

the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989 ("FIRREA"). Title XI of FIRREA is designed to provide protection for federal financial and public policy interests by requiring real estate appraisals used in connection with federally related transactions to be performed in writing, in accordance with uniform standards, by an appraiser whose competency has been demonstrated and whose professional conduct will be subject to effective supervision.

Request for Comment

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether these collections of information are necessary for the proper performance of the FDIC's functions, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the estimate of the burden of the information collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Dated at Washington, DC, this 18th day of April, 2013.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Robert E. Feldman,
Executive Secretary.

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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 May 8, 2013.

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

1. *LAF—GW Investments, LLC ("LAF-GW"), an Arkansas limited liability company, individually, with Stephen L. LaFrance, Jr., Little Rock, Arkansas, as the sole manager, and LAF-GW and Stephen L. LaFrance, Jr., together as a group acting in concert with JSJ Properties, LLC, a Missouri limited liability company, with Stephen L. LaFrance, Jr., Jason P. LaFrance, and Joe Courtright, both of Little Rock, Arkansas, as managers, LAF Brothers Properties, LLC, an Arkansas limited liability company, with Stephen L. LaFrance, Jr. and Jason P. LaFrance as managers, the Stephen L. LaFrance, Sr. GW Investments Trust, with Stephen L. LaFrance, Jr. and Jason P. LaFrance as trustees, Jason P. LaFrance, and the Amy LaFrance Bancroft GW Investments Trust, with Stephen L. LaFrance, Sr., Pine Bluff, Arkansas, as trustee, to acquire voting shares of Greenwoods Financial Group, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of The Greenwood's State Bank, both in Lake Mills, Wisconsin.*

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

1. *The Traxshares Trust U/A dated December 5, 2012, ("Trust") and Greg Gerard Traxler, Le Center, Minnesota, individually and as Co-Trustee, to retain voting shares of Traxshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly retain voting shares of The First National Bank of Le Center, both in Le Center, Minnesota.*

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, April 18, 2013.

Margaret McCloskey Shanks,
Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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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 May 7, 2013.

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

1. *Daniel Kumley, Mount Vernon, Iowa, Matthew Kumley, Monticello, Iowa, and Sarah Jones, Dyer, Indiana, to join the Audrey G. Savage Family Control group and thereby acquire voting shares of Herky Hawk Financial Corp., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Citizens State Bank, both in Monticello, Iowa.*

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, April 17, 2013.

Michael J. Lewandowski,

Assistant 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 applications will also 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.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications