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Lou Brenner is General Counsel of Navy Federal Credit Union. Mr. Brenner and his staff are responsible for all legal matters involving Navy Federal, and for managing all lawyers representing the credit union. His office oversees and identifies all legal issues in all departments of Navy Federal, and handles all litigation and administrative agency matters requiring the attention of attorneys. His team provides ad hoc consultative legal support to Navy Federal’s operational areas, and also serves in an advisory role on organization projects and initiatives.

Mr. Brenner received his Bachelor of Arts and Juris Doctor degrees from the University of Notre Dame and grew up in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Prior to joining Navy Federal in December of 2007, Mr. Brenner was a Senior Counsel and a co-founder of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. There, he was responsible for all DHS legal issues involving Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (“CFIUS”) and all other international trade matters, as well as a number of cross-border security issues involving Canada and other countries. Prior to his time at DHS, Mr. Brenner was a Senior Counsel for Enforcement at the United States Treasury Department, where he also worked on international trade and other enforcement matters. Mr. Brenner started his career at the United States Customs Service, working for its Chief Counsel.

Mr. Brenner is married to the former Monika Rice of Fairfax, Virginia. They have two children, Erik and Nick.