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9	BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
10	OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
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12	STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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14	In the Matter of the Investigation of: Potential Unlawful, Unfair, and Fraudulent Conduct Belating to the Credit Believe of INTERROGATORIES AND PRODUCE
15	Conduct Relating to the Credit Rating of Structured Finance Issuances.
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17	California Government Code Section 11181
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20	TO: MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE, INC.
21	NOTICE:
22	() You are served as an individual.
23	() You are served as (or on behalf of) the person doing business under the fictitious
24	name of
25	(X) You are served on behalf of MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE, INC.
26	Under the powers conferred by Article 2 of Chapter 2 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the
27	Government Code of California (Cal. Gov. Code § 11180 et seq.), on the Attorney General, as
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head of the Department of Justice of the State of California, which powers and authority to conduct the above entitled investigation have been delegated to the undersigned, an officer of that Department, MOODY'S INVESTOR SERVICE, INC. (which hereafter, may be referred to as MOODY'S) IS HEREBY COMMANDED to (a) provide verified responses to the Interrogatories contained in this subpoena; and (b) produce those DOCUMENTS described below that are in MOODY'S custody, possession or control, whether or not the present location of any of the DOCUMENTS designated is in California, by no later than October 19, 2009. The Interrogatory Responses and Subpoenaed Documents are to be delivered to the Office of the Attorney General, 300 S. Spring St., Suite 1702, Los Angeles, CA, 90013, marked to the attention of Deputy Attorney General James M. Toma.

DEFINITIONS

- 1. "COMMUNICATION" means every disclosure, transfer, exchange, or transmission of information, whether oral, written, or electronic, and whether face-to-face, by telecommunications, computer, mail, telecopier, facsimile (fax) machine, or otherwise. "COMMUNICATION" includes all "writings" as defined in California Evidence Code section 250.
- 2. "COMPLAINT" means the act of expressing dissatisfaction or discontent, or to find fault. It can be oral or written in form and includes, but is not limited to, communications to YOU, or communications to others such as regulators.
- 3. "CONTRACT" means any oral or written agreement, contract, memorandum of understanding, engagement letter, rating services terms and conditions, rate sheet, term sheet, price sheet, or COMMUNICATIONS of any kind (including any attachment or amendment to it) that govern, have or had governed the identified parties' relationships.
- 4. "COUNTRYWIDE" means Countrywide Financial Corporation, Inc., including any parent, affiliate, sister, subsidiary, predecessor, successor or assignee, and its principals, employees, officers, directors, agents, or representatives. "COUNTRYWIDE" includes Countywide Securities Corporation, Inc., Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., CWHEQ, Inc., CWABS, Inc., CWMBS, Inc., CWALT, Inc., and any trusts organized by COUNTRYWIDE for the purpose of issuing notes to investors.

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	5. "COUNTRY WIDE ISSUANCES" means the following Residential Mortgage Backed
	Securities: (1) CHL Mortgage Pass-Through Trust 2006-HYB1, Mortgage Pass-Through
	Certificates, Series 2006-HYB1; (2) CHL Mortgage Pass-Through Trust 2006-OA5, Mortgage
	Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-OA5; (3) CHL Mortgage Pass-Through Trust 2007-HY1,
	Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2007-HY1; (4) CHL Mortgage Pass-Through Trust
	2007-HY1, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2007-HY1; (5) CHL Mortgage Pass-
	Through Trust 2007-12, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2007-12; (6) CWABS Asset-
	Backed Certificates Trust 2006-6, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2006-6; (7) CWABS Asset-
	Backed Certificates Trust 2006-SPS1, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2006-SPS1; (8) CWABS
	Asset-Backed Certificates Trust 2006-13, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2006-13; (9) CWABS
	Asset-Backed Certificates Trust 2007-3, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-3; (10) CWABS
	Asset-Backed Certificates Trust 2007-13, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-13; (11)
	CWALT Alternative Loan Trust 2006-17T1, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-
	17T1; (12) CWALT Alternative Loan Trust 2006-OA17, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates,
	Series 2006-OA17; (13) CWALT Alternative Loan Trust 2006-35CB, Mortgage Pass-Through
,	Certificates, Series 2006-35CB; (14) CWALT Alternative Loan Trust 2007-10CB, Mortgage Pass-
	Through Certificates, Series 2007-10CB; (15) CWALT Alternative Loan Trust 2007-OA10,
	Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2007-OA10; and includes any class or tranche
	therefrom.

6. "DOCUMENT" means, without limitation, any "writing," as defined in Evidence Code section 250 and includes originals (as defined in Evidence Code section 255) or duplicates (as defined in Evidence Code section 260) of or copies of the writings, and non-identical copies bearing or having any attachments, notes or marks which distinguish them from the originals, and any electronic records, including, without limitation, electronic mail, spreadsheets, word processing files, and records saved as .pdf or other electronic files. Electronic mail subject to this subpoena includes messages and/or attachments now only available on backup or archive tapes or disks. Also, if a print-out of an electronic record is a non-identical copy of the electronic version (for example, because the print-out has a signature, handwritten notation, or other mark or

16. "YOU," "YOUR," and "MOODY'S" mean Moody's Investors Service, Inc., including any parent, affiliate, sister, subsidiary, predecessor, successor or assignee of it, and its principals, operating divisions, present or former owners, employees, servants, officers, directors, agents, representatives, attorneys, accountants, independent contractors, and any other persons or entities acting on behalf of or under the direction, authorization or control of Moody's Investors Service, Inc. or any of its principals.

17. "And" means and/or. "Or" means and/or.

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. At the date, time and location for production of the DOCUMENTS requested, YOU shall provide verified responses to the interrogatories and a declaration or affidavit regarding the DOCUMENTS produced. This declaration or affidavit must state that a diligent search for all requested DOCUMENTS has been conducted and that the affiant or declarant was in charge of the search or otherwise monitored and reviewed the search sufficiently to be able to represent under oath that such a search was conducted. It must be signed under oath by the person most knowledgeable about the DOCUMENTS being produced and YOUR efforts to comply with the subpoena. If different persons are the most knowledgeable about various portions of the search, then each such person shall sign an affidavit or declaration identifying the numbered requests for DOCUMENTS for which that person is the most knowledgeable.
- 2. For each audio or video recording produced in response to this subpoena, provide both the recording and a transcript.
- 3. The relevant time period covered by this subpoena is from **January 1, 2005** up to five days before YOUR full compliance with this subpoena. Any DOCUMENTS applicable during or relating to this time period are to be produced, regardless of whether the DOCUMENTS came into existence before, after, or during this period.
- 4. DOCUMENTS provided shall be complete and, unless privileged, unredacted, submitted as found in YOUR files (e.g., DOCUMENTS that in their original condition were stapled, clipped, attached as a "post-it," or otherwise fastened together shall be produced in the same manner).

- 5. If YOU contend that YOU are unable to comply with any of the Demands for Production of Documents included in this Subpoena, provide a declaration or affidavit signed under penalty of perjury that includes a representation of YOUR inability to comply with the particular demand for inspection, and affirms that a diligent search and a reasonable inquiry has been made in an effort to comply with that demand. This declaration or affidavit shall also specify whether YOUR inability to comply is because the particular item or category has never existed, has been destroyed, has been lost, misplaced, or stolen, or has never been, or is no longer, in YOUR possession, custody, or control. The Declaration or Affidavit shall set forth the name and address of any natural person or organization known or believed by YOU to have possession, custody, or control of that item or category of item.
- 6. Please mark each page of a paper DOCUMENT and each tangible thing containing audio, video, computer or other electronic DOCUMENT (e.g., cassette, disk, tape or CD) with corporate identification and consecutive DOCUMENT control numbers (e.g., MOODYS 001, MOODYS CD 001, MOODYS audio tape 001). Number each box of DOCUMENTS produced and mark each with the name(s) of the person(s) whose files are contained therein, the request(s) to which they are responsive, and the DOCUMENT control numbers contained therein.
- 7. For each DOCUMENT produced in response to this subpoena, identify the document demand to which the DOCUMENT is responsive.
- 8. If any DOCUMENTS are withheld from production based on a claim of privilege, YOU must provide a privilege log.

INTERROGATORIES

- 1. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who drafted or assisted in drafting articles or reports YOU published, including on YOUR website, RELATING TO performance, criteria, methodology and assumptions for SIVs.
- 2. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who drafted or assisted in drafting articles or reports YOU published, including on YOUR website, RELATING TO performance, criteria, methodology and assumptions for RMBS.

3. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who drafted or assiste
in drafting MARKETING MATERIALS RELATING TO the rating of SELECT SIVS.
4. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who drafted or assiste
in drafting MARKETING MATERIALS RELATING TO the rating of COUNTRYWIDE
ISSUANCES.
5. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who drafted or assiste
in drafting procedures and methodologies YOU used to rate SELECT SIVs.
6. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who drafted or assiste
in drafting procedures and methodologies YOU used to rate COUNTRYWIDE ISSUANCES.
7. Identify YOUR person most knowledgeable regarding methodologies YOU used to rate
SIVs.
8. Identify YOUR person(s) most knowledgeable regarding methodologies YOU used to
rate RMBS, identifying separate individuals by asset class if necessary.
9. Identify YOUR person most knowledgeable regarding procedures YOU used to rate
SIVs.
10. Identify YOUR person most knowledgeable regarding procedures YOU used to rate
RMBS.
11. Identify YOUR person most knowledgeable about RMBS MODELS YOU used to rate
RMBS.
12. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who participated in
YOUR decision to downgrade the rating for any SELECT SIVs.
13. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who participated in
YOUR decision to downgrade the rating for any COUNTRYWIDE ISSUANCES.
14. Identify all YOUR analysts who made any RECOMMENDATION of an Aaa rating fo
any SELECT SIVs by (a) name, (b) title, and (c) SIV name, class, and note.
15. Identify all YOUR analysts who made any RECOMMENDATION of an Aaa rating fo
any COUNTRYWIDE ISSUANCES by (a) name, (b) title, and (c) COUNTRYWIDE

16. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who participated in
any audit, review, or examination (whether conducted internally, externally or by a governmental
agency) of YOUR compliance with YOUR rating methodologies or procedures used in rating
SIVs.

- 17. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who participated in any audit, review, or examination (whether conducted internally, externally or by a governmental agency) of YOUR compliance with YOUR rating methodologies or procedures used in rating RMBS.
- 18. Identify by name, title, address and telephone number all persons who participated in any review or audit for fraud or misrepresentation of any MORTGAGE LOAN files concerning RMBS or SIVs YOU rated.
- 19. State the number of times YOUR rating committee voted to adopt any rating RECOMMENDATION presented by YOUR analysts for RMBS in (a) 2006, (b) 2007, (c) 2008, and (d) 2009.
- 20. State the number of times YOUR rating committee voted against adopting any rating RECOMMENDATION presented by YOUR analysts for RMBS in (a) 2006, (b) 2007, (c) 2008, and (d) 2009.
- 21. For each instance in which YOUR rating committee voted against adopting any rating RECOMMENDATION presented by YOUR analysts for RMBS, identify (a) the name, title, address and telephone number of such analyst, (b) the issuer and issuance (including class or tranche) presented for rating, (c) the rating RECOMMENDATION, and (d) the date of the vote.
- 22. Identify by name, title, address, and telephone number all persons who served on YOUR rating committee for SELECT SIVs in (a) 2006, (b) 2007, (c) 2008, and (d) 2009.
- 23. Identify by name, title, address, and telephone number all persons who served on YOUR rating committee for COUNTRYWIDE ISSUANCES in (a) 2006, (b) 2007, (c) 2008, and (d) 2009.
- 24. For each RMBS YOU ever cumulatively downgraded to a non-investment grade rating from an initial Aaa rating, state (a) the name of the issuer, (b) the name of the issuance (including

class or tranche), (c) the Committee on Uniform Security Identification Procedures (CUSIP) number, (c) date of initial rating, (d) date of each subsequent downgrade, and (e) each subsequent rating.

- 25. Describe in detail (a) YOUR procedures and methodologies for rating SIVs, including models and assumptions (not limited to assumptions regarding default probability, expected recovery upon default, and default correlations), (b) all changes to YOUR procedures and methodologies for rating SIVs during the relevant time period, (c) the dates when such changes were implemented, and (d) the name, title, address, and telephone number of all persons involved in the decision to make the change.
- 26. Describe in detail (a) YOUR procedures and methodologies for rating RMBS, including models and assumptions (not limited to assumptions regarding default probability, expected recovery upon default, and default correlations), (b) all changes to YOUR procedures and methodologies for rating RMBS during the relevant time period, (c) the dates when such changes were implemented, and (d) the name, title, address, and telephone number of all persons involved in the decision to make the change.
- 27. Describe in detail (a) all YOUR standards and criteria for deciding whether YOU will rate any SIV, (b) any changes to those standards and criteria during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 28. Describe in detail (a) all YOUR standards and criteria for deciding whether YOU will rate any RMBS, (b) any changes to those standards and criteria during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change
- 29. Describe in detail (a) all circumstances in which YOU allow departures from YOUR rating methodologies or procedures in rating SIVS, (b) any changes to those circumstances during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 30. Describe in detail (a) all circumstances in which YOU allow departures from YOUR rating methodologies or procedures in rating RMBS, (b) any changes to those circumstances during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.

- 31. Describe in detail (a) how YOU use any quality assessment of the assets underlying SIVs in the rating of the SIVs, (b) any changes to that use during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 32. Describe in detail (a) how YOU use any quality assessment of the assets underlying RMBS in the rating of the RMBS, (b) any changes to that use during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 33. Describe in detail (a) how YOU use any information regarding the originators of the assets underlying SIVs in the rating of the SIVs, (b) any changes to that use during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 34. Describe in detail (a) how YOU use any information regarding the originators of the assets underlying RMBS in the rating of the RMBS, (b) any changes to that use during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 35. Describe in detail (a) how YOU use any information regarding the sponsors of the assets underlying RMBS in the rating of the RMBS, (b) any changes to that use during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 36. Describe in detail (a) all steps YOU take to monitor the performance of the assets underlying any SIV YOU rated, (b) any changes to those steps during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 37. Describe in detail (a) all steps YOU take to monitor the performance of the assets underlying any RMBS YOU rated, (b) any changes to those steps during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 38. Describe in detail (a) all steps YOU take to verify information contained in any mortgage loan portfolios presented to YOU in the RMBS rating process, (b) any changes to those steps during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 39. Describe in detail (a) all steps YOU take to verify information contained in any mortgage loan portfolios presented to YOU in the SIV rating process, (b) any changes to those steps during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.

- 40. Describe in detail (a) all due diligence YOU require sponsors, originators, conduits, arrangers, or issuers to perform RELATING TO any SIV YOU rated, (b) any changes to YOUR requirements during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 41. Describe in detail (a) all due diligence YOU require sponsors, originators, conduits, arrangers, or issuers to perform RELATING TO any RMBS YOU rated, (b) any changes to YOUR requirements during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 42. Describe in detail (a) all due diligence representations YOU require from sponsors, originators, conduits, arrangers, or issuers of any SIV YOU rated, (b) any changes to YOUR requirements during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 43. Describe in detail (a) all due diligence representations YOU require from sponsors, originators, conduits, arrangers, or issuers of any RMBS YOU rated, (b) any changes to YOUR requirements during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 44. Describe in detail (a) how YOUR methodologies for rating SIVs consider the quality of an originator's fraud detection policies, procedures or capabilities, (b) any changes to YOUR methodologies, during the relevant time period, with respect to consideration of the quality of an originator's fraud detection policies, procedures or capabilities, and (c) the date of each change.
- 45. Describe in detail (a) how YOUR methodologies for rating RMBS consider the quality of an originator's fraud detection policies, procedures or capabilities, (b) any changes to YOUR methodologies, during the relevant time period, with respect to consideration of the quality of an originator's fraud detection policies, procedures or capabilities, and (c) the date of each change.
- 46. Describe in detail (a) YOUR procedures for auditing compliance with YOUR rating methodologies or procedures for RMBS, (b) any changes to YOUR procedures during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 47. Describe in detail (a) YOUR procedures for auditing compliance with YOUR rating methodologies or procedures for SIVs, (b) any changes to YOUR procedures during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 48. Describe in detail (a) YOUR analyst training for rating SIVs, (b) any changes during the relevant time period to such training, and (c) the date of each change.

- 49. Describe in detail (a) YOUR analyst training for rating RMBS, (b) any changes during the relevant time period to YOUR training, and (c) the date of each change.
- 50. Describe in detail (a) YOUR role and responsibilities, including providing information or advice, in the structuring of SIVs or the assets held by SIVs, (b) any changes during the relevant time period to YOUR role or responsibilities, and (c) the date of each change.
- 51. Describe in detail (a) YOUR role and responsibilities, including providing information or advice, in the structuring of RMBS or the assets held by RMBS, (b) any changes during the relevant time period to YOUR role or responsibilities, and (c) the date of each change
- 52. Describe in detail (a) how YOU charge for and are compensated for rating SIVs, (b) any changes during the relevant time period to how YOU have charged for or been compensated for rating SIVs, and (c) the date of each change.
- 53. Describe in detail (a) how YOU charge for and are compensated for rating RMBS, (b) any changes during the relevant time period to how YOU have charged for or been compensated for rating RMBS, and (c) the date of each change.
- 54. Describe in detail (a) how YOU charge for and are compensated for YOUR role in structuring SIVs or the assets held by SIVs, (b) any changes during the relevant time period to how YOU have charged for or been compensated for YOUR role in structuring SIVs or the assets held by SIVs, and (c) the date of each change.
- 55. Describe in detail (a) how YOU charge for and are compensated for YOUR role in structuring RMBS or the assets held by RMBS, (b) any changes during the relevant time period to how YOU have charged for or been compensated for YOUR role in structuring RMBS or the assets held by RMBS, and (c) the date of each change.
- 56. Describe in detail (a) how YOU market, offer, and distribute YOUR RMBS MODEL to originators and issuers, (b) any changes during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.
- 57. Describe in detail (a) any use of YOUR RMBS MODEL YOU require from originators and issuers RELATING TO structuring RMBS, (b) any changes during the relevant time period, and (c) the date of each change.

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rating assumptions, or rating criteria of any RMBS or SIV.

62. All YOUR DOCUMENT preservation policies.

1	63. All DOCUMENTS RELATING TO any audit, review, or examination of YOUR
2	RMBS MODELS.
3	Dated: September 17, 2009
4	Respectfully Submitted,
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