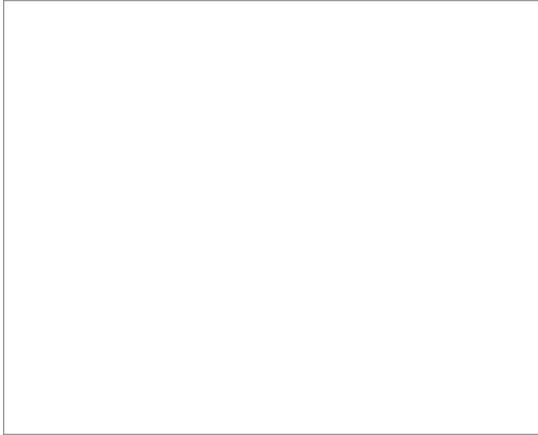




## 4. Signature Validation Program (SVP)

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### Signature Validation Program (SVP)

MFSC requires an original SVP stamp imprint on certain maintenance and nonfinancial requests for your protection. If you cannot obtain an SVP stamp, we will accept a signature guarantee stamp in lieu of it. The following institutions may be able to provide an SVP stamp or signature guarantee stamp: eligible bank, broker, dealer, credit union, national securities exchange registered securities association, clearing agency, or savings association. SVP stamps or signature guarantees shall be accepted in accordance with policies established by MFS Service Center, Inc. Notarization by a Notary Public is not acceptable in lieu of an SVP stamp or signature guarantee provided by one of the eligible guarantor institutions listed above.

**If you have any questions, please call 1-800-225-2606 any business day.**

#### Regular mail

MFS Service Center, Inc.  
P.O. Box 55824  
Boston, MA 02205-5824

#### Overnight mail

MFS Service Center, Inc  
c/o Boston Financial Data Services  
30 Dan Road  
Canton, MA 02021-2809

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### CHECK WRITING PROVISIONS

The payment of funds on the conditions set forth below is authorized by the shareholder's signature(s) appearing in Section 3. The registration of this checking account will be the same as the shareholder account registration. Each signatory guarantees the genuineness of the other's signature.

The bank is authorized by the person(s) signing this card ("depositor(s)") to honor any checks for not less than \$500 (or such other minimum or maximum amounts as may from time to time be established by the bank upon prior written notice to depositor(s)) presented against this checking account and is directed to forward copies of each check to the fund or its transfer agent as authority to reimburse the bank by redeeming a sufficient number of shares in the depositor's shareholder account with the fund. Deposits in this account may be made only from the proceeds of the redemption of fund shares.

Depositors will be subject to the bank's rules and regulations governing such checking accounts, including the right of the bank not to honor checks in the amounts exceeding the value of the depositor's shareholder account with the fund at the time the check is presented for payment.

1. Depositor(s) signing this card will receive an imaged copy of the cancelled check(s) monthly.
2. The bank reserves the right to modify or terminate this agreement at any time upon notification mailed to the address of record for the shareholder account.