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October 07, 2003

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-17f-2

Certificate of Accounting of Securities and Similar Investments in the Custody  
of Management Investment Companies

Pursuant to Rule 17f-2 [17 CFR 270, 17f-2]

1. Investment Company Act File Number: 33-44737  
Date examination completed: November 30, 2002

2. State Identification Number:

AL	AK	AZ	AR	CA	CO
CT	DE	DC	FL	GA	HI
ID	IL	IN	IA	KS	KY
LA	ME	MD	MA	MI	MN
MS	MO	MT	NE	NV	NH
NJ	NM	NY	NC	ND	OH
OK	OR	PA	RI	SC	SD
TN	TX	UT	VT	VA	WA
WV	WI	WY	PUERTO RICO		

Other (specify):

3. Exact number of investment company as specified in registration statement:  
REGIONS MORGAN KEEGAN SELECT FUNDS

4. Address of principal executive office:  
(number, street, city, state, zip code)

FEDERATED INVESTORS TOWER  
1001 LIBERTY AVENUE  
PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-3779

INSTRUCTIONS

This Form must be completed by the investment companies that have custody of securities or similar investments.

Investment Company

1. All items must be completed by the investment company.
2. Give this Form to the independent public accountant who, in compliance with Rule 17f-2 under the Act and applicable state law, examines securities and similar investments in the custody of the investment company.

Accountant

3. Submit this Form to the Securities and Exchange Commission and appropriate state securities administrators when filing the certificate of accounting required by Rule 17f-2 under the Act and applicable state law. File the original and one copy with the Securities and Exchange Commission's

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principal office in Washington, D.C., one copy with the regional office for the region in which the investment company's principal business operations are conducted, and one copy with the appropriate state administrator(s), if applicable.

THIS FORM MUST BE GIVEN TO YOUR INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

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### Report of Independent Accountants

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of The Regions Morgan Keegan Select Funds:

We have examined management's assertion, included in the accompanying Management Statement Regarding Compliance with Certain Provisions of the Investment Company Act of 1940, about the Regions Morgan Keegan Select Funds (comprised of the following portfolios: Regions Morgan Keegan Select Government Money Market Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Treasury Money Market Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Limited Maturity Government Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Fixed Income Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Balanced Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Value Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Growth Fund and Regions Morgan Keegan Select Aggressive Growth Fund, hereafter referred to as the "Funds") compliance with the requirements of subsections (b) and (c) of Rule 17f-2 under the Investment Company Act of 1940 ("the Act") as of November 30, 2002. Management is responsible for the Funds' compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on management's assertion about the Funds' compliance based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Funds' compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. Included among our procedures were the following tests performed as of November 30, 2002, and with respect to agreement of security purchases and sales, for the period from October 31, 2002 (the date of our last examination), through November 30, 2002:

- Confirmation of all securities held by institutions in book entry form at the Bank of New York
- Reconciliation of all such securities to the books and records of the Funds and Regions Bank (the Custodian);
- Confirmation of all repurchase agreements with brokers/banks and agreement of underlying collateral with Custodian records;
- Confirmation of all securities hypothecated, pledged, placed in escrow, or out for transfer with brokers, pledgees and/or transfer agents; and

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- Agreement of a selection of security purchases and a selection of security sales or maturities since our last report from the books and records of the Funds to broker confirmations.

We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on the Funds' compliance with specified requirements.

In our opinion, management's assertion that the Funds were in compliance with the requirements of subsections (b) and (c) of Rule 17f-2 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 as of November 30, 2002 with respect to securities reflected in the investment account of the Funds is fairly stated, in all material respects.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, and the Securities and Exchange Commission and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

/s/ PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP  
Baltimore, Maryland  
January 7, 2003

### Management Statement Regarding Compliance with Certain Provisions of the Investment Company Act of 1940

We, as members of management of the Regions Morgan Keegan Select Funds (comprised of the following portfolios: Regions Morgan Keegan Select Government Money Market Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Treasury Money Market Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Limited Maturity Government Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Fixed Income Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Balanced Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Value Fund, Regions Morgan Keegan Select Growth Fund and Regions Morgan Keegan Select Aggressive Growth Fund, hereafter referred to as the "Funds"), are responsible for complying with the requirements of subsections (b) and (c) of Rule 17f-2, Custody of Investments by Registered Management Investment Companies, of the Investment Company Act of 1940. We are also responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal controls over compliance with those requirements. We have performed an evaluation of the Funds' compliance with the requirements of subsections (b) and (c) of Rule 17f-2 as of November 30, 2002, and from October 31, 2002 through November 30, 2002.

Based on this evaluation, we assert that the Funds were in compliance with the requirements of subsections (b) and (c) of Rule 17f-2 of the Investment Company

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Act of 1940 as of November 30, 2002, and from October 31, 2002 through November 30, 2002, with respect to securities reflected in the investment account of the Funds.

By:

/s/ James M. Atkisson  
James M. Atkisson

Trust Operations Manager Mutual Fund  
Group

9/15/2003  
Date