

the auction of seven licenses to provide cellular service in unserved areas ("Auction No. 47") scheduled for February 12, 2003. On December 23, 2002, the Policy and Rules Branch of the Commercial Wireless Division (the "Division"), Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, approved the Joint Motion for Dismissal and Approval of Settlement ("Settlement Agreement") filed by WWC License L.L.C. and WWC Holding Co, Inc., both wholly-owned subsidiaries of Western Wireless Corporation, and N.E. Colorado Cellular, Inc (DA 02-3573). The Division concluded that the Settlement Agreement resolved the mutual exclusivity of the applications that were filed, thus eliminating the need to conduct this auction.

Federal Communications Commission.

Margaret Wiener,

Chief, Auctions and Industry Analysis Division, WTB.

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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 February 28, 2003.

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

1. *Georgia Commerce Bancshares, Inc.*, Atlanta, Georgia; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Georgia Commerce Bank, Atlanta, Georgia (in organization).

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

1. *ABM Holding Company*, Miltonvale, Kansas; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of The Citizens State Bank, Miltonvale, Kansas.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Maria Villanueva, Consumer Regulation Group) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105-1579:

1. *Five Star Bancorp*, Rocklin, California; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Five Star Bank, Rocklin, California.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, January 28, 2003.

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

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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 March 3, 2003.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of

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

1. *Surrey Bancorp*, Mount Airy, North Carolina; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Surrey Bank and Trust, Mount Airy, North Carolina.

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

1. *Bank of Mulberry Employee Stock Ownership Trust*, Mulberry, Arkansas; and its subsidiary, ACME Holding Company, Inc., Mulberry, Arkansas, to acquire 81.65 percent of Madison Corporation, Little Rock, Arkansas, and thereby indirectly acquire Madison Bank and Trust, Kingston, Arkansas.

2. *Reliance Bancshares, Inc.*, Des Peres, Missouri; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of The Bank of Godfrey, Godfrey, Illinois.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Maria Villanueva, Consumer Regulation Group) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105-1579:

1. *Gaslight Leasing, Inc.*, Fremont, California; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of Fremont Bancorporation, and thereby indirectly acquire Fremont Bank, all of Fremont, California.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, January 29, 2003.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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