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By: Sharon Cornelissen, Director of Housing

The Federal Home Loan Banks were created in the 1930's to address the nation's housing
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SEC's Recently Adopted Rules Strengthen Investor Protections in the SPAC Market

**By: Dylan Bruce, Financial Services Counsel**

Earlier this year, the SEC adopted new rules which take important steps to protect investors, enhance transparency, and improve market integrity. CFA applauds the SEC for addressing concerns related to illegal investment company practices within the Special Purpose Acquisition Company market.

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CFA Testifies Before DC Insurance Department on Holding Insurance Companies Accountable for Rising Costs

**By: Michael DeLong, Research and Advocacy Associate**

Michael DeLong, along with additional consumer advocates, called on the Insurance Department to release its report on unfair biases in auto insurance and urged the Committee to demand that insurance companies stop underwriting fossil fuel projects, which are driving climate change and resulting in increased home insurance premiums.

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