

## Texas 50(a)(6) Refinance Checklist

Texas Section 50(a)(6) loan is a home equity/cash out refinance; a lien secured under the provisions of Article XVI, Section 50(a)(6) of the Texas Constitution, which allow a borrower to take equity out of a homestead property under certain conditions. Does not apply to investment properties.

Eligible Programs	
	Conventional Agency (AGN Program Codes)
Disclosure Requirements	
	Notice Concerning Extensions of Credit Defined by Section 50(a)(6), Article XVI, Texas Constitution Disclosure (12-Day Letter) has been provided within 3 business days* of the application date
	Underwriting Requirements
	Notice Concerning Extensions of Credit Defined by Section 50(a)(6), Article XVI, Texas
	Constitution Disclosure (12-Day Letter) is executed 12 business days* prior to note date (Spouse must sign)
	12 mos. seasoning required on existing mortgage from closing date
	Not allowed on student loan cash-out refinance feature code (SFC) 841
	Subordinate financing is not allowed
	Leasehold property not allowed
	Maximum LTV/CLTV is 80%
	Full Appraisal (PIW not Allowed)
	Primary Residence Only
	SFR, Condo & PUD Only
	Property Survey
	Affidavit Regarding Refinance of an Existing Home Equity Loan to a Non-Home Equity Loan –
	Section 50(a)(6) to 50(f)(2)
	No cash back allowed (principal reduction allowed based on principal reduction policy)
	Calculated total of fees does not exceed 2% of principal loan amount
	Black, Mann & Graham: Renewal and Extension Rider
	Black, Mann & Graham: Affidavit Made Pursuant to Subsection (f-1) of Section 50. Article XVI, of the Texas Constitution
	Polunsky Beitel Green: Renewal and Extension Rider (recommended for NOO, not required)
	Polunsky Beitel Green: Affidavit Regarding Refinance of an Existing Home Equity Loan to a Non-
	Home Equity Loan (50(a)(4))

<sup>\*</sup>Business Day: Under Title 7, Section 153.1(2) of the Texas Administrative Code, "business day" is defined as all calendar days except Sundays and federal public holidays.