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**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The complete program announcement can be accessed on the Internet at <http://www.epa.gov/ncercqa>, under "announcements." The required forms for applications with instructions are accessible on the Internet at <http://es.epa.gov/ncercqa/rfa/forms/download.html>. Forms may be printed from this site.

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Approved for publication.

**Peter W. Preuss,**

*Director, National Center for Environmental Research.*

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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, February 13, 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.

### Matters To Be Considered During Portions Open to the Public

- Final Rule: Rules of Practice and Procedure for New Enforcement Authorities
- Proposed Rule Amending the Definition of "Non-Mortgage Assets" for Purposes of the Leverage Limit Requirement of Section 966.3(a) of the Regulations
- Technical Corrections Amendment: All Finance Board Regulations
- Proposed Rule: Amendments to 12 CFR. 985.8(b)—Minimum Number of

Scheduled Office of Finance Board meetings

- Resolution Establishing Dates for Board Consideration of the Capital Plans

### CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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**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/](http://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 March 8, 2002.

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

1. *BFM Bancshares, Inc.*, Kingman, Kansas; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Citizens National Bank and Trust, Anthony, Kansas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, February 6, 2002.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Board.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Health and Human Services announces the following advisory committee meeting.

*Name:* National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS), Subcommittee on Populations.

*Time and Date:*

8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., February 11, 2002.

8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., February 12, 2002.

*Place:* Hubert H. Humphrey Building, Room 705A, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20201.

*Status:* Open.

*Purpose:* The Subcommittee on Populations, NCVHS, is holding a hearing on February 11-12, 2002 to discuss issues relating to statistics for the determination of health disparities in racial and ethnic populations. The focus will be large population-based surveys conducted by the federal government. Invited panelists will address the measurement of race and ethnicity, use of mixed race data, measurement of ethnic identity and perspectives on variables beyond race and ethnicity needed to determined health disparities in racial and ethnic groups.

*Notice:* In the interest of security, the Department has instituted stringent procedures for entrance to the Hubert H. Humphrey building by non-government employees. Thus, persons without a government identification card will need to have the guard call for an escort to the meeting.

*For Further Information Contact:*

Substantive program information as well as summaries of meetings and a roster of committee members may be obtained from Susan G. Queen, Ph.D., Deputy Director, Division of Information and Analysis, Health Resources and Services Administration, Room 11-05, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, telephone: (301) 443-1129; or Marjorie S. Greenberg, Executive Secretary, NCVHS, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Room 1100, Presidential Building, 6525 Belcrest Road, Hyattsville, Maryland 20782, telephone: (301) 458-4245. Information also is available on the NCVHS home page of the HHS Web site: <http://www.ncvhs.hhs.gov/> where an agenda for the meeting will be posted when available.