

BHC Act. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding the applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than June 12, 2001.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (D. Michael Manies, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *Guaranty Corporation*, Denver, Colorado; to acquire *AMG/Guaranty Corporation*, Englewood, Colorado, and thereby engage in trust company activities, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(5) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, May 23, 2001.

Robert deV. Frierson

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Meeting Notice Government in the Sunshine Act

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

TIME AND DATE: 11:00 a.m., Monday, June 4, 2001.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, 20th and C Streets, NW., Washington, DC 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: Michelle A. Smith, 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: May 25, 2001.

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.

Trans #	Acquiring	Acquired	Entities
Transactions Granted Early Termination—04/30/2001			
20011690	Tyco International Ltd	Com-Net Critical Communications, Inc.	Com-Net Critical Communications, Inc.
20011707	Avnet, Inc	Kent Electronics Corporation	Kent Electronics Corporation.
20011723	Gerald W. Schwartz	Avaya Inc.	Avaya Inc.
20011731	Leap Wireless International, Inc	American Wireless License Group, LLC.	American Wireless License Group, LLC.
20011734	Novell, Inc	Cambridge Technology Partners, Inc	Cambridge Technology Partners, Inc.
20011738	Constellation Brands, Inc	Ravenswood Winery, Inc	Ravenswood Winery, Inc.
20011741	Pope & Talbot, Inc	Norske Skogindustrier ASA	Norske Skog Canada Mackenzie Pulp Limited
20011742	Koninklijke Ahold nv	Mutual Distributors, Inc	Mutual Distributors, Inc.
20011748	Temple-Inland Inc	Chesapeake Corporation	Capitol Packaging Company. Chesapeake Packaging Co.
20011749	Mr. Yizhak Sharon	The Williams Companies, Inc	Mapco Express, Inc.
20011753	GlaxoSmithKline plc	Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company.	3M Innovative Properties Company
20011754	Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst Equity Fund V, L.P.	Vlasic Foods International Inc	VF Brands, Inc., Aligar, Inc., Cargal, Inc. Vlasic Foods Canada, Inc., Vlasic Int'l Brands, Inc. Vlasic Foods Distribution Company, Vlasic Standards Inc.
20011756	MBNA Corporation	Desert Schools Federal Credit Union	Desert Schools Federal Credit Union.
Transactions Granted Early Termination—05/03/2001			
20011729	Assa Abloy AB	United Dominion Industries Limited ..	United Dominion Industries Limited.
20011755	Crown Finance Foundation	Global TeleSystems, Inc	Global Telecom, Inc.

Trans #	Acquiring	Acquired	Entities
Transactions Granted Early Termination—05/08/2001			
20011764	Boyd Gaming Corporation	Shawn Scott	Delta Downs Racing Association, Inc. Delta Downs, Incorporated, Winner's Circle #1 of Madison, LLC.
Transactions Granted Early Termination—05/09/2001			
20011735	Johnson & Johnson	Alza Corporation	Alza Corporation.
20011762	SES Global S.A	General Electric Company	GE Subsidiary, Inc., GE Capital Global Satellites, Inc.
20011768	Benfield Greig Group plc	E.W. Blanch Holdings, Inc	E.W. Blanch Holdings, Inc.

For Further Information Contact:
Sandra M. Peay or Parcellena P. Fielding, Contact Representatives, Federal Trade Commission, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau of Competition, Room 303, Washington, D.C. 20580, (202) 326-3100.

By direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,
Secretary.

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GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

Appointments to the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission

AGENCY: General Accounting Office (GAO).

ACTION: Notice of appointments.

SUMMARY: The Balanced Budget Act of 1997 established the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission (MedPAC) and gave the Comptroller General responsibility for appointing its members. This notice announces three new appointments and three reappointments to fill the vacancies occurring this year, and designates the Chair and Vice Chair of the Commission.

DATES: Appointments are effective May 1, 2001 through April 30, 2004.

ADDRESSES: *GAO:* 441 G Street, NW, Washington, DC 20548; *MedPAC:* 1730 K Street, NW, Suite 800, Washington, DC 20006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: *GAO:* Molly Ryan, 202/512-3592; *MedPAC:* Murray N. Ross, Ph.D., 202/653-7220.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: To fill this year's vacancies I am announcing the following:

Newly appointed members are Sheila P. Burke, Under Secretary for American Museums and National Programs, Smithsonian Institution; Allen D.

Feezor, Health Benefits Administrator, California Public Employees' Retirement System; and Ralph W. Muller, President and CEO, University of Chicago Hospitals and Health System; reappointed members are Joseph P. Newhouse, Ph.D., John D. MacArthur Professor of Health Policy and Management, Harvard University; Alice F. Rosenblatt, Senior Vice President, Merger and Acquisition Integration, Wellpoint Health Networks; and John W. Rowe, M.D., Chairman, CEO, and President, Aetna Inc. I also hereby name Glenn M. Hackbarth, J.D., an independent consultant, as Chair of the Commission; and Robert D. Reischauer, Ph.D., President of the Urban Institute, as Vice Chair.

(Sec. 4022, Pub. L. 105-33, 111 Stat. 251, 350)

David M. Walker,

Comptroller General of the United States.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Proposed Data Collections Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 for opportunity for public comment on proposed data collection projects, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects. To request more information on the proposed projects or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, call the CDC Reports Clearance Officer on (404) 639-7090.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Send comments to Seleda Perryman, CDC Assistant Reports Clearance Officer, 1600 Clifton Road, MS-D24, Atlanta, GA 30333. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

Proposed Project

National Telephone Survey of Urban Mosquito Control Programs—New—National Center for Infectious Disease (NCID), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). West Nile virus is a mosquito-borne virus that is native to the eastern hemisphere, where it recently caused large epidemics of human disease in eastern Europe, Russia, and the Middle East. In 1999, West Nile virus first appeared in the United States when it caused an epidemic of mosquito-borne encephalitis and meningitis in the greater New York City metropolitan area. During 1999-2000, 83 persons (mostly senior citizens) with West Nile viral disease and 9 fatalities were reported in New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut. The apparent primary vector to humans was the house mosquito, *Culex pipiens*, which occurs in virtually all urban areas of the United States. This species is also one of the principal vectors of St. Louis encephalitis virus, historically the most important cause of epidemic viral encephalitis in the United States, and a close relative of West Nile virus. Based on the detection of West Nile virus in