DEUTSCHE BANK AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT Form 305B2 December 16, 2016 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM T-1 STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY UNDER THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939 OF A CORPORATION DESIGNATED TO ACT AS TRUSTEE CHECK IF AN APPLICATION TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY OF A TRUSTEE PURSUANT TO **SECTION 305(b)(2) Delaware Trust Company** (Exact name of trustee as specified in its charter)

Delaware

51-0011500

(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organization if not a U.S. national bank) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**2711 Centerville Road** 

19808

Wilmington, Delaware

(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip code)	
Corporation Service Co	ompany	
2711 Centerville Road		
Wilmington, Delaware		
(800) 927-9801		
(Name, address and tel	ephone number of agent for service)	
Deutsche Bank Aktieng	gesellschaft	
(Exact name of obligor	as specified in its charter)	
Federal Republic of Ge (State or other jurisdic	ermany ection of incorporation of organization)	Not Applicable (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
Taunusanlage 12		
60325 Frankfurt am M	ain	
Germany		
(ph: +49-69-910-00)		
(Address of principal e	xecutive offices)	

### Senior Debt Securities of Deutsche Bank Aktiengesellschaft

 $( Title\ of\ the\ indenture\ securities)$ 

Item 1. General Information.
Furnish the following information as to the trustee:
(a) Name and address of each examining or supervising authority to which it is subject.  Office of the State Banking Commissioner  State of Delaware  555 East Loockerman Street  Dover, DE 19901
(b) Whether it is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.  The trustee is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.
Affiliations with Obligor.
Item 2.
If the obligor is an affiliate of the trustee, describe each such affiliation.
None with respect to the trustee.
Items 3-14.
No responses are included for Items 3–14 because the obligor is not in default as provided under Item 13.
Item 15. Foreign Trustee.
N. a. a. a. l. a. l. l.
Not applicable.
Item 16. List of Exhibits

List below all exhibits filed as a part of this Statement of Eligibility.

Exhibit 1. A copy of the Articles of Association of the trustee now in effect is contained in the Certificate of Incorporation.

Exhibit 2. A copy of the Certificate of Incorporation.

Exhibit 3. See Exhibit 2.

Exhibit 4. A copy of by-laws of the trustee as now in effect.

Exhibit 5. Not applicable.

Exhibit 6. The consent of the trustee required by Section 321(b) of the Act.

Exhibit A copy of the latest report of condition of the trustee published pursuant to law or the requirements of its supervising or examining authority.

Exhibit 8. Not applicable.

Exhibit 9. Not applicable.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, the trustee, Delaware Trust Company, a non-depository trust company and corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, has duly caused this statement of eligibility to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, all in the City of Wilmington and State of Delaware on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 2016.

DELAWARE TRUST COMPANY

/s/ William G. Popeo

Name: William G. Popeo

Title: President & CEO

EXHIBIT 6
December 14, 2016
Securities and Exchange Commission
Washington, D.C. 20549
Gentlemen:
In accordance with Section 321(b) of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, the undersigned hereby consents that reports of examination of the undersigned made by Federal, State, Territorial, or District authorities authorized to make such examination may be furnished by such authorities to the Securities and Exchange Commission upon its request therefor.
Very truly yours,
DELAWARE TRUST COMPANY
/s/ William G. Popeo Name: William G. Popeo
Title: President & CEO

#### **EXHIBIT 7**

Report of Condition of

**Delaware Trust Company** 

of 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 200, Wilmington, Delaware 19808

at the close of business September 30, 2016, filed in accordance with 5 Del. Laws, c.9, §904

Dollar Amounts In Thousands

#### **ASSETS**

Cash and balances due from depository institutions:

Noninterest-bearing balances and currency

and coin

Interest-bearing

balances

2,071

#### Securities:

Held-to-maturity

securities

Available-for-sale

securities

Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell:

Federal funds sold

in domestic offices

Securities purchased

under agreements to resell

Loans and lease financing

receivables:

Loans and leases held

for sale

Loans and leases, net of

unearned income

LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses
Loans and leases, net of unearned income and allowance

0

**Trading Assets** 

Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases) Other real estate owned

Investments in unconsolidated

subsidiaries and associated

companies

Direct and indirect investments in

real estate ventures Intangible assets

Goodwill

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Other intangible assets

Other assets 107,783

Total assets 109,854

Dollar Amounts In Thousands

#### LIABILITIES

Deposits:

In domestic offices

Noninterest-bearing Interest-bearing

In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs

Noninterest-bearing Interest-bearing

Federal funds purchased and securities sold

under agreements to repurchase:

Federal funds purchased in domestic offices

Securities sold under agreements to

repurchase

liabilities Other borrowed money (includes mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases) Subordinated notes and debentures Other 1,506 liabilities Total 1,506 liabilities **EQUITY CAPITAL** Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus Common 500 stock Surplus (exclude all surplus 105,501 related to preferred stock) Retained 2,347 earnings Accumulated other comprehensive income

Other equity capital components

Trading

108,348

Total institution equity capital Noncontrolling (minority) interests in consolidated subsidiaries	
Total	
equity	
capital	
TD 4 1	108,348
Total liabilities,	
and	109,854
equity	105,00
capital	
Report of Condition	h, CFO of the above-named State Non-Depository Trust Company, do hereby declare that this on has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the appropriate State regulatory ue to the best of my knowledge and belief.
/s/ Thomas C. Port	<u>th</u>
Thomas C. Porth	
CFO	
examined by us an	ed directors, attest to the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions opriate State regulatory authority and is true and correct.
/s/ William G Por	peo /s/ Ian R McConnel

William G. Popeo Ian R. McConnel