# Inf Sight

# Compliance eNewsletter

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# InfoSight News

New Content: Payday Alternative Loans

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#### Recently Updated

#### February 2019 - Loans and Leasing

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#### NCUA proposes audit requirement changes

The NCUA Board has published [84 FR 5957, 2/25/19] a proposal to amend its regulations at 12 CFR part 715 governing the responsibilities of a federally insured credit union to obtain an annual supervisory committee audit of the credit union. The proposal implements recommendations outlined in the agency's Regulatory Reform Task Force's Regulatory Reform Agenda and will provide additional flexibility to federally insured CUs. Comments are due by April 26, 2019.

Source: NCUA

#### Bureau releases Payday Lending compliance guide

The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau has released a <u>small entity compliance</u> <u>guide</u> summarizing the payment-related provisions of the Payday Lending Rule. Other provisions of the rule are under review, are likely to be delayed and may ultimately be rescinded.

The Payday Lending Rule became effective on January 16, 2018. However, the Rule's general compliance date is August 19, 2019. Thus, by its terms, the Rule does not require lenders to comply with the Rule's payment provisions or the related compliance program and record retention requirements until the latter date. The compliance date, however, is currently stayed by a court order issued in Community Financial Services Association v. CFPB. As a result, lenders have no obligation to comply with the Rule until the court-ordered stay is lifted

Source: CFPB

#### Agencies publish private flood insurance rule

The OCC, Fed, FDIC, FCA and NCUA have <u>published their previously announced</u> <u>final rule</u> implementing the private flood insurance provisions of the Biggert-Waters Flood Insurance Reform Act of 2012 to require regulated lending institutions to accept policies meeting the definition of "private flood insurance." The rule will be effective July 1, 2019.

Source: Federal Register

#### Other Articles of Interest

- <u>Congress Begins Struggle to Address Data Security Issues</u>
- <u>Financial Services Subcommittee to Hold First Hearing on Diversity &</u> <u>Inclusion</u>
- <u>Treasury Sanctions Governors of Venezuelan States</u>
- CFPB Announces Start Small, Save Up Initiative

# **Advocacy Highlight**

#### CUNA Links of interest:

- <u>This week Ahead in Washington</u>
- <u>CUNA's 2019 Advocacy Agenda</u>

Source: CUNA Advocacy

#### CUNA's Advocacy Resources

- Input to lawmakers and regulators
- <u>CUNA Advocacy page</u>
- <u>CUNA's Removing Barriers blog</u>
- <u>CUNA's Priorities</u>

<u>Actions You Can Take</u>

## **Compliance Calendar**

- April 1st, 2019: Prepaid Accounts under the Electronic Fund Transfer Act/Regulation E and the Truth In Lending Act/Regulation Z (Date Extended)
- May 27th, 2019: Memorial Day Federal Holiday
- June 21st, 2019: Return for Questionable Transaction (Effective Date)
- July 4th, 2019: Independence Day Federal Holiday
- September 2nd, 2019: Labor Day Federal Holiday

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