

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, May 4, 2004.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy 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 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 June 3, 2004.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Sue Costello, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30303:

1. *NSB Holdings, Inc.*, Macon, Georgia; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of New Southern Bank, Macon, Georgia.

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

1. *Koss-Winn Bancshares, Inc.*, *Employee Stock Ownership Plan with*

401(K) Provisions, Buffalo Center, Iowa; to acquire additional voting shares of Koss-Winn Bancshares, Inc., Buffalo Center, Iowa, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Farmers Trust & Savings Bank, Buffalo Center, Iowa.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Jacqueline G. Nicholas, Community Affairs Officer) 90 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. *Waumandee Bancshares, Ltd.*, Waumandee, Wisconsin; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of First State Bank, Fountain City, Wisconsin.

D. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Donna J. Ward, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *Centennial C Corp.*, Rancho Santa Fe, California; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Centennial Bank Holdings, Inc., Fort Collins, Colorado, and Centennial Bank of the West, Fort Collins, Colorado.

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FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

Sunshine Act; Meeting

TIME AND DATE: 9 a.m. (PDT), May 17, 2004.

PLACE: Barclays Global Investors, 34th Floor Main Board Room, 45 Fremont Street, San Francisco, CA 94105.

STATUS: Parts will be open to the public and parts closed to the public.

Matters To Be Considered

Parts Open to the Public

1. Approval of the minutes of the April 19, 2004, Board member meeting.
2. Thrift Savings Plan activity report by the Executive Director.

Parts Closed to the Public

3. Personnel matters.
4. Procurement issues.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Thomas J. Trabucco, Director, Office of External Affairs, (202) 942-1640.

Dated: May 6, 2004.

Elizabeth S. Woodruff,

Secretary to the Board, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Program Announcement 04110]

Addressing Emerging Infectious Diseases in Bangladesh; Notice of Intent To Fund Single Eligibility Award

A. Purpose

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the intent to fund fiscal year (FY) 2004 funds for a cooperative agreement program to strengthen the capacity in Bangladesh to detect and evaluate emerging infectious diseases and to evaluate new vaccines and other interventions that may offer approaches toward their prevention. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number for this program is 93.283.

B. Eligible Applicant

Assistance will be provided only to the International Centre for Diarrhoeal Disease Research, Bangladesh (ICDDR,B). Eligibility is limited to ICDDR,B because:

- Activities to be supported under this program include both new projects and follow-on of projects previously conducted at ICDDR,B that are dependent upon established ICDDR,B surveillance systems in special populations in Bangladesh, including in an urban slum area (Kamalapur), rural sites (Abhoynagar and Mirsarai), and a network of hospitals and health centers. No other organization has access to these surveillance systems and so only ICDDR,B can conduct the activities.

- ICDDR,B is the only known institution in Bangladesh which possesses the scientific and management capability to meet program requirements without jeopardizing or compromising the quality of the research and other activities. ICDDR,B was established in 1978 and includes a mix of national and international staff, including public health scientists, laboratory scientists, clinicians, epidemiologists, information technology professionals, and experts in emerging infectious diseases and vaccine sciences, etc. ICDDR,B collaborates with the Bangladesh Ministry of Health, universities, community groups, private industry, U.S. governmental institutions (e.g., USAID), governments of other countries, and others to study and address infectious disease health problems in Bangladesh and the surrounding region, leading to solutions that can be applied in developing countries worldwide.

- ICDDR,B offers special opportunities for furthering research, surveillance, and prevention and control programs in Bangladesh through the use of unusual talent resources and access to established unique study populations in areas with appropriate environmental conditions for studying the diseases of interest in this program. ICDDR,B has established multiple field sites and surveillance systems in Bangladesh that are critical for carrying out research and other activities addressing emerging infectious diseases.

- ICDDR,B is conveniently located in Dhaka and has adequate space, including office space, laboratories, meeting space, and capacity to expand to accommodate additional staff.

- ICDDR,B has a multiple project assurance, has mechanisms in place for local ethical review of research proposals (for multi-site studies), and has a recognized Institutional Review Board. This further defines their knowledge and capabilities in research.

C. Funding

Approximately \$250,000 is available in FY 2004 to fund this award. It is expected that the award will begin on or before August 1, 2004 and will be made for a 12-month budget period within a project period of up to five years. Funding estimates may change.

D. Where To Obtain Additional Information

For general comments or questions about this announcement, contact: Technical Information Management, CDC Procurement and Grants Office, 2920 Brandywine Road, Atlanta, GA 30341-4146, Telephone 770-488-2700.

For technical questions about this program, contact: Greg Jones, Extramural Project Officer, National Center for Infectious Diseases, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road, NE., Mailstop C-19, Telephone: 404-639-4180, E-mail: gjj1@cdc.gov.

William P. Nichols,

Acting Director, Procurement and Grants Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

BECAUSE Kids Count! (Building and Enhancing Community Alliances United for Safety and Empowerment)

Announcement Type: New.
Funding Opportunity Number: 04142.
Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number: 93.136.
Key Dates:
Letter of Intent Deadline: May 25, 2004.
Application Deadline: July 9, 2004.

I. Funding Opportunity Description

Authority: This program is authorized under section 317(k)(2) of the Public Health Service Act, (42 U.S.C. 247b(k)(2)).

Purpose: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the availability of fiscal year (FY) 2004 cooperative agreement funds to build or expand the capacity of national organizations and their state, local, regional and/or tribal affiliates to address the prevention of child maltreatment, which includes physical abuse, emotional abuse, neglect, and sexual abuse. Research suggests that these areas of violence have risk and protective factors across multiple domains of influence as represented by the ecological model presented in the World Report on Violence and Health (Krug *et al.*, 2002) including individual, relationship, community and societal levels. Violence prevention efforts in child maltreatment include activities that are aimed at addressing the individual, relationship, community and societal factors of potential victims, perpetrators and bystanders.

The specific purposes of this funding are to:

1. Provide an opportunity for national organizations to expand their leadership role in addressing the prevention of child maltreatment by disseminating the key concepts of prevention, evaluation, and the ecological model, models for community assessment and action, and evidence-based prevention strategies within their own organizations. An emphasis will be placed on preventing child maltreatment before it occurs.
2. Foster effective collaborations within the organizations and their affiliates to respond to emerging policy and program issues related to the prevention of child maltreatment.
3. Conduct organizational assessments of infrastructure capabilities, staff and structural capacities, organizational definitions, understandings, and

applications of prevention principles and key concepts. The assessments should also determine organizational readiness for dissemination of child maltreatment prevention concepts and strategies, and organizational barriers and facilitators, with an emphasis on preventing child maltreatment before it ever occurs.

4. Develop a prevention plan based upon information obtained from the organizational assessments, as well as an inventory of initiatives and a review of organizational data related to the prevention of child maltreatment. The plan for future activities should have an emphasis on preventing child maltreatment before it occurs.

This program addresses the "Healthy People 2010" focus area of Injury and Violence Prevention.

Measurable outcomes of the program will be in alignment with the following performance goal for the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control (NCIPC): Increase the capacity of injury prevention and control programs to address the prevention of injuries and violence.

For the purposes of this program announcement the following definitions apply:

Child maltreatment: "Child abuse or maltreatment constitutes all forms of physical and/or emotional ill-treatment, sexual abuse, neglect or negligent treatment or commercial or other exploitation, resulting in actual or potential harm to the child's health, survival, development or dignity in the context of a relationship of responsibility, trust or power" (Report of the Consultation on Child Abuse Prevention, 29-31 March 1999, WHO, Geneva. Geneva, World Health Organization (WHO), 1999 (document WHO/HSC/PVI/99.1)).

Prevention: Individual, relationship or family, community, and/or environmental/system level strategies, policies and actions that prevent violence from initially occurring. Prevention efforts work to modify and/or entirely eliminate the event, conditions, situations, or exposure to influences (risk factors) that result in the initiation of violence and associated injuries, disabilities, and deaths. Additionally, prevention efforts seek to identify and enhance protective factors that may prevent violence not only in at-risk populations but also in the community at large. Prevention efforts for child maltreatment include activities that are aimed at addressing the individual, relationship, community and societal factors that influence potential perpetrators, victims, and bystanders.