

U.S.C. 78q-1(c)) as amended by the Securities Acts Amendments of 1975. The Federal Reserve is authorized to collect these data from state member banks or their subsidiaries, and BHCs or their subsidiaries (except national banks and state nonmember banks that are insured by the FDIC) by 15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(34)(B)(ii). The data collected are not given confidential treatment.

**Abstract:** Banks, BHCs, and trust companies subject to the Federal Reserve's supervision that are low-volume transfer agents voluntarily file the notice on occasion with the Federal Reserve. Transfer agents are institutions that provide securities transfer, registration, monitoring, and other specified services on behalf of securities issuers. The purpose of the notice, which is effective until the agent withdraws it, is to claim exemption from certain rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). The Federal Reserve uses the notices for supervisory purposes because the SEC has assigned to the Federal Reserve responsibility for collecting the notices and verifying their accuracy through examinations of the respondents. There is no formal reporting form and each notice is filed as a letter.

**Current Actions:** On March 31, 2010, the Federal Reserve published a notice in the **Federal Register** (75 FR 16120) seeking public comment for 60 days on the extension, without revision, of the Notice Claiming Status as an Exempt Transfer Agent. The comment period for this notice expired on June 1, 2010. The Federal Reserve did not receive any comments.

6. **Report title:** Investment in Bank Premises Notification.

**Agency form number:** FR 4014.

**OMB control number:** 7100-0139.

**Frequency:** On occasion.

**Reporters:** SMBs.

**Annual reporting hours:** 7 hours.

**Estimated average hours per response:** 30 minutes.

**Number of respondents:** 13.

**General description of report:** This information collection is required to obtain a benefit pursuant to Section 24A(a) of the Federal Reserve Act (12 U.S.C. 371d(a)) and is not given confidential treatment. However, a respondent may request confidential treatment for all or part of a notification, which would be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

**Abstract:** The Federal Reserve Act requires an SMB to seek prior Federal Reserve approval before making an investment in bank premises that exceeds certain thresholds. There is no formal reporting form, and each

required request for prior approval must be filed as a notification with the appropriate Reserve Bank of the SMB. The Federal Reserve uses the information provided in the notice to fulfill its statutory obligation to supervise SMBs.

**Current Actions:** On March 31, 2010, the Federal Reserve published a notice in the **Federal Register** (75 FR 16120) seeking public comment for 60 days on the extension, without revision, of the Investment in Bank Premises Notification. The comment period for this notice expired on June 1, 2010. The Federal Reserve did not receive any comments.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 10, 2010.

**Jennifer J. Johnson,**

*Secretary of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

### Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisition of Shares of Bank or Bank Holding Companies

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 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 office 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 June 30, 2010.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta** (Clifford Stanford, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30309:

1. **Chittranjan Kashavji Thakkar,** Alpharetta, Georgia; to acquire additional voting shares of Hometown Community Bancshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire additional voting shares of Hometown Community Bank, both of Braselton, Georgia.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 10, 2010.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

### Notice of Proposals to Engage in Permissible Nonbanking Activities or to Acquire Companies that are 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. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at [www.ffiec.gov/nic/](http://www.ffiec.gov/nic/).

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 July 9, 2010.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland** (Nadine Wallman, Vice President) 1455 East Sixth Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44101-2566:

1. **First Southern Bancorp, Inc.,** Stanford, Kentucky; to acquire up to 24.99 percent of the voting shares of CKF Bancorp, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Central Kentucky Federal Savings Bank, both of Danville, Kentucky, and thereby engage in operating a savings and loan association, pursuant to section 225.28(b)(4)(ii) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 10, 2010.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Board.*

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