FORM C: ABDC 2013 JOURNALS LIST REVIEW
RATING UPGRADE SUBMISSION

*** PLEASE NOTE THAT: FORM C is designed to formalise requests to the ABDC Journals Review Panel 2013 seeking an upgrade in rating of an academic journal which is currently included and rated in the ABDC 2010 list e.g. seeking to raise a rating from a "B" to an "A" journal. Please complete a separate form relating to each journal for which you wish to make a submission of this type.

Journal Title: Journal of Financial Services Research

QC1. FIELD of RESEARCH (FoR) PANEL to which this request is directed (tick one box only):

☐ 0806 Information Systems
☐ 1401-1499 Economics
☐ 1501 Accounting
☐ 1502 Finance
☐ 1503 Management
☐ 1504-07 Marketing/Tourism/Logistics
☐ 180105/1801025 Business and Taxation Law

QC2. WHAT ABDC 2013 RATING DO YOU PROPOSE FOR THIS JOURNAL?

☐ A*
☐ A
☐ B
☐ C

QC3. WHAT ABDC 2010 RATING WAS THIS JOURNAL ASSIGNED?

☐ A*
☐ A
☐ B
☐ C

QC4. WHAT ERA 2010 RATING WAS THIS JOURNAL ASSIGNED?

☐ A*
☐ A
☐ B
☐ C
☐ Not applicable

QC5. NOMINATE "THE BEST" COMPARATOR JOURNAL (journal from the ABDC 2010 list that is most similar in research quality): Journal of Business Finance and Accounting

QC6. JOURNAL INFORMATION
Editor's Name: Haluk Unal
Institution: University of Maryland
Web Address: http://www.springer.com/business+%26+management/finance/log

NATURE OF SUBMISSION

QC7. Primary submitter type (tick one box only)
☐ Higher Education Institutional Submission (e.g. formal submission from Business Faculty/School)
☐ Peak Body Submission (e.g. AFAANZ, ANZAM)
☐ Individual Submission

QC8. Primary submitter: Department of Accounting and Finance
Institutional Affiliation: Monash University

QC9. Are there other signatories to this submission?
☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, how many signatories are there (including the primary submitter)?
The journal of financial services research has Thomson Reuters JCR impact factor of 0.75. This is higher than other journals currently ranked A, such as Journal of Business Finance and Accounting (0.689), and Journal of Portfolio Management (0.431).
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: APPENDIX CHECKLIST

The ABDC invites further supplementary and supporting information to be submitted by way of appendices.

QC11. What supplementary information are you supplying (by way of appendices) to support your submission?

The following documents are attached in support of this application (please tick boxes as relevant):

- [ ] Appendix C1: List of Editorial Board Members
- [ ] Appendix C2: Description and Scope of Journal
- [ ] Appendix C3: Recommendations from eminent scholars in the relevant field
- [ ] Appendix C4: Comparisons with existing rated journals
- [ ] Appendix C5: Coverage in review articles
- [ ] Appendix C6: Impact Factors: SSCI or others
- [ ] Appendix C7: Other supporting documentation
- [ ] Appendix C8: Signatory Details – in cases where there are more than one signatory to the submission, list all signatory names and their university or relevant affiliations (this appendix should articulate with the answer given to QC9 above).
Appendix C1 List of editorial board members

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Appendix C2 Description and Scope of Journal

The *Journal of Financial Services Research* publishes high quality empirical and theoretical research on the demand, supply, regulation, and pricing of financial services. Financial services are broadly defined to include banking, risk management, capital markets, mutual funds, insurance, venture capital, consumer and corporate finance, and the technologies used to produce, distribute, and regulate these services. Macro-financial policy issues, including comparative financial systems, the globalization of financial services, and the impact of these phenomena on economic growth and financial stability, are also within the *JFSR*’s scope of interest. The Journal seeks to promote research that enriches the profession’s understanding of financial services industries, to elevate industry and product efficiencies, as well as to inform the debate and promote the formulation of sound public policies.

Appendix C6 Impact Factor

Thompson Reuters JCR impact factor (2011) : 0.75