

facsimile at (703) 414-1203, or by mail at the following address: Commission on the Intelligence Capabilities of the United States Regarding Weapons of Mass Destruction, Washington, DC, 20503. Comments also may be sent to the Commission by e-mail at comments@wmd.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Contact Brett C. Gerry, Associate General Counsel, Commission on the Intelligence Capabilities of the United States Regarding Weapons of Mass Destruction, by facsimile, or by telephone at (703) 414-1200.

Victor E. Bernson, Jr.,

Executive Office of the President, Office of Administration, General Counsel.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The application also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than July 1, 2004.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Tracy Basinger, Director, Regional and Community Bank Group) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105-1579:

1. *BNP Paribas*, Paris, France, and BancWest Corporation, Honolulu, Hawaii; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of USDB Bancorp, Stockton, California, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Union Safe Deposit Bank, Stockton, California.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 1, 2004.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Consumer Advisory Council

ACTION: Notice of Meeting of Consumer Advisory Council

The Consumer Advisory Council will meet on Thursday, June 24, 2004. The meeting, which will be open to public observation, will take place at the Federal Reserve Board's offices in Washington, D.C., in Dining Room E on the Terrace level of the Martin Building. Anyone planning to attend the meeting should, for security purposes, register no later than Tuesday, June 22, by completing the form found on-line at:

<https://www.federalreserve.gov/secure/forms/cacregistration.cfm>

Additionally, attendees must present photo identification to enter the building.

The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. and is expected to conclude at 1:00 p.m. The Martin Building is located on C Street, NW, between 20th and 21st Streets.

The Council's function is to advise the Board on the exercise of the Board's responsibilities under various consumer financial services laws and on other matters on which the Board seeks its advice. Time permitting, the Council will discuss the following topics:

Courtesy Overdraft Protection: Discussion of the proposed rules for bounced check protection programs under Regulation DD (Truth in Savings Act) and interagency guidance for financial institutions.

Foreign Bank Remittances and Access to Financial Services by New Immigrants: Discussion of challenges and opportunities to provide access to U.S. financial services for new immigrants.

Economic Growth and Regulatory Paperwork Reduction Act of 1996:

Discussion of views on ways to reduce regulatory compliance burdens consistent with the consumer protections afforded by the rules under various statutes.

Community Reinvestment Act:

Discussion of the major aspects of the agencies' proposal to revise the CRA regulations, based on public comment letters received.

Committee Reports: Council committees will report on their work.

Other matters initiated by Council members also may be discussed.

Persons wishing to submit views to the Council on any of the above topics may do so by sending written statements to Ann Bistay, Secretary of the Consumer Advisory Council, Division of Consumer and Community Affairs, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551. Information about this meeting may be obtained from Ms. Bistay, 202-452-6470.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 1, 2004.

Robert deV. Frierson

Deputy Secretary of the Board

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

[Docket No. OP-1201]

Privacy Act of 1974; Notice of Amendment of System of Records

AGENCY: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

ACTION: Notice: amendment of systems of records.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Privacy Act, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) is amending one system of records, entitled Federal Reserve Bank and Branch Directors (BGFRS-14), and removing another system of records, entitled Personnel Background Investigation Reports (BGFRS-2). We invite public comment on this publication.

DATES: Comment must be received on or before July 7, 2004.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. OP-1201, by any of the following methods:

- Agency Web Site: <http://www.federalreserve.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments at <http://www.federalreserve.gov/generalinfo/foia/ProposedRegs.cfm>.

• Federal Rulemaking Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

• E-mail: regs.comments@federalreserve.gov. Include docket number in the subject line of the message.

• FAX: 202/452-3819 or 202/452-3102.

• Mail: Jennifer J. Johnson, Secretary, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 20th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20551.

All public comments are available from the Board's web site at www.federalreserve.gov/generalinfo/foia/ProposedRegs.cfm as submitted, except as necessary for technical reasons. Accordingly, your comments will not be edited to remove any identifying or contact information. Public comments may also be viewed electronically or in paper in Room MP-500 of the Board's Martin Building (20th and C Streets, N.W.) between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Elaine M. Boutilier, Managing Senior Counsel, (202/452-2418), Legal Division. For the hearing impaired only, contact Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD)(202/263-4869).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: These two systems have not been updated for several years. The system entitled Personnel Background Investigation Reports (BGFRS-2) covers records contained in OPM/CENTRAL-9, which is a government-wide system maintained by the Office of Personnel Management. Accordingly, the Board's system is being removed as duplicative and unnecessary.

The Federal Reserve Bank and Branch Directors system is being amended to reflect changes in storage methods and other procedures and to include appropriate routine uses.

In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552a(r), a report of these amended systems of records is being filed with the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget. These amendments will become effective on July 26, 2004, without further notice, unless the Board publishes a notice to the contrary in the Federal Register.

Accordingly, the system of records entitled Personnel Background Investigation Reports (BGFRS-2) is removed, and the system of records entitled Federal Reserve Bank and Branch Directors (BGFRS-14) is amended as follows.

BGFRS 14

SYSTEM NAME:

Federal Reserve Bank and Branch Directors

SYSTEM LOCATION:

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 20th and Constitution, NW, Washington, DC 20551

CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

Past and present Federal Reserve Bank and Branch directors.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

Biographical sketches or resumes of Federal Reserve Bank and Branch directors, appointment and acceptance letters, oaths of office, and letters of resignation.

AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

Sections 3, 4 and 11 of the Federal Reserve Act (12 USC §§ 521; 301 – 305; and 248(f)).

ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES.

a. To disclose pertinent information to the appropriate federal, state, or local agency responsible for investigation, prosecuting, enforcing, or implementing a statute, rule, regulation, or order, where the Board becomes aware of an indication of a violation or potential violation of civil or criminal law or regulation.

b. To disclose information to another federal agency, to a court, or to a party in litigation before a court or in an administrative proceeding being conducted by a federal agency when the Board or Federal government is a party to the judicial or administrative proceeding.

c. To provide information to a congressional office from the record of an individual in response to an inquiry from that congressional office made at the request of that individual.

d. To disclose, in response to a request for discovery or for appearance of a witness, information that is relevant to the subject matter involved in a pending judicial or administrative proceeding.

e. To disclose information to officials of state or local bar associations or disciplinary boards or committees when they are investigating complaints against attorneys in connection with their representation of a party before the Board, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, or a court.

f. To disclose information to any source from which additional information is requested (to the extent

necessary to identify the individual, inform the source of the purpose(s) of the request, and to identify the type of information requested), when necessary to obtain information relevant to a Board decision to issue a security clearance, conduct a security or suitability investigation of an individual, classify jobs, let a contract, or issue a license, grant, or other benefits.

g. To disclose to a Federal Reserve Bank or a federal agency in the executive, legislative, or judicial branch of government, in response to its request information in connection with the hiring of an employee, the issuance of a security clearance, the conducting of a security or suitability investigation of an individual, the classifying of jobs, or the lawful statutory, administrative, or investigative purpose of the Federal Reserve Bank or agency to the extent that the information is relevant or necessary to the requesting Federal Reserve Bank's or agency's decision or action.

h. To disclose information to Federal Reserve Banks, contractors, or agents in connection with work performed on behalf of the Board.

i. To disclose information to the National Archives and Records Administration in connection with records management inspections and its role as Archivist.

POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR STORING, RETRIEVING, ACCESSING, RETAINING AND DISPOSING OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM.

Storage. In paper and electronic format.

Retrievability. Indexed by name, Federal Reserve district and class of director.

Safeguards. Paper copies are locked in file cabinets. Access to both paper copies and electronic information is limited to authorized Board staff.

Retention and disposal. Files are to be retained a minimum of five years, and then destroyed when no longer needed for administrative or reference purposes.

SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:

Secretary of the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 20th and Constitution, NW, Washington, DC 20551.

NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:

Inquiries should be sent to the Secretary of the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 20th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20551. The request should contain the individual's name, approximate date of record, applicable Federal Reserve district, and type of director position.

RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

Same as "Notification procedure" above.

CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

Same as "Notification procedure" above.

RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

Generated by individual's incoming correspondence and staff response thereto.

SYSTEMS EXEMPTED FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE ACT.

None

By order of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 1, 2004.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Extension; Correction**

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission ("FTC" or "Commission").

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: The Federal Trade Commission published a document in the **Federal Register** of May 17, 2004, seeking public comments on its proposal to extend through August 31, 2007, the current Paperwork Reduction Act clearance for information collection requirements contained in its regulations under the Comprehensive Smokeless Tobacco Health Education Act of 1986 ("Smokeless Tobacco Act" or the "Act"). The document contained an incorrect matter number and did not include an e-mail address for submitting public comments in electronic form.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the proposed information requirements should be addressed to Rosemary Rosso, Attorney, Division of Advertising Practices, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC 20580, (202) 326-2174.

Correction

In the **Federal Register** of May 17, 2004, in FR Doc. 04-11101, on page 27926, in the second column, correct the **ADDRESSES** caption to read:

ADDRESSES: Interested parties are invited to submit written comments. Comments should refer to "Smokeless tobacco Regulations: Paperwork

Comment, [R01009]" to facilitate the organization of comments. A comment filed in paper form should include this reference both in the text and on the envelope, and should be mailed or delivered to the following address: Federal Trade Commission/Office of the Secretary, Room H-159, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20580. If the comment contains any material for which confidential treatment is requested, it must be filed in paper (rather than electronic) form, and the first page of the document must be clearly labeled "Confidential."¹ The FTC is requesting that any comment filed in paper form be sent by courier or overnight service, if possible, because U.S. postal mail in the Washington area and at the Commission is subject to delay due to heightened security precautions. Comments filed in electronic form (except comments containing any confidential material) should be sent to the following e-mail box: smokelesstobacco@ftc.gov.

The FTC Act and other laws the Commission administers permit the collection of public comments to consider and use in this proceeding as appropriate. All timely and responsive public comments, whether filed in paper or electronic form, will be considered by the Commission, and will be available to the public on the FTC Web site, to the extent practicable, at <http://www.ftc.gov>. As a matter of discretion, the FTC makes every effort to remove home contact information for individuals from the public comments it receives before placing those comments on the FTC Web site. More information, including routine uses permitted by the Privacy Act, may be found in the FTC's privacy policy, at <http://www.ftc.gov/ftc/privacy.htm>.

Donald S. Clark,

Secretary.

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GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE**Appointments to the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission**

AGENCY: General Accounting Office (GAO).

¹ Commission Rule 4.2(d), 16 CFR 4.2(d). The comment must be accompanied by an explicit request for confidential treatment, including the factual and legal basis for the request, and must identify the specific portions of the comment to be withheld from the public record. The request will be granted or denied by the Commission's General Counsel, consistent with applicable law and the public interest. See Commission Rule 4.9(c), 16 CFR 4.9(c).

ACTION: Notice of appointments.

SUMMARY: The Balanced Budget Act of 1997 established the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission (MedPAC) and gave the Comptroller General responsibility for appointing its members. This notice announces four new appointments and two reappointments to fill the vacancies occurring this year.

DATES: Appointments are effective May 1, 2004 through April 30, 2007.

ADDRESSES: GAO: 441 G Street, NW., Washington, DC 20548. MedPAC: 601 New Jersey Avenue, NW., Suite 9000, Washington, DC 20001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

GAO: Molly Ryan, (202) 512-3592. MedPAC: Mark E. Miller, Ph.D., (202) 220-3700.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: To fill this year's vacancies I am announcing the following:

Newly appointed members are John M. Bertko, F.S.A., M.A.A.A., vice president and chief actuary, Humana Inc.; Francis J. Crosson, M.D., executive director, the Permanente Federation, LLC; Arnold Milstein, M.D., M.P.H., medical director, Pacific Business Group on Health and U.S. health care thought leader, Mercer Human Resource Consulting; and William J. Scanlon, Ph.D., health policy consultant. Reappointed members are Sheila P. Burke, M.P.A., R.N., under secretary for American museums and national programs, Smithsonian Institution; and Ralph W. Muller, chief executive officer, University of Pennsylvania Health System.

(Sec. 4022, Pub. L. 105-33, 111 Stat. 251, 350)

David M. Walker,

Comptroller General of the United States.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**Office of the Secretary**

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Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary; HHS.

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of the Secretary (OS), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of