

Low-Income Populations. Specifically, the Executive Order requires all federal agencies to analyze the environmental effects, including human health, economic and social effects, of federal actions, including effects on minority communities and low-income communities, as required by the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

A Presidential Memorandum accompanying the Executive Order requires all federal agencies to design a strategy to incorporate EJ assessment into ongoing projects and all future planning. In conjunction with the Office of Environmental Justice and the American Indian Environmental Office, OFA has completed draft guidance to assist EPA staff responsible for developing EPA/NEPA compliance documentation, including environmental impact statements (EISs) and environmental assessments (EAs) in addressing environmental justice concerns. The draft EJ/NEPA Guidance is available for review through September 30, 1996. At that time, the document will be revised to incorporate comments.

Please contact Arthur Totten at 202/564-7164 or Karen Norris at 202/564-7132 or write EPA, 401 M Street, SW. (2252A), Washington, DC, 20460 to request a copy. The document can also be found on the Internet under OFA's home page at <http://es.inel.gov/oeca/ofa/index.html>.

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Richard E. Sanderson,
Director, Office of Federal Activities.
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FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Notice of Agency Sunshine Act Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b), notice is hereby given that the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's Board of Directors will meet in open session at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 16, 1996, to consider the following matters:

Summary Agenda: No substantive discussion of the following items is anticipated. These matters will be resolved with a single vote unless a member of the Board of Directors requests that an item be moved to the discussion agenda.

Disposition of minutes of previous meetings.

Reports of actions approved by officers of the Corporation pursuant to authority delegated by the Board of Directors.

Memorandum and resolution re: Proposed Amendments to Part 311—Rules Governing Public Observation of Meetings of the Corporation's Board of Directors.

Memorandum and resolution re: Proposed Amendments to Part 357—Determination of Economically Depressed Regions.

Discussion Agenda:

Memorandum and resolution re: Stored Value Cards.

Memorandum and resolution re: Final Rule Amending Part 348 of the Corporation's Regulations on Management Official Interlocks.

The meeting will be held in the Board Room on the sixth floor of the FDIC Building located at 550 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC.

The FDIC will provide attendees with auxiliary aids (e.g., sign language interpretation) required for this meeting. Those attendees needing such assistance should call (202) 416-2449 (Voice); (202) 416-2004 (TTY), to make necessary arrangements.

Requests for further information concerning the meeting may be directed to Mr. Robert E. Feldman, Deputy Executive Secretary of the Corporation, at (202) 898-6757.

Dated: July 9, 1996.
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.
Robert E. Feldman,
Deputy Executive Secretary.
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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. Once the application has

been accepted for processing, it 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, including whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company can "reasonably be expected to produce benefits to the public, such as greater convenience, increased competition, or gains in efficiency, that outweigh possible adverse effects, such as undue concentration of resources, decreased or unfair competition, conflicts of interests, or unsound banking practices" (12 U.S.C. 1843). Any request for a hearing must be accompanied by a statement of the reasons a written presentation would not suffice in lieu of a hearing, identifying specifically any questions of fact that are in dispute, summarizing the evidence that would be presented at a hearing, and indicating how the party commenting would be aggrieved by approval of the proposal. Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

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 August 5, 1996.

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

1. *Roosevelt Financial Group, Inc.*, Chesterfield, Missouri; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Community Charter Corporation, St. Louis, Missouri, and thereby indirectly acquire Missouri State Bank & Trust Company, St. Louis, Missouri.

In connection with this proposal, Roosevelt Financial Group, Inc., Chesterfield, Missouri, has applied to continue to own, control and operate a savings institution through the retention of 100 percent of the voting shares of Roosevelt Bank, FSB, Chesterfield, Missouri, pursuant to § 225.25(b)(9) of the Board's Regulation Y; and continue to engage in mortgage banking activities through the retention of 10 percent of the voting shares of Roosevelt Mortgage Company, Chesterfield, Missouri, pursuant to § 225.25(b)(1) of the Board's Regulation Y.

2. *Southwest Missouri Bancshares, Inc.*, Ozark, Missouri; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of

Southwest Community Bank, Ozark, Missouri, a *de novo* bank.

3. *S.Y. Bancorp, Inc.*, Louisville, Kentucky; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of The Austin State Bank, Austin, Indiana.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (Genie D. Short, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *Nacogdoches Commercial Bancshares, Inc.*, Nacogdoches, Texas; to acquire 6.33 percent of the voting shares of Security National Bank, Nacogdoches, Texas.

2. *Incus Company, Ltd.*, Road Town, Tortola, BVI; and Laredo National Bancshares, Inc., Laredo, Texas, to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Mercantile Financial Enterprises, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware, and thereby indirectly acquire Mercantile Bank, NA, Brownsville, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, July 8, 1996.

Jennifer J. Johnson

Deputy Secretary of the Board

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Board of Governors; Sunshine Act Meeting

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

TIME AND DATE: 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 17, 1996.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, C Street entrance between 20th and 21st 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 items carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Mr. Joseph R. Coyne, Assistant to the Board, (202) 452-3204. You may call (202) 452-3207, beginning at approximately 5 p.m. two business days before this meeting, for a recorded announcement of bank and bank holding company applications scheduled for the meeting.

Dated: July 10, 1996.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy 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 BETWEEN: 061796 AND 062896

Name of acquiring person, name of acquired person, name of acquired entity	PMN No.	Date terminated
Protection One, Inc., Metrol Security System, Inc., Metrol Security System, Inc	96-2033	06/17/96
Jordan Industries, Inc., Dean Stanton, Diversified Wire & Cable, Inc	96-2038	06/17/96
Stichting "The SITA Foundation," AMR Corporation, American Airlines, Inc	96-2056	06/17/96
Masland Corporation, The Dexter Corporation, The Dexter Corporation	96-2061	06/17/96
Alusuisse-Lonza Holding Ltd., Celltech Group plc (a British company), Celltech Biologics plc	96-2076	06/17/96
DenAmerica Corp., Unigate PLC, Black-eyed Pea U.S.A., Inc	96-2104	06/17/96
Kaiser Foundation Health Plan, Inc., CHP Companies, Inc., CHP Companies, Inc	96-1993	06/18/96
Allied Waste Industries, Inc., Brian O'Leary, Container Corporation of Carolina	96-2055	06/18/96
Hollywood Park, Inc., Boomtown, Inc., Boomtown, Inc	96-2063	06/18/96
Fibreboard Corporation, Stone Products Corporation, Stone Products Corporation	96-2066	06/18/96
Equitable of Iowa Companies, Bankers Trust New York Corporation, BT Variable, Inc	96-2073	06/18/96
The SK Equity Fund, L.P., Ezra Dabah, The Children's Place Retail Stores, Inc	96-2074	06/18/96
Rohm and Haas Company, RohMax Additives GmbH, RohMax Additives GmbH	96-2080	06/18/96
HealthPlan Services Corporation, Harrington Services Corporation, Harrington Services Corporation	96-2082	06/18/96
Physician Sales & Services, Inc., John Armstrong, The Crocker-Fels Company	96-2083	06/18/96
FPA Medical Management, Inc., Sterling Healthcare Group, Inc., Sterling Healthcare Group, Inc	96-2089	06/18/96
Shaw Industries, Inc., Irving Nusbaum, New York Carpet World, Inc	96-2090	06/18/96
Shaw Industries, Inc., Marvin Berlin, New York Carpet World, Inc	96-2091	06/18/96
Siemens Aktiengesellschaft, Mark IV Industries, Inc., Automatic/Eagle Holding, LLC	96-2103	06/18/96
Counsel Corporation, Stadtlander Drug Company, Inc., Stadtlander Drug Company, Inc	96-2110	06/18/96
Lynch Corporation, Dunkirk & Fredonia Telephone Company, Dunkirk & Fredonia Telephone Company	96-2111	06/18/96
Computer Sciences Corporation, Arthur H. Spiegel, III, American Practice Management, Inc	96-2112	06/18/96
Quaker State Corporation, Sheldon G. Adelman, Blue Coral, Inc	96-2125	06/18/96
Sheldon G. Adelman, Quaker State Corporation, Quaker State Corporation	96-2126	06/18/96
The Coastal Corporation, Tenneco Inc., Tennessee/New England Pipeline Company	96-2130	06/18/96
Kelso Investment Associates V, L.P., GS Capital Partners II, L.P., AMF Holdings, Inc	96-2084	06/19/96
Newcourt Credit Group Inc., Anthem Insurance Companies, Inc., Anthem Financial, Inc	96-2093	06/19/96
Koninklijke Pakhoed N.V., Univar Corporation, Univar Corporation	96-2097	06/19/96
Darwin Deason, MCN Corporation, The Genix Group, Inc	96-2098	06/19/96
LDI, Ltd. (Limited Partnership), Maxco, Inc., FinishMaster, Inc	96-2100	06/19/96
CB Commercial Holdings, Inc., Lawrence J. Melody, L.J. Melody & Company and L.J. Melody & Company of Cali	96-2118	06/19/96