A. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis
(Randall C. Sumner, Vice President) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63166:
1. Farmers Bancshares, Inc., Hardinsburg, Kentucky; thru its subsidiary, Farmers Bancshares Finance Corp., Inc., Hardinsburg, Kentucky, to acquire the assets and assume the liabilities of Breckinridge Loan, Inc., Hardinsburg, Kentucky, an existing consumer finance company, and thereby engage in consumer finance activities, pursuant to §225.25(b)(1) of the Board’s Regulation Y.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Kenneth R. Binning, Director, Bank Holding Company) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105:
1. Banque Nationale de Paris, Paris, France; and BancWest Corporation, San Francisco, California; to acquire Northbay Savings Bank, F.S.B., Petaluma, California; and thereby engage in owning, controlling or operating a savings association, pursuant to §225.25(b)(9) of the Board’s Regulation Y.

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[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)).

Each 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 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.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received not later than February 20, 1996.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond (Lloyd W. Bostian, Jr., Senior Vice President) 701 East Byrd Street, Richmond, Virginia 23261:
1. Patapsco Bancorp, Inc., Dundalk, Maryland; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of The Patapsco Bank, Dundalk, Maryland. The Patapsco Bank is the proposed successor by charter conversion of Patapsco Federal Savings and Loan Association.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago (James A. Blumenle, Vice President) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690:

C. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (Genie D. Short, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:
1. West Texas Bancshares, Inc., Kermit, Texas; to merge with Monahans Bancshares, Inc., Monahans, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire First State Bank, Monahans, Texas.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Proposed Information Collection Activity; Comment Request

Proposed Project(s)

Title: Report on Claims of Good Cause for Refusing to Cooperate in Establishing Paternity and Security Child support.

OMB No.: 0970–0073.

Description: This report enables the Secretary, of HHS to comply with section 452(a)(10) of the Social Security Act which requires the Secretary to provide an annual report to Congress on the Child Support Enforcement program.

Respondents: State governments

ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES

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In compliance with the requirements of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Administration for Children and Families is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described below. Copies of the proposed collection of information can be obtained and comments may be forwarded by writing to The Administration for Children and Families, Office of Information Services, Division of Information Resource Management Services, 370 L’Enfant Promenade, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer. All requests should be identified by title. Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file without special characters or encryption.

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. Consideration will be given.