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### PENNSYLVANIA BANKS PARTICIPATE IN CSBS CASE STUDY COMPETITION

**Harrisburg, Pa.** – Eighteen Pennsylvania banks will participate in the 2019 Conference of State Banking Supervisors (CSBS) Case Study Competition.

The CSBS Case Study Competition is a national program that pairs undergraduate college/ university student teams with local community banks to conduct original case studies. This year's competition will focus on the Economic Growth, Regulatory Relief and Consumer Protection Act (Public Law No: 115-174) and how it will impact banks and their local communities.

"The CSBS Case Study Competition truly works to foster the next generation of bankers by providing a deep understanding of the role that banks play in their local communities," Duncan Campbell, the Pennsylvania Bankers Association's (PA Bankers') president & CEO, stated. "We are grateful to the 18 participating banks for their effort to enhance the banking industry in Pennsylvania."

Participating banks in Pennsylvania include:

- 1ST SUMMIT BANK, Johnstown, Pa.;
- Bryn Mawr Trust, Bryn Mawr, Pa.;
- Citizens & Northern Bank, Wellsboro, Pa.;
- First Resource Bank, Exton, Pa.;
- Fulton Bank, Lancaster, Pa.;
- Hyperion Bank, Philadelphia, Pa.;
- Kish Bank, Belleville, Pa.;
- Lafayette Ambassador Bank, Lehigh Valley, Pa.;
- Mars Bank, Mars, Pa.;
- Mid Penn Bank, Millersburg, Pa.;
- New Tripoli Bank, New Tripoli, Pa.;
- Penn Community Bank, Perkasie, Pa.;
- PeoplesBank, A Codorus Valley Company, York, Pa.;
- QNB Bank, Quakertown, Pa.;
- Somerset Trust Company, Somerset, Pa.;
- The National Bank of Malvern, Malvern, Pa.;
- The Victory Bank, Limerick, Pa.; and

- York Traditions Bank, York, Pa.

PA Bankers actively supports and promotes the CSBS Case Study Competition to its membership each year. Last year, the association helped to raise the commonwealth's participation in the program from four banks in 2017 to 11 in 2018, with one Pennsylvania team finishing within the top five teams in the nation. Additionally, members from PA Bankers' Retired Bankers Program continually serve as judges for the competition.

"The Pennsylvania banking industry's support of the competition has been crucial to the program's growth within the commonwealth," Campbell added. "We are proud to support the competition, and we wish all 18 teams luck as they embark on this journey."

Teams must submit their final papers on April 22, and the first-, second- and third-place teams will be announced at the 2019 CSBS State-Federal Supervisory Forum in San Antonio, Texas on May 23.

*PA Bankers has been bringing banks and bankers together for more than 120 years to learn, grow, serve and engage with their peers, communities and lawmakers. The association has built a strong reputation as a leading advocate for pro-banking policies at the state and federal levels, as well as the delivery of quality education, products and services for banks of all sizes and their employees.*

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