

GETTING READY FOR THE DODD-FRANK ACT

The Headache: The Dodd-Frank Act is 2,300 pages of challenges for banks.

Our Question: What is your bank doing to get ready?

Come see what other bankers think, and add your own views

How is your bank getting ready for the new banking law?

Banks face one of the most daunting banking laws in years in the pending Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act. ABA estimates that more than 300 regulatory projects will be launched in the federal agencies, and many of those will wind up in some fashion on banks' doorsteps.

In the ten-plus years of Pass the Aspirin's existence, does anything else come close to the headaches this new law will cause? We asked for bankers' preliminary thoughts on how they'll handle Dodd-Frank regs, including:

• What concerns you most about Dodd-Frank?

• Do you anticipate staffing up to handle compliance?

• Will Dodd-Frank lead you to exit any business lines?

• How will the new law affect your bank's profitability?

• Do you see any hidden opportunities in Dodd-Frank?

"Pass the Aspirin" and tell us how your bank plans to tackle the upcoming regulatory tsunami.

Let's hear your views and ideas below!

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