



APPOINTMENT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
AS ATTORNEY FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS

_____ (hereinafter referred to as the "Bank"), which is
(Name of Foreign (Other State) Bank)

organized under the laws of _____, hereby irrevocably appoints and designates the
(United States or Name of State)

Commissioner of Financial Institutions of the State of California and his or her successor from time to time in office (hereinafter referred to as the "Commissioner") to be the Bank's attorney to receive service of any lawful process in any noncriminal judicial or administrative proceeding against the Bank or any its successors which arises after this appointment has been filed with the Commissioner out of the activities in the State of California of any of the Bank's facilities in the State of California, with the same force and validity as if served personally on the Bank or its successor, as the case may be.

Dated: _____

(Name of Bank)

By: _____
(Signature)

(Name and Title)

This is a sample format the appointment of the Commissioner as agent for service of process of a foreign (other state) bank opening and operating a facility as required by Financial Code Section 1703 and 1718 (a) (1). This sample is provided only as an illustration of the format of an application. Refer to the requirements of Financial Code Sections 1703 and 1718 (a) (1).