 state-chartered banks that control approximately \$22 billion in banking assets. Mr. Anderson's responsibilities will require close coordination with federal regulatory authorities as well as the agency's other three regional offices.

"Jeff's years of experience as both a bank regulator and banker make him well-suited for this position. I appreciate his hard work, his willingness to train and mentor new examiners, and his willingness to undertake new challenges," stated Commissioner Cooper.

Mr. Anderson is originally from Lubbock, and is a graduate of Texas Tech University in Lubbock. He began his employment with the Department in 1986 as an Assistant Bank Examiner stationed in Lubbock. He left the agency in 1991 to pursue a banking career and returned to the Department in 2011. Prior to his appointment, he served as a Senior Examiner assigned to the Lubbock Regional Office.

Mr. Anderson replaces J.W. Holt who recently retired.