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218.03D Verification of the Defeasance Notice

Fannie Mae will verify the Mortgage Loan information contained in the Defeasance Notice as well as the Mortgage Loan's eligibility for defeasance. After verification and within two (2) Business Days after the initial receipt of the Defeasance Notice from the Servicer, Fannie Mae will sign the Defeasance Notice and fax it back to the Servicer along with an Exhibit that details the monthly cash flows of the Fannie Mae debt instrument that will replace the Property as collateral for the Mortgage Loan.

The Servicer will then fax the verified Defeasance Notice to the Borrower on the same day that the Servicer receives the verified Defeasance Notice from Fannie Mae. In the event that Fannie Mae made changes to the Defeasance Notice, the Borrower must initial the changed portions of the Defeasance Notice and fax it back to the Servicer on that same day. The Servicer must then immediately fax the Borrower-initialed Defeasance Notice to Fannie Mae.

If the Servicer does not

- receive the Defeasance Commitment Fee, and
- provide confirmation of the Defeasance Notice to the Borrower,

then the Borrower's right to obtain Defeasance pursuant to that Defeasance Notice shall terminate. If the Borrower still wishes to defease the Mortgage Loan, the Borrower must submit a new Defeasance Notice and repeat the process outlined above.

Glossary

B

Borrower	Person who is the obligor per the Note. **Synonyms** • Borrowers • Borrower's
Business Day	Any day other than a • Saturday, • Sunday, • day when Fannie Mae is closed, • day when the Federal Reserve Bank of New York is closed, or • for any MBS and required remittance withdrawal, day when the Federal Reserve Bank is closed in the district where any of the MBS funds are held. **Synonyms** • Business Days

C

Collateral	Property, Personal Property, or other property securing a Mortgage Loan.
Commitment	Contractual agreement between you and Fannie Mae where Fannie Mae agrees to buy a Mortgage Loan at a future date in exchange for an MBS, or at a specific price for a Cash Mortgage Loan, and you agree to Deliver that Mortgage Loan. **Synonyms** • Committed • Commitments

D

Defeasance	Transaction where a Property is released from the lien of the Security Instrument and the Lender receives a valid and perfected lien and security interest in substitute collateral acceptable to Fannie Mae and the cash flows thereunder.

M

Mortgage Loan	Mortgage debt obligation evidenced, or when made will be evidenced, by • the Loan Documents, or • a mortgage debt obligation with a Fannie Mae credit enhancement. **Synonyms** • Mortgage Loans • Mortgage Loan's

P

Property	Multifamily residential real estate securing the Mortgage Loan, including the • fee simple or Leasehold interest, • Improvements, and • personal property (per the Uniform Commercial Code). **Synonyms** • Properties • Property's

S

Servicer	Primary Person servicing the Mortgage Loan, including • the originator, • seller, or • a third party. **Synonyms** • Servicers • Servicer's

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