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March 31, 2005 is the effective date for interpretation /093 of SEA Rule 15c3-1(c)(2)(iv)(B) ("Non-Purpose Equity Securities Borrowed Transactions"). This grace period is provided to allow brokerdealers the necessary time to properly implement procedures and to establish the appropriate regulatory systems that will be needed to monitor and comprehend the applicable capital charges.

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