

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 July 8, 2004.

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

1. *Billie Sims McRae, Ralph Dillion McRae, Sr., and William Vernon McRae*, all of Leesburg, Louisiana, to collectively acquire additional outstanding shares of Vernon Bancshares, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares Vernon Bank, both of Leesville, Louisiana.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas
(W. Arthur Tribble, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *New Mexico First Financial, Inc. Voting Trust, and trustees Lucinda Loveless, Hondo, New Mexico; T. Michael Henderson, Hondo, New Mexico; and William L. Giron, Belen, New Mexico*, to acquire 44.36 percent of the outstanding voting stock of New Mexico First Financial, Inc., Dover, Delaware, and therefore indirectly, Mesilla Valley Bank, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 18, 2004.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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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 19, 2004.

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

1. *Beach Community Bancshares, Inc.*, Fort Walton Beach, Florida; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Beach Community Bank, Fort Walton Beach, Florida.

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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/.

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 8, 2004.

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

1. *Associated Banc-Corp*, Green Bay, Wisconsin; to acquire First Federal Capital Corporation, Lacrosse, Wisconsin, and thereby engage in operating a savings and loan association, and in credit insurance activities, pursuant to sections 225.28 (b)(4)(ii) and (b)(11)(i) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 18, 2004.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

TIME AND DATE: 10 a.m., Tuesday, September 21, 2004.

PLACE: Federal Trade Commission Building, Room 532, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20580.

STATUS: Part of this meeting will be open to the public. The rest of the meeting will be closed to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Portion open to public:

(1) Oral Argument in the matter of Rambus Incorporated, Docket 9302.

Portion Closed to the Public:

(2) Executive Session to follow Oral Argument in Rambus Incorporated, Docket 9302

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mitch Katz, Office of Public Affairs: (202) 326-2180. Recorded Message: (202) 326-2711.

Donald S. Clark,

Secretary, (202) 326-2514.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Secretary's Advisory Committee on Human Research Protections

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, Office of Public Health and Science.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the fourth meeting of the Secretary's Advisory Committee on Human Research Protections (SACHRP). The meeting will be open to the public.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Monday, July 26, 2004, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. EDT, and Tuesday, July 27, 2004 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The Sheraton Four Points Hotel, 1201 K St., NW., Washington, DC 20005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bernard Schwetz, D.V.M., Ph.D., Director, Office for Human Research Protections, Department of Health and Human Services, 1101 Wootton Parkway, Suite 200, Rockville, Maryland 20852, (301) 496-7005, fax: (301) 496-0527, e-mail address: sachrp@osophs.dhhs.gov or Catherine Slatinshek, Executive Director, SACHRP, Office for Human Research Protections, 1101 Wootton Parkway, Suite 200; Rockville, Maryland 20852, (301) 496-7005, fax: (301) 496-0527, e-mail address: sachrp@osophs.dhhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the authority of 42 U.S.C. 217a, section 222 of the Public Health Service Act, as amended, SACHRP was established to provide expert advice and recommendations to the Secretary of Health and Human Services and the Assistant Secretary for Health on issues and topics pertaining to or associated with the protection of human research subjects.

On July 26, 2004, SACHRP will receive and discuss preliminary reports from its two subcommittees that were established to address issues related to

HHS regulations and policies for research involving prisoners and HHS regulations and policies for research involving children. On July 27, 2004, SACHRP will hold follow-up discussions on issues involving the HIPAA Privacy Rule and hear a presentation on issues involving Subpart B of 45 CFR part 46. In addition, SACHRP will address the formation of a new subcommittee to address an area of human subject protections. The Committee also will host a panel of experts in the fields of behavioral and social sciences to discuss issues affecting the clinical research enterprise. The Committee will discuss future tasks for the remainder of the year.

Public attendance at the meeting is limited to space available. Individuals must provide a photo ID to gain entry into the building where the meeting is scheduled to be held. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should notify the designated contact person. Members of the public will have the opportunity to provide comments at the meeting on July 26 and 27, 2004. Public comment will be limited to five minutes per speaker. Any members of the public who wish to have printed material distributed to SACHRP members for this meeting should submit materials to the Executive Director, SACHRP (contact information listed above) prior to close of business July 16, 2004.

Information about SACHRP and the draft meeting agenda will be posted on the SACHRP Web site at: <http://ohrp.osophs.dhhs.gov/sachrp/sachrp.htm>.

Dated: June 17, 2004.

Bernard A. Schwetz,

Director, Office for Human Research Protections, and Executive Secretary, Secretary's Advisory Committee on Human Research Protections.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration on Aging

[Program Announcement No. AoA-04-04]

Fiscal Year 2004 Program Announcement; Availability of Funds and Notice Regarding Applications

AGENCY: Administration on Aging, HHS.

ACTION: Announcement of availability of funds and request for applications for

the Performance Outcomes Measures Project (POMP).

SUMMARY: The Administration on Aging announces that under this program announcement it will hold a competition for grant awards for 8-10 Standard POMP (Priority Area 1) projects at a Federal share of approximately \$35,000-\$50,000 per year for a project period of one year. It is estimated that \$350,000 will be available for this competition. Further, the Administration on Aging announces that under this program announcement it will hold a competition for cooperative agreement awards for 8-12 Advanced POMP projects at a Federal share of approximately \$15,000 per year for a project period of three years; budget period of one year. It is estimated that \$150,000 will be available for this competition.

Legislative authority: The Older Americans Act, Pub. L. 106-501. (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance 93.048, Title IV and Title II, Discretionary Projects).

Purpose of grant awards: The purpose of these projects is to continue the development of performance outcome measures. The Administration on Aging (AoA) will fund two different types of Performance Outcome Measures Projects (POMP); one type will be funded with grant awards and the other with cooperative agreement awards.

Priority Area 1: Standard POMP—Grants will be awarded to State Agencies on Aging for the purpose of developing and/or refining consumer assessment performance measurement tools and developing service provider surveys to inform performance outcome measurement. Grant projects will receive technical support for conference calls, survey design, sampling, and data entry/data summary if requested.

Priority Area 2: Advanced POMP—Cooperative agreements will be awarded to State Agencies on Aging for the purpose of designing a protocol for the development of more robust performance outcome measures quantifying program impact in a manner that can be associated with program cost. The latter awards will be cooperative agreements because the Administration on Aging will be substantially involved in the development and execution of the activities of the projects. The cooperative agreement will provide for technical assistance and support to funded States. The applicants and the Administration on Aging will work cooperatively to clarify the issues to be addressed by the project.