

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 question whether consummation of the proposal 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." Any request for a hearing on this question 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.

Comments regarding the application must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than February 28, 1995.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond (Lloyd W. Bostian, Jr., Senior Vice President) 701 East Byrd Street, Richmond, Virginia 23261:

1. *City Holding Company*, Charleston, West Virginia; to engage *de novo* in providing to non-affiliated financial institutions data processing services for processing the user bank's deposit and loan applications pursuant to § 225.25(b)(7) of the Board's Regulation Y. These activities will take place in West Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky, Virginia, Maryland, and Pennsylvania.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, February 8, 1995.

William W. Wiles,

Secretary of the Board.

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Carl L. Frickey, et al.; Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of Banks or Bank Holding Companies

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. Once the

notices have been accepted for processing, they will also be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than March 10, 1995.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (John E. Yorke, Senior Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198:

1. *Carl L. Frickey*, trustee of the Carl L. Frickey Revocable Trust, Oberlin, Kansas; to acquire an additional 8.33 percent, for a total of 26.36 percent, of the voting shares of Farmers Bancshares of Oberlin, Inc., Oberlin, Kansas, and thereby indirectly acquire Farmers National Bank of Oberlin, Oberlin, Kansas.

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

1. *Western Bank Las Cruces Employee Stock Ownership Plan*, Las Cruces, New Mexico; to acquire an additional 13.8 percent, for a total of 16.86 percent, of the voting shares of Western Bancshares of Las Cruces, Inc., Carlsbad, New Mexico, and thereby indirectly acquire Western Bank, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, February 8, 1995.

William W. Wiles,

Secretary of the Board.

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Valrico Bancorp, Inc.; Formation of, Acquisition by, or Merger of Bank Holding Companies

The company listed in this notice has applied for the Board's approval under section 3 of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1842) and § 225.14 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.14) to become a bank holding company or to acquire a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the applications are set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

The application is 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 to the Reserve Bank indicated for that application or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Any comment on an application that requests a hearing must

include a statement of why a written presentation would not suffice in lieu of a hearing, identifying specifically any questions of fact that are in dispute and summarizing the evidence that would be presented at a hearing.

Comments regarding this application must be received not later than March 10, 1995.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Zane R. Kelley, Vice President) 104 Marietta Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30303:

1. *Valrico Bancorp, Inc.*, Valrico, Florida; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Valrico State Bank, Valrico, Florida.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, February 8, 1995.

William W. Wiles,

Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Application to Office of Management and Budget for Clearance of Information Collection Requirements Contained in Proposed Telemarketing Sales Rule

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission ("FTC").

ACTION: Notice of application to the Office of Management and Budget ("OMB") under the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) for clearance of information collection requirements contained in a proposed trade regulation rule pursuant to the Telemarketing and Consumer Fraud and Abuse Prevention Act.

SUMMARY: The FTC is seeking OMB clearance for information collection requirements contained in proposed regulations implementing the Telemarketing and Consumer Fraud and Abuse Prevention Act, 15 U.S.C. 6101-6108 ("Telemarketing Act" or "the Act").

The Telemarketing Act requires the Commission to issue a rule prohibiting deceptive and abusive telemarketing acts and practices. Section 3(a)(1). In accordance with the statutory directive, the Commission is proposing a rule that prohibits various misrepresentations and other deceptive and abusive acts and practices and that imposes various disclosure and recordkeeping requirements on affected entities.

Specifically, the proposed rule requires that affected entities retain certain records for a two-year period. These records include advertising,

promotional materials, and telemarketing scripts; information regarding prize recipients and prizes; sales information; information regarding employees directly involved in telephone sales; and written notices, disclosures and acknowledgements required under the proposed rule. These records would be available for inspection by Commission staff, by other government law enforcement personnel, and by private litigants to determine compliance with the rule.

Absent the recordkeeping requirements, Commission staff believes that this is the type of information that would be retained by these entities in any event during the normal course of business because this information would be useful in resolving private, non-governmental inquiries and disputes. The definition of "burden" for OMB purposes excludes any effort that would be expended regardless of a regulatory requirement. 5 C.F.R. § 1320.7(b)(1). Thus, the only burden would be for retaining the records for an additional period of time.

Currently, staff is estimating that 40,000 entities will be affected and that it will take each affected entity one hour per year to retain these documents for an additional period of time. Thus, the total burden for the proposed rule is estimated at 40,000 hours (1 hour per year times 40,000 industry members). However, staff is seeking comments, particularly quantitative estimates, about the amount of time it would take to comply with these requirements, and the comments may result in a change in the estimated burden hours. The basis for this estimate is described in more detail in the Supporting Statement submitted with the Request for OMB Review.

DATES: Comments on this application must be submitted on or before March 31, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Send comments both to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 3228, Washington, DC 20503, ATN: Desk Officer for the Federal Trade Commission, and to the Office of the Secretary, Room 159, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC 20580. Copies of the submission to OMB may be obtained from the Public Reference Section, Room 130, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC 20580.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David M. Torok, Attorney, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Division of Marketing Practices, Federal Trade

Commission, Washington, DC 20580, (202) 326-3140.

Donald S. Clark,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration

[BPD-793-NC]

RIN 0938-AG54

Medicare Program; Schedule of Limits on Home Health Agency Costs Per Visit

AGENCY: Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), HHS.

ACTION: Notice with comment period.

SUMMARY: This notice with comment period sets forth a revised schedule of limits on home health agency costs that may be paid under the Medicare program for cost reporting periods beginning on or after July 1, 1993. These limits replace the per-visit limits that were set forth in our July 8, 1993 notice with comment period (58 FR 36748). This notice also provides, in accordance with the provisions of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993 (OBRA '93), that there will be no changes in the home health agency (HHA) cost limits for cost reporting periods beginning on or after July 1, 1994, and before July 1, 1996. In addition, this notice responds to public comments on the July 8, 1993 notice with comment period, which originally set forth the HHA cost limits for cost reporting periods beginning on or after July 1, 1993, and on the January 6, 1994 notice with comment period (59 FR 760), which announced the elimination of the hospital based add-on effective for cost reporting periods beginning on or after October 1, 1993.

DATES: *Effective date:* The revised schedule of limits on HHA costs set forth in this notice is effective for cost reporting periods beginning on or after July 1, 1993.

The OBRA '93 provision providing that there be no changes in the HHA cost limits for cost reporting periods beginning on or after July 1, 1994, and before July 1, 1996, as set forth in this notice, is effective for cost reporting periods beginning on or after July 1, 1994.

Comment date: Written comments will be considered if we receive them at the appropriate address, as provided

below, no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 17, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Mail written comments (1 original and 3 copies) to the following address: Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, Attention: BPD-793-NC, P.O. Box 7571, Baltimore Maryland 21207-0517.

If you prefer, you may deliver your comments (1 original and 3 copies) to one of the following addresses: Room 309-G, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Ave., SW., Washington DC 20201, or Room 132, East High Rise Building, 6325 Security Boulevard, Baltimore Maryland 21207.

Because of staffing and resource limitations, we cannot accept comments by facsimile (FAX) transmission. In commenting, please refer to file code BPD-793-NC. Comments received timely will be available for public inspection as they are received, beginning approximately 3 weeks after publication of a document, in Room 309-G of the Department's offices at 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington DC, on Monday through Friday of each week from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (phone: (202) 690-7890).

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael Bussacca, (410) 966-4602.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

A. History

Section 1861(v)(1)(A) of the Social Security Act (the Act) authorizes the Secretary to set limits on allowable costs incurred by a provider of services for which payment may be made under the Medicare program. These limits are based on estimates of the costs necessary for the efficient delivery of needed health services. Under this