

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On March 14, 2000, the Authority issued a notice, which was published in the **Federal Register** on March 14, 2000 (65 FR 13763), inviting interested parties to submit briefs in a proceeding before the Federal Labor Relations Authority in which the Authority has been asked to reconsider how management's statutory rights to direct employees and to assign work should be interpreted in relation to proposals that establish the number of performance rating levels for individual job elements and summary ratings. After this notice was published, the agency withdrew its allegation of non-negotiability, and the union withdrew its petition for review of negotiability issues. Accordingly, on March 27, the Authority dismissed the case and no longer requests amicus briefs.

Dated: March 28, 2000.  
For the Authority.

**Peter Constantine,**  
*Director of Case Control.*  
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**FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

**Sunshine Act Meeting**

**AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:** Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

**TIME AND DATE:** 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 5, 2000.

**PLACE:** Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, 20th and C Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20551.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

1. Personnel actions (appointments, promotions, assignments, reassignments, and salary actions) involving individual Federal Reserve System employees.
2. Any matters carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Lynn S. Fox, Assistant to the Board; 202-452-3204.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** You may call 202-452-3206 beginning at approximately 5 p.m. two business days before the meeting for a recorded announcement of bank and bank holding company applications scheduled for the meeting; or you may contact the Board's Web site at <http://www.federalreserve.gov> for an electronic announcement that not only lists applications, but also indicates procedural and other information about the meeting.

Dated: March 29, 2000.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**  
*Associate Secretary of the Board.*  
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**FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**

**Granting of Request for Early Termination of the Waiting Period Under the Premerger Notification Rules**

Section 7A of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. 18a, as added by Title II of the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, requires persons contemplating certain mergers or acquisitions to give the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General advance notice and to wait designated periods before consummation of such plans. Section 7A(b)(2) of the Act permits the agencies, in individual cases, to terminate this waiting period prior to its expiration and requires that notice of this action be published in the **Federal Register**.

The following transactions were granted early termination of the waiting period provided by law and the premerger notification rules. The grants were made by the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General for the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice. Neither agency intends to take any action with respect to these proposed acquisitions during the applicable waiting period.

**TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION**

Trans No. and acquiring	Acquired	Entities
JAN. 18, 2000		
20000877—Brian L. Roberts .....	Mr. H.F. Lenfest .....	Lenfest Communications, Inc.
20000878—Brian L. Roberts .....	AT&T Corp .....	Lenfest Communications, Inc.
20001218—E.I du Pont de Nemours and Company .....	Burmah Castrol plc .....	Castrol Industrial North America, Inc.
JAN. 19, 2000		
20001217—Burman Castrol plc .....	E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company .....	E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company.
20001268—Safeguard International Fund, L.P .....	Golden Bear Oil Specialties, Inc .....	Golden Bear Oil Specialties, Inc.
20001297—Tenet Healthcare Corporation .....	Tendex, Inc .....	Tendex, Inc.
20001303—Centre Capital Investors III, L.P .....	Kjell Inge Rokke .....	American Seafoods Company. Frionor U.S.A., Inc. Resource Group International, Inc.
20001305—Centre Capital Investors III, L.P .....	Jaeger Investment Company .....	NJ Vessel Corporation.
20001352—Gerald Gorman .....	Netmoves Corporation .....	Netmoves Corporation.
20001355—The AES Corporation .....	The AES Corporation .....	BV Partners.
20001371—Kirtland Capital Partners III L.P .....	Donald and Barbara Battis .....	Accurate Fabricators, Inc. Profile Realty, Inc., Profile Metal Forming, Inc. S&H Precision Manufacturing Co., Inc., Profile, Inc.
20001372—Global Crossing Ltd .....	StorageNetworks, Inc .....	StorageNetworks, Inc.
20001373—Dell Computer Corporation .....	StorageNetworks, Inc .....	StorageNetworks, Inc.
20001387—Ralcorp Holdings, Inc .....	Cascade Acquisition, Inc .....	Cascade Acquisition, Inc.
JAN. 20, 2000		
20001266—Office Specialties, Inc. d/b/a/ INSCAPE .....	SMED International Inc .....	SMED International Inc.
20001378—Thomas H. Lee Foreign Fund IV—B, L.P .....	MJD Communications, Inc .....	MJD Communications, Inc.
20001383—Thomas H. Lee Equity Fund IV, L.P .....	MJD Communications, Inc .....	MJD Communications, Inc.