

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[Report No. 2245]

Petitions for Reconsideration and Clarification of Action in Rulemaking Proceedings

December 23, 1997.

Petitions for reconsideration and clarification have been filed in the Commission's rulemaking proceedings listed in this Public Notice and published pursuant to 47 CFR Section 1.429(e). The full text of these documents are available for viewing and copying in Room 239, 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. or may be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, ITS, Inc. (202) 857-3800. Oppositions to these petitions must be filed January 15, 1998. See Section 1.4(b)(1) of the Commission's rule (47 CFR 1.4(b)(1)). Replies to an opposition must be filed within 10 days after the time for filing oppositions has expired.

Subject: Telecommunications Services Inside Wiring Customer Premises Equipment (CS Docket No. 95-184).

Implementation of the Cable Television Consumer Protection and Competition Act of 1992: Cable Home Wiring (MM Docket No. 92-260).

Number of Petitions Filed: 8.

Subject: Amendment of the Commission's Rules to Establish a Radio Astronomy Coordination Zone in Puerto Rico (ET Docket No. 96-2, RM-8165).

Number of Petitions Filed: 1.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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. The notices also will 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 January 13, 1998.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (Randall C. Sumner, Vice President) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63102-2034:

1. *Craig Dwight Heath*, Phoenix, Arizona, and Robert Theodore Heath, Newton, Illinois, both individually and as co-trustees for the Heath Trust for First National Bancshares in Newton, Inc.; to retain voting shares of First National Bancshares in Newton, Inc., Newton, Illinois, and thereby indirectly retain First National Bank in Newton, Newton, Illinois.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 24, 1997.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy 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 application also will 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. 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 26, 1998.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Boston (Richard Walker, Community Affairs Officer) 600 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02106-2204:

1. *The Independent Mutual Holding Company*, Laconia, New Hampshire; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Laconia Savings Bank, Laconia, New Hampshire.

2. *West Coast Bancorp*, Lake Oswego, Oregon; to merge with Centennial Holdings, Ltd., Olympia, Washington, and thereby indirectly acquire Centennial Bank, Olympia, Washington.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Lois Berthaume, Vice President) 104 Marietta Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30303-2713:

1. *First American Corporation*, Nashville, Tennessee; to merge with Deposit Guaranty Corporation, Jackson, Mississippi, and thereby indirectly acquire Deposit Guaranty National Bank, Jackson, Mississippi.

In connection with this application, Applicant also has applied to acquire G&W Life Insurance Company, Jackson, Mississippi, and Deposit Guaranty Mortgage Company of Florida, Inc., Tallahassee, Florida, and thereby engage in extending credit and servicing loans and credit insurance activities, pursuant to §§ 225.28(b)(1) and (b)(11) of the Board's Regulation Y.

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

1. *Gold Banc Acquisition Corp, Inc. II*, Leawood, Kansas; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Farmers Bancshares of Oberlin, Inc., Oberlin, Kansas, and thereby indirectly acquire Farmers National Bank, Oberlin, Kansas.

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

1. *Texas Regional Bancshares, Inc.*, McAllen, Texas, and Texas Regional Delaware, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware (Applicants); to merge with Brownsville Bancshares, Inc., Brownsville, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire BNB Bancshares, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware, and Brownsville National Bank, Brownsville, Texas.

In connection with this application, Applicants also have applied to merge with TB&T Bancshares, Inc., Brownsville, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire Texas Bank & Trust Company, Brownsville, Texas.

In addition, Applicants have applied to merge with Raymondville Bancorp,