

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 Web site 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 March 10, 2006.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland (Cindy West, Manager) 1455 East Sixth Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44101-2566:

1. *Enterprise Financial Services Group, Inc.*, Allison Park, Pennsylvania; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Enterprise Bank, Allison Park, Pennsylvania; and Enterprise Employee Stock Ownership Trust, Allison Park, Pennsylvania to become a bank holding company by acquiring 22 percent of the voting shares of Enterprise Financial Services Group, Inc., Allison Park, Pennsylvania.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (W. Arthur Tribble, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *Texas Independent Bancshares, Inc.*, Texas City, Texas, and T.I.B. Delaware, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware; to merge with Southeast Bancorp of Texas, Inc., Winnie, Texas, and indirectly acquire SEBOT, Inc., and Gulf Coast Bank, Winnie, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, February 10, 2006.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

Sunshine Act Meeting; Notice

TIME AND DATE: 9 a.m. (e.d.t.); February 21, 2006.

PLACE: 4th Floor Conference Room, 1250 H Street, NW., Washington, DC.

STATUS: Parts will be open to the public and parts closed to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Parts Open to the Public

1. Approval of the minutes of the January 17, 2006, Board member meeting.

2. Thrift Savings Plan activity report by the Executive Director.

3. Review of DOL audit reports for FY 2005:

Employee Benefits Security Administration Review of the Thrift Savings Plan Parallel Call Center at Spherix Incorporated, May 27, 2005 (updated with additional information received through August 17, 2005) and Executive Director's comments.

Employee Benefits Security Administration Review of the Thrift Savings Plan Withdrawals Process, dated August 24, 2005, and Executive Director's comments.

Employee Benefits Security Administration Post Implementation Review of the Thrift Savings Plan Mainframe Operations, dated October 7, 2005, and Executive Director's comments.

4. Investment policy.

Parts Closed to the Public

5. Internal personnel matters.

6. Procurement matters.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Thomas J. Trabucco, Director, Office of External Affairs, (202) 942-1640.

Dated: February 13, 2006.

Thomas K. Emswiler,

Acting General Counsel, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

[Document Identifier: OS-0937-0198; 30-day notice]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary; HHS.

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the

Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of the Secretary (OS), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of proposed collections for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

Type of Information Collection

Request: Extension of Currently Approved Collection;

Title of Information Collection: Public Health Service Policies on Research Misconduct (42 CFR Part 93);

Form/OMB No.: OS-0937-0198;

Use: Section 493 of the Public Health Service Act and 42 CFR part 93 require each institution that applies for research and research-related grants to establish policies and procedures for investigation and reporting instances of alleged or apparent misconduct.

Frequency: Recordkeeping, reporting, annually;

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit, not-for-profit institutions; and individuals or households, Federal government, State, local or tribal government;

Annual Number of Respondents: 4,000;

Total Annual Responses: 3,800;

Average Burden Per Response: Six minutes;

Total Annual Hours: 400.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, access the HHS Web site address at <http://www.hhs.gov/oirm/infocoll/pending/> or e-mail your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number, and OS document identifier, to naomi.cook@hhs.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (202) 690-6162.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 30 days of this notice directly to the Desk Officer at the address below: OMB Desk Officer: John Kraemer, OMB Human Resources and Housing Branch, Attention: (OMB #0937-0198), New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503.