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In exercise of powers conferred under section 282B (3) of the Companies Ordinance, 1984 read with Regulation 66 (b) of the Non-Banking Finance Companies and Notified Entities ("NBFC") Regulations, 2008, following amendments are hereby incorporated in Circular No. 1 of 2009 after considering the recommendations submitted by the Mutual Funds Association of Pakistan ("MUFAP").

- 1. The effective date of March 7, 2009 for determination and announcement of valuation of debt securities on a daily basis by MUFAP as stipulated under Para 6 of Circular 1 of 2009, is hereby extended to July 1, 2009. However, in case of traded debt securities, valuation shall be determined and announced on a daily basis by MUFAP in accordance with the procedure laid down in Chapter 2 of Circular 1 of 2009.
- 2. The requirement for full provisioning in case of debt securities downgraded to 'D' (default) rating as given in Annexure II of Circular 1 of 2009 is hereby omitted and for such securities the provisioning criteria as specified in Annexure II shall be applicable.
- 3. In case of any clarification with respect to this circular, all AMCs and MUFAP shall approach the Commission for this purpose.
- 4. This Circular shall come into force with immediate effect.

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Director (NBFCD)

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