FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

TIME AND DATE: Thursday, December 14, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC. (Ninth Floor)

STATUS: This meeting will be open to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Audit Division Recommendation Memorandum on the Hawaii Democratic Party (HDP) (A13–07)

Draft Advisory Opinion 2017–12: Take Back Action Fund

Assessment of Commission Action on Enforcement Matters Awaiting

Reason-to-Believe Consideration

Legislative Recommendations

2018 Meeting Dates

Election of Officers

Management and Administrative Matters

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Judith Ingram, Press Officer, Telephone: (202) 694–1220.

Individuals who plan to attend and require special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should contact Dayna C. Brown, Secretary and Clerk, at (202)694–1040, at least 72 hours prior to the meeting date.

Dayna C. Brown,

Secretary and Clerk of the Commission. [FR Doc. 2017–26769 Filed 12–7–17; 4:15 pm] BILLING CODE 6715–01–P

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 applications 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 (12 U.S.C. 1843). 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 January 4, 2018.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (David L. Hubbard, Senior Manager) P.O. Box 442, St. Louis, Missouri 63166–2034. Comments can also be sent electronically to *Comments.applications@stls.frb.org:*

1. Grok Bancshares, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Clifford Bancshares, Inc., Troy, Missouri, and thereby indirectly acquire CBC Bank, Bowling Green, Missouri.

2. Reliable Community Bancshares, Inc., Perryville, Missouri; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Martinsburg Bancorp, Inc., Martinsburg, Missouri, and thereby indirectly acquire Martinsburg Bank & Trust Company, Mexico, Missouri.

In connection with this proposal, Applicant has applied to acquire Martinsburg Acquisition Corp., Perryville, Missouri, which has applied to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Martinsburg Bancorp, Inc., Martinsburg, Missouri, and thereby indirectly acquire Martinsburg Bank & Trust Company, Mexico, Missouri.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 5, 2017.

Ann E. Misback,

Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 2017–26545 Filed 12–8–17; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE P

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Notice of Proposals To Engage in or To Acquire Companies Engaged in Permissible Nonbanking Activities

The companies listed in this notice have given notice under section 4 of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1843) (BHC Act) and Regulation Y, (12 CFR part 225) to engage de novo, or to acquire or control voting securities or assets of a company, including the companies listed below, that engages either directly or through a subsidiary or other company, in a nonbanking activity that is listed in § 225.28 of Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.28) or that the Board has determined by Order to be closely related to banking and permissible for bank holding companies. Unless otherwise noted, these activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Each notice is available for inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notice also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the question whether the proposal complies with the standards of section 4 of the BHC Act.

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 December 27, 2017.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of New York (Ivan Hurwitz, Vice President) 33 Liberty Street, New York, New York 10045–0001. Comments can also be sent electronically to *Comments.applications@ny.frb.org:*

1. *CLS Group Holdings ÅG*, Lucerne, Switzerland; to engage indirectly through its subsidiary CLS Services Ltd., London, United Kingdom, in data processing activities, pursuant to section 225.28(b)(14) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 5, 2017.

Ann E. Misback,

Secretary of the Board.

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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 applications 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 (12 U.S.C. 1843). 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 January 5, 2018.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Gerald C. Tsai, Director, Applications and Enforcement) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105–1579:

1. *FNBEly Bancorporation;* to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the outstanding voting shares of The First National Bank of Ely, both of Ely, Nevada.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 6, 2017.

Ann E. Misback,

Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 2017–26580 Filed 12–8–17; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6210–01–P

FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

Sunshine Act Meeting

Notice of Board Member Meeting

AGENDA: Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board, December 18, 2017, 10:00 a.m. (Telephonic)

Open Session

- 1. Approval of the minutes for the November 28, 2017 Board Member Meeting
- 2. Monthly Reports
 - (a) Participant Activity
 - (b) Investment Performance
 - (c) Legislative Report
- 3. OGC Annual Report
- 4. Blended Retirement Update

Adjourn

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Kimberly Weaver, Director, Office of External Affairs, (202) 942–1640.

Dated: December 7, 2017.

Megan Grumbine,

General Counsel, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board. [FR Doc. 2017–26713 Filed 12–7–17; 11:15 am] BILLING CODE 6760–01–P

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Granting of Requests 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—on the dates indicated—of the waiting period provided by law and the premerger notification rules. The listing for each transaction includes the transaction number and the parties to the transaction. 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.

EARLY TERMINATIONS GRANTED NOVEMBER 1, 2017 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 2017

11/01/2017		
20180080	G	General Atlantic Partners 100, L.P.; Anthony Casalena; General Atlantic Partners 100, L.P.
		11/02/2017
20180103	G	ACOF IV CWC AIV Blocked Feeder, L.P.; FWC Holdings LLC; ACOF IV CWC AIV Blocked Feeder, L.P.
		11/03/2017
20171612 20171955 20180041 20180078	S G G	Red Ventures Holdco, LP; Bankrate, Inc.; Red Ventures Holdco, LP. Tyson 2009 Family Trust; Nicholas J. Karamatsoukas; Tyson 2009 Family Trust. CVC Growth Partners L.P.; Actua Corporation; CVC Growth Partners L.P. Shandong Weigao Group Medical Polymer Co. Ltd.; RoundTable Healthcare Partners III, L.P.; Shandong Weigao Group Medical Polymer Co. Ltd.
20180081 20180089 20180121 20180123 20180124 20180133 20180150	G G G G G G G G	L. John Doerr, Essence Group Holdings Corporation; L. John Doerr. JP Morgan Chase & Co.; WePay, Inc.; JP Morgan Chase & Co. Eagle Parent Holdings, LLC; Zyme Holdings, Inc.; Eagle Parent Holdings, LLC. Mr. Aloke Lohia and Mrs. Suchitra Lohia; DowDuPont Inc.; Mr. Aloke Lohia and Mrs. Suchitra Lohia. Mr. Aloke Lohia and Mrs. Suchitra Lohia; Teijin Limited; Mr. Aloke Lohia and Mrs. Suchitra Lohia. Tailwind Capital Partners II, L.P.; HMTBP Holdings Inc.; Tailwind Capital Partners II, L.P. Solace Capital Special Situations Fund, L.P.; The Sterling Group; Solace Capital Special Situations Fund, L.P.
20180151 20180156 20180158 20180161	G G Y G	ISQ Global Infrastructure Fund, L.P.; BP Natural Gas Opportunity Partners, LP; ISQ Global Infrastructure Fund, L.P. OHCP Silver Surfer Holdings Corp.; Dobbs Frenkel Investment Partnership; OHCP Silver Surfer Holdings Corp. Emerson Electric Co.; APAX Europe VII–B, L.P.; Emerson Electric Co. EXC Holdings I Corp.; Excelitas Technologies Holdings LLC; EXC Holdings I Corp.
		11/06/2017

20180085 G Siris Partners III, L.P.; Synchronoss Technologies, Inc.; Siris Partners III, L.P. 20180086 G Siris Partners III, L.P.; Synchronoss Technologies, Inc.; Siris Partners III, L.P.