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 September 9,

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Mark A. Rauzi, Vice President) 90 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480–0291:

1. Bancommunity Service Corporation, St. Peter, Minnesota; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of State Bank of Belle Plaine, Belle Plaine, Minnesota.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (David L. Hubbard, Senior Manager) P.O. Box 442, St. Louis, Missouri 63166–2034. Comments can also be sent electronically to

Comments.applications@stls.frb.org:

1. Simmons First National
Corporation, Pine Bluff, Arkansas; to
merge with The Landrum Company, and
thereby indirectly acquire Landmark
Bank, both of Columbia, Missouri.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Kathryn Haney, Assistant Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30309. Comments can also be sent electronically to Applications.Comments@atl.frb.org:

1. West Florida Bank Corporation, Palm Harbor, Florida; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Flagship Community Bank, Clearwater, Florida.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, August 6, 2019.

#### Yao-Chin Chao,

Assistant Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 2019–17107 Filed 8–8–19; 8:45 am]

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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 August 23, 2019.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Kathryn Haney, Assistant Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30309. Comments can also be sent electronically to Applications. Comments@atl.frb.org:

1. Anna Laurie Bryant McKibbens, Eutaw, Alabama; Mae Martin Bryant Murray, Mobile, Alabama; and Stella Gray Bryant Sykes, Madison, Mississippi; as a group to acquire voting shares of First Dozier Bancshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire shares of First National Bank of Dozier, both of Dozier, Alabama.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia (William Spaniel, Senior Vice President) 100 North 6th Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19105— 1521. Comments can also be sent electronically to

Comments.applications@phil.frb.org:
1. Andrew S. Samuel, Jane Samuel, both of Dillsburg, Pennsylvania; individually and as a group acting in concert with Alexandria Hart, Shane Sinclair and Beulha Sigamony, all of Dillsburg, Pennsylvania; to acquire voting shares of LINKBANCORP, Inc., Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, and thereby indirectly acquire shares of LINKBANK, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, August 6, 2019.

#### Yao-Chin Chao,

Assistant Secretary of the Board.
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### FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

[Docket No. OP-1670]

# Federal Reserve Actions To Support Interbank Settlement of Faster Payments

**AGENCY:** Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) has determined that the Federal Reserve Banks (Reserve Banks) should develop a new interbank 24x7x365 real-time gross settlement service with integrated

clearing functionality to support faster payments in the United States. The new service would support depository institutions' provision of end-to-end faster payment services and would provide infrastructure to promote ubiquitous, safe, and efficient faster payments in the United States. In addition, the Federal Reserve intends to explore expanded hours for the Fedwire® Funds Service and the National Settlement Service, up to 24x7x365, to support a wide range of payment activities, including liquidity management in private-sector real-time gross settlement services for faster payments. Subject to the outcome of additional analysis of relevant operational, risk, and policy considerations, the Board will seek public comment separately on plans to expand hours for the Fedwire Funds Service and the National Settlement Service.

**DATES:** Comments on the proposed actions must be received on or before November 7, 2019.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. OP–1670, by any of the following methods:

• Agency website: http:// www.federalreserve.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments at http://www.federalreserve.gov/ generalinfo/foia/ProposedRegs.cfm.

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

• FÄX: (202) 452–3819 or (202) 452–3102.

 Mail: Ann Misback, Secretary, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 20th Street and Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20551.

All public comments will be made available on the Board's website at http://www.federalreserve.gov/generalinfo/foia/ProposedRegs.cfm as submitted, unless modified for technical reasons or to remove personally identifiable information at the commenter's request. Accordingly, comments will not be edited to remove any identifying or contact information. Public comments may also be viewed electronically or in paper in Room 146, 1709 New York Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20006, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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