- 3. Provide copies of any technical information and/or data that you used to support your views.
- 4. Provide specific examples to illustrate your concerns and suggest alternatives.
- 5. To ensure proper receipt by the EPA, be sure to identify the Docket ID number assigned to this action in the subject line on the first page of your response. You may also provide the name, date, and Federal Register citation.

## D. How may I participate in this meeting?

You may participate in this meeting by following the instructions in this section. To ensure proper receipt by the EPA, it is imperative that you identify Docket ID number EPA-HQ-ORD-2012-0718 in the subject line on the

first page of your request.

1. Oral comments. Requests to present oral comments will be accepted up to Thursday, October 25, 2012. To the extent that time permits, interested persons who have not pre-registered may be permitted by the Chair of the HSRB to present oral comments at the meeting. Each individual or group wishing to make brief oral comments to the HSRB is strongly advised to submit their request (preferably via email) to Jim Downing or Lu-Ann Kleibacker, under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT no later than noon, Eastern Time, Thursday, October 25, 2012, in order to be included on the meeting agenda and to provide sufficient time for the HSRB Chair and HSRB Designated Federal Official to review the meeting agenda to provide an appropriate public comment period. The request should identify the name of the individual making the presentation and the organization (if any) the individual will represent. Oral comments before the HSRB are generally limited to five minutes per individual or organization. Please note that this includes all individuals appearing either as part of, or on behalf of, an organization. While it is our intent to hear a full range of oral comments on the science and ethics issues under discussion, it is not our intent to permit organizations to expand the time limitations by having numerous individuals sign up separately to speak on their behalf. If

2. Written comments. Submit your written comments prior to the meeting. For the Board to have the best opportunity to review and consider your comments as it deliberates on its report, you should submit your comments at

additional time is available, further

public comments may be possible.

least five business days prior to the beginning of this meeting. If you submit comments after this date, those comments will be provided to the Board members, but you should recognize that the HSRB members may not have adequate time to consider those comments prior to making a decision. Thus, if you plan to submit written comments, the agency strongly encourages you to submit such comments no later than noon, Eastern Time, Thursday, October 25, 2012. You should submit your comments using the instructions in Section I., under subsection C., "What Should I Consider as I Prepare My Comments for the EPA?" In addition, the agency also requests that persons submitting comments directly to the docket also provide a copy of their comments to Jim Downing or Lu-Ann Kleibacker listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT. There is no limit on the length of written comments for consideration by the HSRB.

### E. Background

The HSRB is a Federal advisory committee operating in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act 5 U.S.C. App. 2 § 9. The HSRB provides advice, information, and recommendations to the EPA on issues related to scientific and ethical aspects of human subjects research. The major objectives of the HSRB are to provide advice and recommendations on: (1) Research proposals and protocols; (2) reports of completed research with human subjects; and (3) how to strengthen EPA's programs for protection of human subjects of research. The HSRB reports to the EPA Administrator through the Agency's Science Advisor.

1. Topics for discussion. At its meeting on November 1, 2012, EPA's Human Studies Review Board will consider scientific and ethical issues surrounding this topic:

a. A completed study report from the Antimicrobial Exposure Assessment Task Force II (AEATF) in which the dermal and inhalation exposure of professional janitorial workers was monitored as they poured liquid antimicrobial pesticide products from conventional or reduced-splash containers into different sizes and types of source containers. EPA seeks the advice of the HSRB on the scientific soundness of this completed research and on its appropriateness for use in estimating exposure that results from pouring liquid antimicrobial pesticide products. EPA also seeks the advice of the HSRB on whether available information supports a determination

that the study was conducted in substantial compliance with subparts K and L of 40 CFR part 26.

2. Meeting minutes and reports. Minutes of the meeting, summarizing the matters discussed and recommendations, if any, made by the advisory committee regarding such matters, will be released within 90 calendar days of the meeting. Such minutes will be available at http:// www.epa.gov/osa/hsrb/ and http:// www.regulations.gov. In addition, information regarding the Board's final meeting report will be found at http://www.epa.gov/osa/hsrb/ or from the person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

Dated: September 25, 2012.

Glenn Paulson,

Science Advisor.

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# FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

## Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of a Bank or **Bank Holding Company**

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire shares of a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notices also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than October 17, 2012.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of New York (Ivan Hurwitz, Vice President) 33 Liberty Street, New York, New York 10045-0001:

1. Muhammad Habib. Kusnacht. Switzerland, and Hamza Habib, Dubai, U.A.E. United Arab Emirates; to retain a controlling interest in Maham Beteiligungsgessellschaft AG, Zurich, Switzerland, and thereby indirectly retain control of Habib American Bank, New York, New York.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago (Colette A. Fried, Assistant Vice President) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1414:

1. Voting Trust and David E. Kirschner, as trustee, both of

Springfield, Illinois; to join the existing Kirschner Family Control Group by acquiring voting shares of Town and Country Financial Corporation, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Town and Country Bank, both in Springfield, Illinois, and Logan County Bank, Lincoln, Illinois.

- C. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Kenneth Binning, Vice President, Applications and Enforcement) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105–1579:
- 1. Tieming Chen, Missouri, Texas; to acquire voting shares of Orient Bancorporation, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Bank of the Orient, both in San Francisco, California.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, September 27, 2012.

### Robert deV. Frierson,

Secretary of the Board.

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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 applications will also 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.

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 October 27, 2012.

- A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Chapelle Davis, Assistant Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, NE., Atlanta, Georgia 30309:
- 1. Independent Bancshares, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan, Red Bay, Alabama; to acquire an additional 1.5 percent, for a total of 48 percent, of the voting shares of Independent Bancshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire additional voting shares of Community Spirit Bank, both in Red Bay, Alabama.
- B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Dennis Denney, Assistant Vice President) 1 Memorial Drive, Kansas City, Missouri 64198–0001:
- 1. Luxury Development Partners, Inc., Wichita, Kansas; to become a bank holding company by acquiring, together with its owners, more than 25 percent of the voting shares Community State Bancshares, and Community State Bank, both in Wichita, Kansas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, September 27, 2012.

#### Robert deV. Frierson,

Secretary of the Board.

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

# Notice of Proposals To Engage in or To Acquire Companies Engaged in Permissible Nonbanking Activities

The companies listed in this notice have given notice under section 4 of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1843) (BHC Act) and Regulation Y, (12 CFR part 225) to engage de novo, or to acquire or control voting securities or assets of a company, including the companies listed below, that engages either directly or through a subsidiary or other company, in a nonbanking activity that is listed in § 225.28 of Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.28) or that the Board has determined by Order to be closely related to banking and permissible for bank holding companies. Unless otherwise noted, these activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Each notice is available for inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notice also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the question whether the proposal complies with the standards of section 4 of the BHC Act.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding the applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than October 27, 2012.

- A. Federal Reserve Bank of New York (Ivan Hurwitz, Vice President) 33 Liberty Street, New York, New York 10045–0001:
- 1. M&T Bank Corporation, Buffalo, New York, and Wilmington Trust Corporation, Wilmington, Delaware; to acquire Hudson City Bancorp, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire Hudson City Savings Bank, FSB, both in Paramus, New Jersey, and thereby engage in operating a savings association, pursuant to section 225.28(b)(4)(ii).

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, September 27, 2012.

### Robert deV. Frierson,

Secretary of the Board.

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### **FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**

[File No. 112 3151]

Proposed Consent Agreements:
DesignerWare, LLC, Timothy Kelly and
Ronald P. Koller, Aspen Way
Enterprises, Inc., Watershed
Development Corp., et al.; Analysis of
Proposed Consent Orders To Aid
Public Comment

**AGENCY:** Federal Trade Commission. **ACTION:** Proposed consent agreements.

Overview Information: DesignerWare, LLC; Timothy Kelly and Ronald P. Koller; Aspen Way Enterprises, Inc.; Watershed Development Corp., also doing business as Watershed and Aaron's Sales and Lease Ownership; Showplace, Inc., also doing business as Showplace Rent-to-Own and Showplace Lease/Purchase; J.A.G. Rents, LLC, also doing business as ColorTyme; Red Zone Investment Group, Inc., also doing business as ColorTyme; B. Stamper Enterprises, Inc., also doing business as Premier Rental Purchase; and C.A.L.M. Ventures, Inc., also doing business as Premier Rental Purchase; Analysis of Proposed Consent Orders to Aid Public Comment.

SUMMARY: The consent agreements in these matters settle alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair or deceptive acts or practices or unfair methods of competition. The attached Analysis to Aid Public Comment describes both the allegations in the draft complaints and the terms of the consent orders—embodied in the consent agreements—that would settle these allegations.

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before October 25, 2012.