

# Actions of the Board, Its Staff, and the Federal Reserve Banks; Applications and Reports Received

No. 22 Week Ending May 27, 2000

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, DC 20551

## **Testimony And Statements**

Predatory Lending -- statement by Governor Gramlich before the House Committee on Banking and Financial Services, May 24, 2000. - Published, May 24, 2000

## **Reserve Bank Operations**

Automated Clearinghouse Transactions -- request for additional public comments on proposed modifications of the Federal Reserve Banks' deposit deadlines and pricing practices for transactions they exchange with private-sector ACH operators (Docket R-1037).

- Approved, May 22, 2000

#### **H.2** Actions under delegated authority

| BS&R | Banking Supervision and Regulation |
|------|------------------------------------|
| C&CA | Consumer and Community Affairs     |
| FOMC | Federal Open Market Committee      |

**RBOPS**Reserve Bank Operations and PaymentIFInternational Fiance**OSDM**Office of Staff Director for Management

### **Bank Branches, Domestic**

### Atlanta

The Bank of Nashville, Nashville, Tennessee -- to establish a branch at Carothers Parkway and Bakers Bridge Road, Franklin. - Approved, May 22, 2000

#### San Francisco

Bank of Orange County, Fountain Valley, California -- to establish a branch office at 12215 Telegraph Road, Santa Fe Springs.Approved, May 24, 2000

#### San Francisco

California Center Bank, Los Angeles, California -- to establish a branch at 1080 South Mount Vernon Avenue, Colton. - Approved, May 24, 2000

#### Kansas City

Heritage Bank, Louisville, Colorado -- to establish a branch at 6800 North 79th Street, Suite 103, Niwot. - Approved, May 24, 2000

#### Chicago

Irwin Union Bank and Trust Company, Columbus, Indiana -- to establish a branch at 880 Munson Drive, Suite A, Traverse City, Michigan. - Approved, May 25, 2000

#### San Francisco

M&I Thunderbird Bank, Phoenix, Arizona -- to establish a branch at 1200 North Wilmot Road. - Approved, May 25, 2000

#### Philadelphia

Main Street Bank, Reading, Pennsylvania -- to establish a limited service facility at 101 Plaza Drive, Downingtown.

- Withdrawn, May 25, 2000

## **Bank Branches, Domestic**

Philadelphia

Pennsylvania State Bank, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania -- to establish a branch at 715 Wertzville Road, Enola. - Approved, May 23, 2000

### Atlanta

Republic Security Bank, West Palm Beach, Florida -- to establish a branch at 450 North Pine Island Road, Plantation. - Approved, May 25, 2000

## **Bank Holding Companies**

### Philadelphia

The Bancorp.com, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware -- to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of TB.com Bank. - Approved, May 22, 2000

## Cleveland

Bank of Kentucky Financial Corporation, Florence, Kentucky -- to acquire Fort Thomas Financial Corporation, Fort Thomas, and Fort Thomas Savings Bank, FSB. - Approved, May 25, 2000

## Richmond

Carolina First Corporation, Greenville, South Carolina -- to merge with Anchor Financial Corporation, Myrtle Beach. - Approved, May 22, 2000

## Atlanta

Coast Community Bancshares, Inc., Biloxi, Mississippi -- waiver of a commitment. - Withdrawn, May 26, 2000

## Minneapolis

Ellingson Corporation, Kenyon, Minnesota -- to engage in general insurance agency activities in a town with a population not exceeding 5,000 through the acquisition of assets of Peterson Insurance Agency.

- Approved, May 25, 2000

(AC) = Addition or Correction

## **Bank Holding Companies**

#### Boston

Eonebanc Corporation, Manchester, New Hampshire -- to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of First Alliance Bank and Trust Company. - Approved, May 25, 2000

### Chicago

Firstbank Corporation, Alma, Michigan -- to acquire Firstbank-St. Johns, St. Johns, a de novo bank.

- Approved, May 26, 2000

### Cleveland

FNB Shares, Inc., McConnelsville, Ohio -- request for waiver of application in connection with the merger of FNB's subsidiary bank, First National Bank of McConnelsville, with Junction City Banking Company, Junction City. - Granted, May 25, 2000

### San Francisco

Frontier Financial Corporation, Everett, Washington -- to merge with Liberty Bay Financial Corporation, Poulsbo, and thereby acquire North Sound Bank. - Approved, May 24, 2000

### Boston

Island Bancorp, Inc., Edgartown, Massachusetts -- to acquire The Edgartown National Bank. - Approved, May 25, 2000

### Chicago

Mayville Financial Corporation, Mayville, Michigan -- to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of Mayville State Bank. - Approved, May 25, 2000

## Chicago

MBT Financial Corp., Monroe, Michigan -- to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of Monroe Bank & Trust. - Approved, May 26, 2000

## **Bank Holding Companies**

#### San Francisco

Merchants Bancorp, Gresham, Oregon -- to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of Merchants Bank. - Approved, May 26, 2000

### Dallas

Starbanc Holding Company, Inc., Fort Worth, Texas -- to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of Star Bank of Texas. - Approved, May 26, 2000

### San Francisco

Wells Fargo & Company, San Francisco, California -- to acquire 1st Choice Financial Corp., Greeley, Colorado, and thereby acquire 1st Choice Bank. - Approved, May 24, 2000

## **Bank Mergers**

San Francisco

Bank of Orange County, Fountain Valley, California -- to merge with CalWest Bank, Torrance. - Approved, May 25, 2000

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## **Bank Premises**

### Richmond

Farmers and Miners Bank, Pennington Gap, Virginia -- investment in bank premises. - Approved, May 22, 2000

## **Banks, Nonmember, And Miscellaneous Institutions**

### Richmond

CitiFinancial Services, Inc., Baltimore, Maryland -- deregistration under Regulation U of its corporations chartered in California, Texas, and Maryland. - Approved, May 23, 2000

## **Change In Bank Control**

Kansas City

BOC Banshares, Inc., Chouteau, Oklahoma -- change in bank control. - Permitted, May 15, 2000 (AC)

## **Change In Bank Control**

Atlanta

First National Bancshares of Louisiana, Inc., Alexandria, Louisiana -- change in bank control.

- Permitted, May 25, 2000

## **Competitive Factors Reports**

## New York

Citibank, N.A., New York, New York -- report on competitive factors of the proposed purchase of the retail deposits of the Madison Avenue branch of The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi Trust Company. - Submitted, May 25, 2000

## Cleveland

Farmers Building and Savings Bank, Rochester, Pennsylvania -- report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with Cammar Building and Loan Association, Monaca. - Submitted, May 18, 2000 (AC)

## New York

Finger Lakes Interim Savings Bank, Geneva, New York -- report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with Savings Bank of the Finger Lakes, FSB. - Submitted, May 24, 2000

## Cleveland

Fort Thomas Savings Bank, FSB, Fort Thomas, Kentucky -- report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with The Bank of Kentucky, Inc., Florence. - Submitted, May 25, 2000

## Cleveland

Home Federal Bank, Hamilton, Ohio -- report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with First National Bank of Southwest Ohio. - Submitted, May 18, 2000 (AC)

## **Competitive Factors Reports**

San Francisco

InterWest Bank, Oak Harbor, Washington -- report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with Pacific Northwest Bank, Seattle, and Bank of Tukwila, N.A., Tukwila.

- Submitted, May 26, 2000

#### Cleveland

The Junction City Banking Company, Junction City, Ohio -- report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with The First National Bank of McConnelsville, McConnelsville.

- Submitted, May 18, 2000 (AC)

### Philadelphia

Nazareth National Bank & Trust Company, Nazareth, Pennsylvania -- report on competitive factors of the proposed purchase of certain assets and assumption of certain liabilities of two branches of Commonwealth Bank, Valley Forge. - Submitted, May 25, 2000

#### Chicago

New Liberty Bank, Plymouth, Michigan, a de novo bank -- report on competitive factors of the proposed acquisition of a branch of Peoples State Bank, Hamtramck. - Submitted, May 26, 2000

### San Francisco

Norwest Bank Minnesota North, N.A., Norwest Bank Minnesota South, N.A., Norwest Bank Minnesota West, N.A., Norwest Bank Minnesota Southwest, N.A. -report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with Norwest Bank Minnesota, N.A., Minneapolis.

- Submitted, May 25, 2000

### San Francisco

San Benito Bank, Hollister, California -- report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with Interim San Benito, Inc., Santa Barbara. - Submitted, May 24, 2000

## **Competitive Factors Reports**

Atlanta

SunTrust Bank, Atlanta, Georgia -- report on competitive factors of the proposed merger with STSC Leasing Corporation. - Submitted, May 24, 2000

## **Extensions Of Time**

San Francisco

BancWest Corporation, Honolulu, Hawaii, and Zions Bancorporation, Salt Lake City, Utah -- extension to August 18, 2000, to acquire shares of Bank Network Securities, Chicago, Illinois. - Granted, May 25, 2000

### Richmond

Bank of America Corporation, Charlotte, North Carolina, and First Union Corporation; BB&T Corporation, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, and Wachovia Corporation -- extension to August 18, 2000, to acquire through Star Systems, Inc., Maitland, Florida, shares of Bank Network Securities, Chicago, Illinois. - Granted, May 25, 2000

## Richmond

BB&T Corporation, Winston-Salem, North Carolina -- extensions to August 24, 2000, to merge with Hardwick Holding Company, Dalton, Georgia, and to August 25, 2000, to merge with First Banking Company of Southeast Georgia, Statesboro. - Granted, May 24, 2000

## New York

State Bancorp, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan, New Hyde Park, New York -extension to May 28, 2001, to acquire additional shares of State Bancorp, Inc. - Granted, May 24, 2000

## **Financial Holding Companies**

## Chicago

Community Holdings Corporation, Palos Hills, Illinois -- election to become a financial holding company. - Effective, May 23, 2000

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## **Federal Reserve Bank of Boston**

## Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

|      |             | Ending date of |  |
|------|-------------|----------------|--|
| Type | Application | comment period |  |
| None |             |                |  |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of comment period |
|------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| None |             |                               |

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

| Туре | Application |  |  |
|------|-------------|--|--|
| None |             |  |  |

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|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
|---|------------|
| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of New York**

Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

| Type  | Application   | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|-------|---|----------------------------------|
| FBSEA | Banco Comercial Portugues, S.A., Porto, Portugal, to establish a representative office in Miami, Florida.                                     | Newspaper – N/Avail              |
| FBSEA | Arab Banking Corporation (B.S.C.), Manama, Bahrain, to<br>establish a federally licensed uninsured branch in Greenwich,<br>Connecticut.       | Newspaper – N/Avail              |
| FBSEA | The Chuo Trust & Banking Co., Ltd., Tokyo, Japan, to establish a representative office in New York, New York.                                 | Newspaper – N/Avail              |
| FBSEA | Banco Itau S.A., Sao Paulo, Brazil, to establish a representative office in Miami, Florida.   | Newspaper – N/Avail              |
| FBSEA | Banca Antoniana Popolare Veneta, Rome, Italy, to establish a branch office in New York, New York.   | Newspaper – N/Avail              |
| FBSEA | Banco Comercial Portugues, S.A., Oporto, Portugal, to establish<br>a branch office in New York, New York, and an agency in<br>Miami, Florida. | Newspaper – N/Avail              |

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

| Туре    | Application   | Ending date of<br>comment period               |
|---------|---|--|
| 3(a)(1) | Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited, Melbourne,<br>Australia, to become a bank holding company by acquiring | Newspaper – 06/09/2000<br>Fed Reg – 06/19/2000 |
|         | Amerika Samoa Bank, Pago Pago, American Samoa .*  | 100 Heg 00,17/2000                             |

\* Subject to the provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

|      |             | Ending date of |  |
|------|-------------|----------------|--|
| Type | Application | comment period |  |
| None |             |                |  |

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

| Туре | Application |
|------|-------------|
| None |             |

#### Section V - Availability of CRA public evaluations

The Community Reinvestment Act is intended to encourage depository institutions to help meet the credit needs of the communities in which they operate, including low - and moderate -income neighborhoods. It was enacted by the Congress in 1977 (12 U.S.C. 2901) and is implemented by Regulation BB (12 CFR 228). The regulation was revised in May 1995.

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|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA exami | nations scheduled for | Quarter of |  |
|------------------------|-----------------------|------------|--|
| Institution            | Loca                  | tion       |  |
| None                   |                       |            |  |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia**

## Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

| Туре              | Application   | Ending date of<br>comment period               |
|-------------------|---|--|
| 3(a)(3) & 3(a)(5) | Fulton Financial Corporation, Lancaster, PA, to acquire Skyland<br>Financial Corporation, Hackettstown, NJ, and its subsidiary<br>bank Skylands Community Bank, Hackettstown, NJ. | Newspaper: 06/23/2000<br>Fed. Reg.: 06/23/2000 |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

| Туре | Application |
|------|-------------|
| None |             |

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|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
|---|------------|
| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland**

Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

| Туре   | Application  | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|--------|--|----------------------------------|
| Branch | Received notice from Heartland Bank, Croton, OH on 05/22/2000 of its intent to establish a branch at the corner of South State Street and Cherrington Road, Westerville, OH. | 05/22/2000                       |
| Branch | Received notice from The State Bank and Trust Company,<br>Defiance, OH on 05/24/2000 of its intent to establish a branch at<br>137 South Main Street, Suite 302, Akron, OH.  | 06/15/2000                       |
| 18(C)  | Received application on 05/26/2000 from Somerset Trust<br>Company, Somerset, PA to merge with Somerset Interim Bank,<br>Somerset, PA.  | 06/22/2000                       |

### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

|      |             | Ending date of |
|------|-------------|----------------|
| Туре | Application | comment period |
| None |             |                |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Туре | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

| Туре       | Application  |
|------------|--|
| 3(a)(5)(c) | Received Section 3 notification on 05/26/2000 from Somerset<br>Trust Holding Company, Somerset, PA of its intent to acquire the<br>outstanding voting shares of Somerset Trust Comoany, Somerset,<br>PA. |

Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

The Community Reinvestment Act is intended to encourage depository institutions to help meet the credit needs of the communities in which they operate, including low- and moderate-income neighborhoods. It was enacted by the Congress in 1977 (12 U.S.C. 2901) and is implemented by Regulation BB (12 CFR 228). The regulation was revised in May 1995.

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The federal bank regulators use the following four performance levels to rate an institution's performance under CRA:

O = Outstanding S = Satisfactory NI = Needs to improve SN = Substantial noncompliance

| RSSD   |                      | Examination | CRA         | CRA    | Exam type  |
|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
|---|------------|
| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond**

Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

| Type   | Application   | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|--------|---|----------------------------------|
| Branch | Allfirst Bank, Baltimore, Maryland, to establish a branch at Route 3 and Waugh Chapel Road, Crofton, Maryland.*   | Newspaper - 06/02/2000           |
| Branch | First Virginia Bank-Colonial, Richmond, Virginia, to establish<br>a branch in Lakewood Manor at 1900 Lauderdale Drive,<br>Richmond, Virginia .*   | Newspaper - 06/09/2000           |
| 18(c)  | F & M Bank-Emporia, Emporia, Virginia, to purchase certain<br>assets and to assume certain liabilities of four branch offices<br>of Wachovia Bank, National Association, Winston-Salem,<br>North Carolina, located in the cities of Blackstone, Franklin,<br>Kenbridge, and Drakes Branch, Virginia.* | Newspaper – 06/22/2000           |
| 18(c)  | James River Bank, Waverly, Virginia, to purchase certain<br>assets and to assume certain liabilities of a branch office of<br>One Valley Bank-Central Virginia, National Association,<br>Lynchburg, Virginia, located at 524 North Main Street,<br>Emporia, Virginia .*                               | Newspaper – 06/27/2000           |
| 18(c)  | Bank of Suffolk, Suffolk, Virginia, to merge with James River Bank/Colonial, Smithfield, Virginia.*   | Newspaper - 06/27/2000           |

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

\*Subject to the provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act.

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

| Type | Application | Ending date of comment period |
|------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| None |             |                               |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of comment period |
|------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| None |             |                               |

| Туре       | Application   |
|------------|---|
| Section 25 | Capital One Bank, Glen Allen, Virginia, to establish a wholly owned subsidiary bank in London, England. |

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

#### Section V – Availability of CRA public evaluations

The Community Reinvestment Act is intended to encourage depository institutions to help meet the credit needs of the communities in which they operate, including low - and moderate -income neighborhoods. It was enacted by the Congress in 1977 (12 U.S.C. 2901) and is implemented by Regulation BB (12 CFR 228). The regulation was revised in May 1995.

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| RSSD   |                      | Examination | CRA         | CRA    | Exam ty | ype  |
|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|---------|------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk   | SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |         |      |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
|---|------------|
| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta**

## Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

| Туре | Application | Ending date of comment period |
|------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| None |             |                               |

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

| Type | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

| Туре    | Application   |
|---------|---|
| 4(c)(8) | Regions Financial Corporation, Birmingham, Alabama, prior<br>notice to acquire Heritage Mortgage Company, Hutto, Texas,<br>and thereby engage in making, acquiring, brokering, or servicing<br>loans or other extensions of credit. |
| Member  | SouthTrust Bank, N.A., Birmingham, Alabama, to become a member of the Federal Reserve System.   |
| Member  | Centura Card Bank, Norcross, Georgia, to become a member of the Federal Reserve System.   |

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| RSSD   |                      | Examination | CRA         | CRA    | Exam type  |
|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
|---|------------|
| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago**

Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

| Туре  | Application  | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|---|--|----------------------------------|
| Branch  | Old Kent Bank, Grand Rapids, Michigan, for prior approval to establish a branch at 3866 E. Grand River, Howell, Michigan.*           | Newspaper – 05/12/2000           |
| 18(c)   | Old Kent Bank, Grand Rapids, Michigan, for prior approval to merge with Grand Premier Trust and Investment, N.A., Freeport Illinois* | Newspaper - 06/11/2000           |
| * Subject to the provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act |  |                                  |

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| Туре    | Application   | Ending date of<br>comment period            |
|---------|---|---|
| 3(a)(1) | Lafayette Community Bancorp, Lafayette, Indiana, for prior<br>approval to become a bank holding company through the<br>acquisition of 100 percent of the voting shares of Lafayette<br>Community Bank (in organization), Lafayette, Indiana.*   | Fed Reg – 06/19/2000<br>Newspaper – N/Avail |
| 3(a)(3) | Northwest Financial Corporation, Spencer, Iowa, proposes to acquire at least 98.49 percent of Marquette Bank Oelwein, N.A., Oelwein, Iowa.*   | Fed Reg – N/Avail<br>Newspaper – N/Avail    |
| 3(a)(3) | Mahaska Investment Company ESOP, Oskaloosa, Iowa,<br>proposes to acquire an additional 2.29 percent of Mahaska<br>Investment Company. The shares are being obtain through the<br>merger of Midwest Bancshares, Inc. ESOP, Burlington, Iowa.<br>ESOP's aggregate ownership will be 13.87 percent.* | Fed Reg – N/Avail<br>Newspaper – N/Avail    |
| 3(a)(3) | Antioch Holding Company, Antioch, Illinois, for prior approval<br>to acquire up to 24.99 percent of Lakes Region Bancorporation,<br>Inc., Third Lake, Illinois.*  | Fed Reg - N/Avail<br>Newspaper - 06/12/2000 |

\* Subject to the provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act

| Туре    | Application  | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|---------|--|----------------------------------|
| 4(c)(8) | First Merchants Corporation, Muncie, Indiana, to engage de<br>novo through its subsidiary, First Merchants Reinsurance Co.<br>Ltd., in the reinsuring of credit life, credit accident and health<br>insurance. | Fed Reg - N/Avail                |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

| Туре | Application |
|------|-------------|
| None |             |

#### Section V – Availability of CRA public evaluations

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| RSSD   |   | Examination | CRA         | CRA    | Exam type  |
|--------|---|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location  | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| 709143 | Midwest Bank of Western Illinois<br>100 E. Broadway<br>Monmouth, Illinois 61462<br>(309) 734-2265 | 11/08/1999  | 05/24/2000  | 0      | Х          |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
|---|------------|
| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis

## Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

| Туре | Application  | Ending date of comment period              |
|------|--|--|
| CIC  | Notice involving M&F Financial Corporation, Dumas,<br>Arkansas, by Ann Doolin Adcock, Dumas, Arkansas. | Newspaper – 6/3/2000<br>Fed Reg – 6/5/2000 |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of comment period |
|------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| None |             |                               |

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

| Туре | Application  |
|------|--|
| 24A  | Notice by The Bank of Yellville, Yellville, Arkansas, to make an additional investment in bank premises. |

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|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
|---|------------|
| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis**

Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

| Туре         | Application  | Ending date of comment period |
|--------------|--|-------------------------------|
| 18(c) & BKBR | Valley Bank of Ronan, Ronan, Montana, to purchase the assets<br>and assume the liabilities of the Thompson Falls, Montana<br>branch of Glacier Bank, Kalispell, Montana and incident thereto<br>establish a branch at 1222 Maiden Lane, Thompson Falls,<br>Montana.* | 06/29/2000                    |

\*Subject to the provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act.

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

| Type | Application  | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|--|----------------------------------|
| CIC  | John L. Franklin to acquire control of 1 <sup>st</sup> United Bancorporation, Inc., Sidney, Montana. | Fed Reg - 06/19/2000             |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of comment period |
|------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| None |             |                               |

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

| None |  |
|------|--|

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|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
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| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

## Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

| Type    | Application  | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|---------|--|----------------------------------|
| 3(a)(1) | Three Rivers Bankshares, Inc., Fort Gibson, Oklahoma, to   | Newspaper - 06/11/2000           |
|         | become a bank holding company through the acquisition of 100<br>percent of the voting shares of Fort Gibson Bancshares, Inc.,<br>Fort Gibson, Oklahoma, and thereby indirectly acquire Fort<br>Gibson State Bank, Fort Gibson, Oklahoma. | Fed Reg - 06/12/2000             |
| 3(a)(3) | Heritage Group, Inc., Aurora, Colorado, to acquire 100 percent   | Newspaper - N/Avail              |
|         | of the voting shares of City National Bank and Trust Company,<br>Hastings, Nebraska.   | Fed Reg - 06/19/2000             |

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of comment period |
|------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| None |             |                               |

| Туре   | Application   |
|--------|---|
| Member | Arvest Bank, Joplin, Missouri, for membership in the Federal Reserve System.                        |
| Member | Community Banks of Colorado, Cripple Creek, Colorado, for membership in the Federal Reserve System. |
| S/R    | PCI Holdings, Inc., Saint Marys, Kansas, to redeem 2,345 shares of its own voting common stock.     |

Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

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|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
|---|------------|
| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas**

### Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

#### Section I – Applications subject to newspaper notice only

| Туре | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section II – Applications subject to both newspaper and Federal Register notice

| Type    | Application   | Ending date of comment period                  |
|---------|---|--|
| 3(a)(5) | Northwest Bancorporation, Inc., Houston, TX, to acquire<br>Redstone Bancorporation, Inc., Houston, TX, and<br>Redstone Bank, N.A., Houston, TX*<br>(previously reported the week ending May 20, 2000) | Fed Reg – 06/15/2000<br>Newspaper – 06/12/2000 |
| CIC     | Sharon Lord Caskey, Georgetown, TX, et al, to acquire an interest in First Texas Bancorp, Inc., Georgetown, TX  | Fed Reg – 06/10/2000<br>Newspaper – 06/14/2000 |

\* Subject to the provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act

#### Section III – Applications subject to Federal Register notice only

| Type | Application | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| None |             |                                  |

#### Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

| Туре | Application |  |
|------|-------------|--|
| None |             |  |

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|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number | Institution/Location | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
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| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |

## **Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco**

## Applications and notifications filed during the week ending Saturday, May 27, 2000

| Type  | Application  | Ending date of<br>comment period |  |
|---|--|----------------------------------|--|
| Branch  | Community Bank of Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada, to establish a branch office at 375 North Stephanie Street, Henderson, Nevada.* | Newspaper - 06/01/2000           |  |
| * Subject to the provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act |  |                                  |  |

Newspaper - Newspaper Comment Period Ending Date

| Section II – Applications | subject to both new | snaper and Federal | Register notice |
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| Section II – Applications | subject to both new | spaper and rederal | Register notice |

| Type             | Application   | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| 3(a)(3)          | North Bay Bancorp, Napa, California, to acquire Solano Bank | Newspaper - 06/16/2000           |
|                  | (In Organization), Vacaville, California .*                 | Fed Reg - 06/26/2000             |
| * Subject to the | he provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act             |                                  |

Fed Reg - Federal Register Comment Period Ending Date

Newspaper - Newspaper Comment Period Ending Date

| Section III – | <b>Applications</b> | subject to Feder | ral Register notic | e only |
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| Type    | Application   | Ending date of<br>comment period |
|---------|---|----------------------------------|
| 4(c)(8) | Silicon Valley Bancshares, Inc., Santa Clara, California, to<br>engage directly, or indirectly, in acting as investment or<br>financial advisor through its subsidiary, SVB Strategic Investors<br>Fund, L.P., Santa Clara, California. | 06/14/2000                       |

Fed Reg - Federal Register Comment Period Ending Date

| Туре   | Application   |
|--------|---|
| Waiver | Business Bank of California, San Bernardino, California,<br>requests a waiver of any Bank Holding Company Act<br>application requirement in connection with its proposed merger<br>with Valley Merchants Bank, N.A., Hemet, California. |

Section IV – Applications not subject to Federal Register or newspaper notice

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|--------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|
| number |                      | date        | public date | rating | LrgBk SmBk |
| None   |                      |             |             |        |            |

| Section VI – CRA examinations scheduled for | Quarter of |
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| Institution                                 | Location   |
| None  |            |