

Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on Soft Money.

Administrative Matters.

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Mary W. Dove,

Secretary of the Commission.

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FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE BOARD

Sunshine Act; Meeting

Announcing an Open Meeting of the Board

TIME AND DATE: 10 a.m., Wednesday, May 8, 2002.

PLACE: Board Room, Second Floor, Federal Housing Finance Board, 1777 F Street, NW., Washington, DC 20006.

STATUS: The entire meeting will be open to the public.

MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED DURING PORTIONS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC:

- Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston Capital Plan
- Federal Home Loan Bank of Pittsburgh Capital Plan
- Final Rule Amending the Definition of "Non-Mortgage Assets" for Purposes of the Leverage Limit Requirement of Section 966.3 of the Regulations
- Appointment of Public Interest Director

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Elaine L. Baker, Secretary to the Board, (202) 408-2837.

James L. Bothwell,

Managing Director.

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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 May 28, 2002.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond (A. Linwood Gill, III, Vice President) 701 East Byrd Street, Richmond, Virginia 23261-4528:

1. *Access National Corporation*, Chantilly, Virginia; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Access National Bank, Chantilly, Virginia.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (Randall C. Sumner, Vice President) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63166-2034:

1. *Citizens Cumberland Bancshares, Inc.*, Burkesville, Kentucky; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Citizens Bank of Cumberland County, Inc., Burkesville, Kentucky.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Julie Stackhouse, Vice President) 90 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. *Wadena Bankshares, Inc.*, Wadena, Minnesota; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Baron Bancshares II, Inc., White Bear Lake, Minnesota, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Security State Bank of Deer Creek, Deer Creek, Minnesota.

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

1. *Meador Insurance Agency, Inc.*, Waverly, Kansas; to acquire up to 11 percent of the voting shares of 1st Financial Bancshares, Inc., Shawnee Mission, Kansas, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of 1st Financial Bank, Overland Park, Kansas, and Centerville State Bank, Centerville, Kansas.

In connection with this application, Applicant also has applied to indirectly acquire Sylvan Agency, Inc., Sylvan Grove, Kansas, and engage in general insurance activities in a place that has a population not exceeding 5,000, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(11)(iii)(A) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, April 26, 2002.

Margaret McCloskey Shanks,

Assistant 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 May 17, 2002.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago (Phillip Jackson, Applications Officer) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1414:

1. *DMB Corporation, Inc.*, DeForest, Wisconsin; to acquire DMB LANtech Services, LLC, DeForest, Wisconsin, and thereby engage in data processing activities, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(14)(i) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, April 26, 2002.

Margaret McCloskey Shanks,

Assistant Secretary of the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Program Announcement 02097]

Hemophilia Prevention Education and Peer Support; Notice of Availability of Funds

A. Purpose

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the availability of fiscal year (FY) 2002 funds for a cooperative agreement program for Hemophilia Prevention Education and Peer Support. This program addresses the "Healthy People 2010" focus area(s) of Disability and Secondary Conditions, HIV, Immunization and Infectious Diseases, and Educational and Community-Based Programs.

The purpose of the program is to enhance public health prevention practices for persons with bleeding disorders by: (1) Promoting peer-led prevention education, intervention and outreach activities; (2) developing and implementing programs that educate and encourage persons with bleeding disorders to make informed decisions regarding healthcare practices and to adopt behaviors that reduce or eliminate bleeding disorder complications; (3) promoting the professional development of health care providers by encouraging collaboration between providers and persons with bleeding disorders to enhance prevention efforts; and (4) disseminating prevention and intervention information and education materials to the bleeding disorders community.

B. Eligible Applicants

Applications may be submitted by public and private non-profit organizations and by governments and their agencies; that is, universities, colleges, research institutions, hospitals, other public and private non-profit organizations, State and local governments or their bona fide agents, including the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, Guam, the Federated States of

Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau, federally recognized Indian tribal governments, Indian tribes, or Indian tribal organizations. Faith-based organizations are eligible for this award.

Note: Title II of the United States Code section 1611 states that an organization described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code that engages in lobbying activities is not eligible to receive Federal funds constituting an award, grant or loan.

C. Availability of Funds

Approximately \$2,800,000 is available in FY 2002 to fund one award. It is expected that the award will begin on or about September 30, 2002 and will be made for a 12-month budget period within a project period of up to five years. The funding estimate may change.

Continuation awards within an approved project period will be on the basis of satisfactory progress as evidenced by required reports and the availability of funds.

Funding Preference

A funding preference may be given to the current recipient because they can demonstrate experience in conducting, developing, and evaluating peer led prevention interventions and national programs. They have effective and well-defined working relationships with partnering communities (including local consumer organizations and hemophilia treatment centers).

D. Program Requirements

In conducting activities to achieve the purpose of this program, the recipient will be responsible for the activities under 1. (Recipient Activities) and CDC will be responsible for the activities listed under 2. (CDC Activities).

1. Recipient Activities

a. Collaborate with consumers and hemophilia care providers to develop user-centered educational programs and materials aimed at reducing or eliminating complications of bleeding disorders.

b. Evaluate the effectiveness of education programs and materials, identify gaps, and propose strategies to improve the quality and availability of educational resources and prevention information.

c. Develop strategies to increase collaboration between local community based organizations and hemophilia treatment centers (HTCs) to enhance prevention programs.

d. Maintain a comprehensive information clearinghouse for consumers and hemophilia care

providers to disseminate information on health promotion, and prevention of complications for persons with bleeding disorders.

e. Coordinate a model demonstration project by developing education programs, communication strategies/methods, and outcome measures to deliver prevention messages aimed at helping individuals make informed decisions regarding their care and adapting behaviors to prevent the complications associated with bleeding disorders. This project should be evaluated by assessing outcome measures, and yield a data bank of effective programs that can be duplicated and disseminated for use in local settings.

f. Expand and enhance peer-based prevention and educational activities by supporting programs at the local level. Provide technical assistance and financial support for program planning, development, implementation, and evaluation of public health education for local peer-led activities to deliver prevention messages.

g. Provide opportunities for hemophilia care providers to receive prevention information and training. Collaborate with current hemophilia care providers to develop orientation training for new providers.

h. Promote programs for early diagnosis and management of women with bleeding disorders.

i. Collaborate with community-based hemophilia organizations to develop, implement, and evaluate outreach initiatives to increase access to healthcare and prevention services for under served groups with bleeding disorders.

j. Encourage the use of appropriate safety precautions to prevent the transmission of blood borne pathogens. Participate in a formal communication network with CDC, and other Federal agencies to address blood safety and availability issues when necessary. Encourage people with bleeding disorders to participate in blood safety monitoring efforts.

2. CDC Activities

a. Provide scientific and public health information regarding the prevention of complications of hemophilia, and other bleeding disorders. This includes reviewing educational and promotional materials developed by the proposed program.

b. Provide consultation and technical assistance for program planning, development, implementation, and evaluation, which may include consulting with committees or working