

SYMMETRICAL PREPAYMENT ADVANCE (SPA) FEATURE

The Federal Home Loan Bank of New York (FHLBNY) is pleased to announce members now have the ability, at the time of the trade, to add symmetry to certain advances with maturities of one year or greater. The SPA feature allows members to receive compensation for favorable changes in the Fair Value of an advance and adds flexibility to the suite of eligible advance products in a rising rate environment.

The symmetry feature will be available at the time of booking an advance transaction at a rate of an **additional two basis points** over an advance without symmetry.

SPA REGULAR ADVANCE — PRINCIPAL — PRINCIPAL — PREPAYMENT COST NET GAIN Minimum Transaction Size Minimum Partial Prepayment Size Advance Types with Symmetrical Prepayment Feature

If interest rates decline, a member would have to pay a fee in order to prepay an advance regardless of whether the SPA feature is in place. However, if interest rates rise, a potential net gain can be realized on an advance with symmetry, allowing a member to repay the advance at an amount below the outstanding par value.

The SPA option is available at the time of booking select advance transactions for a two basis point premium versus an advance without symmetry.

Terms	1 year up to 30 years - (term dictated by individual product limits)
Minimum Transaction Size	\$3 million
Minimum Partial Prepayment Size	\$3 million
Advance Types with Symmetrical Prepayment Feature	Fixed-Rate (non-amortizing) and Defined Maturity Fixed-Rate Structured Advances * Not available for Community Lending Program advances

\$ Potential Benefits to Members

- ✓ Provides more flexibility to the Balance Sheet (e.g. offset unrealized losses in the securities portfolio)
- ✓ Can potentially harvest gains during balanced sheet restructuring

HOW DOES THE SPA FEATURE WORK?

Market conditions today demand flexibility. The SPA feature was developed to provide an advance alternative for members looking for funding tools which offer greater flexibility in a rising rate environment. Members can use the SPA feature to meet their liquidity needs, and will retain the ability to prepay the advance. However, unlike all other advance products, changes in Fair Value of the advance which are favorable to the member may be captured at prepayment. In all cases, the member is still required to pay a minimum prepayment fee to ensure the FHLBNY's financial indifference to the prepayment of the advance. A portion of the prepayment fee may be eligible for the FHLBNY's Advance Rebate Program.

Interested in adding the SPA feature to your next qualified Fixed-Rate Advance? Contact a Relationship Manager at (212) 441-6700 or Member Services Desk at (212) 441 – 6600.

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