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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Notice of Proposals to Engage in Permissible Nonbanking Activities or to Acquire Companies that are 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 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 February 26, 1998.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Karen L. Grandstrand, Vice President) 90 Hennepin Avenue, P.O. Box 291, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. Norwest Corporation, Minneapolis, Minnesota; through Integran Financial Network, LLC, Atlanta, Georgia, to acquire up to 15.38 percent of the outstanding shares of CheckFree Corporation, Norcross, Georgia, and thereby engage in providing data processing and data transmission services, pursuant to §225.28(b)(14) of the Board’s Regulation Y.

2. Norwest Corporation, Minneapolis, Minnesota; through CheckFree Corporation, Norcross, Georgia, to provide links with States, communities, and the private sector to ensure their involvement in the process of developing these goals and objectives. The Secretary of Health and Human Services chairs the Council, with the Assistant Secretary for Health as Vice Chair. Other members include the Operating Division Heads of the Department and the former Assistant Secretaries for Health. Management and support services are provided by the Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Office of Public Health and Science, Office of the Secretary.

During its tenure, the Council will oversee the development of Healthy People 2010, the third generation of a national initiative to prevent disease and promote the health of the American people. At its second meeting, the membership will consider options for

notice that the Secretary’s Council on Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Objectives for 2010 will hold its second annual meeting, as mandated by its charter. Council members are charged with the duty of advising the Secretary on the development of objectives for the year 2010 and will have responsibility in this meeting for making recommendations on the arrangement and content of a draft document to be published for public comment later in the year.

DATES: The council will hold its next meeting on April 30, 1998 from 8:30 a.m. to approximately 4:30 p.m. E.D.T.

ADDRESSES: Department of Health and Human Services, Sixth floor conference room, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20201. The meeting is open to the public; seating is limited.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellis Davis, Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Room 738G, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20201, (202) 260-2873. The electronic mail address is: edavis@osophs.dhhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Council was established by charter on September 5, 1996 to provide assistance to the Secretary and the Department of Health and Human Services in the development of health promotion and disease prevention objectives to enhance the health of Americans by 2010. The Council meets approximately once a year and will terminate two years from its charter date, unless renewed prior to its expiration.

The Council is charged to advise the Secretary on the development of national health promotion and disease prevention goals and objectives and to provide links with States, communities, and the private sector to ensure their involvement in the process of developing these goals and objectives. The Secretary of Health and Human Services chairs the Council, with the Assistant Secretary for Health as Vice Chair. Other members include the Operating Division Heads of the Department and the former Assistant Secretaries for Health. Management and support services are provided by the Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Office of Public Health and Science, Office of the Secretary.

During its tenure, the Council will oversee the development of Healthy People 2010, the third generation of a national initiative to prevent disease and promote the health of the American people. At its second meeting, the membership will consider options for
the proposed framework for the 2010 initiative based on an analysis of public comments received during a 3-month period, which ended on December 15, 1997. They will make recommendations on the format to be adopted for publication in the fall of 1998. The members will also discuss proposals for 2010 objectives as provided by the HHS agencies after consideration of public comments. The Council’s recommendations will form the basis of a draft of the 2010 objectives to be published concurrently with the draft format.

If time permits at the conclusion of the formal agenda of the Council, the Chair may allow brief oral statements from interested parties and persons in attendance. The meeting is open to the public; however, seating is limited. Because of strict security in the Humphrey Building, members of the public who do not have a Federal government identification card should call Ms. Gloria Robledo (202–401–7736) when they arrive in the building lobby to arrange for an escort to the meeting. If you will require a sign language interpreter, please call Ms. Robledo by 4:30 p.m. E.D.T. on April 17, 1998 to inform her of this need.


Susanne A. Stoiber,
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health (Disease Prevention and Health Promotion).

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Agency for Health Care Policy and Research
Nominations for Members of the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force: Clarification

The Agency for Health Care Policy and Research (AHCPR) in the January 7, 1998 Federal Register (FR) Notice (63 FR 879–880) invited nominations for members of the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force. Curricula vitae were requested with the nominations. The FR notice stated that response will be available for public inspection.

AHCPR is clarifying the January 7 notice regarding availability of responses. Under the heading “Materials Submission and Deadline” on page 880 the following statement should be included: “Information regarded as private and personal, such as a nominee’s social security number, home and Internet addresses, home telephone and fax numbers, or names of children, will not be disclosed to the public.” This is in accord with agency confidentiality policies and Department regulations (45 CFR 5.67).


John M. Eisenberg,
Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Announcement 98015]

National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; Fatality Surveillance and Field Investigations at the State Level Using the NIOSH Fatality Assessment and Control Evaluation Model; Notice of Availability of Funds for Fiscal Year 1998

Introduction

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the availability of fiscal year (FY) 1998 funds for cooperative agreements to build State capacity for conducting traumatic occupational fatality surveillance, investigation, and intervention activities through the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) Fatality Assessment and Control Evaluation (FACE) Model.

CDC is committed to achieving the health promotion and disease prevention objectives of Healthy People 2000, a national activity to reduce morbidity and mortality and improve the quality of life. This announcement is related to the priority areas of Occupational Safety and Health, and Surveillance and Data Systems. (To order a copy of Healthy People 2000, see the section WHERE TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.)

Authority

This program is authorized under the Public Health Service Act, as amended, Section 301(a) [42 U.S.C. 241(a)]; the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, Section 20(a) [29 U.S.C. 669(a)]. The applicable program regulation is 42 CFR Part 52.

Smoke-Free Workplace

CDC strongly encourages all grant recipients to provide a smoke-free workplace and to promote the use of all tobacco products, and Public Law 103–227, the Pro-Children Act of 1994, prohibits smoking in certain facilities that receive Federal funds in which education, library, day care, health care, and early childhood development services are provided to children.

Eligible Applicants

Eligible applicants are State Departments of Health, Departments of Labor, and Departments of Industry located within any State or territory of the United States. Program activities, however, may not be carried out by departmental divisions that are responsible for enforcement of occupational safety and health standards. Awardees will be limited to those organizations that can exercise public health authority for intervention into occupational safety and health problems.

Only one application per State will be accepted under this announcement.

Note: An organization described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 which engages in lobbying activities shall not be eligible to receive Federal funds constituting an award, a grant, contract, loan, or any other form.

Availability of Funds

Approximately $190,000 will be available in FY 1998 to fund two or three awards. It is expected that the awards will range from $60,000 to $100,000. Individual awards may vary by State, and will be based upon the scope and nature of traumatic occupational fatalities documented by the respondent, and upon proposed personnel, administrative, and associated costs. The awards will be made on or about July 1, 1998, with 12-month budget periods within project periods of up to 5 years. Funding estimates may vary and are subject to change.

Continuation awards within the project period will be determined on the basis of satisfactory progress and the availability of funds.

Use of Funds

Restrictions on Lobbying

Applicants should be aware of restrictions on the use of HHS funds for lobbying of Federal or State legislative bodies. Under the provisions of 31 U.S.C. Section 1352 (which has been in effect since December 23, 1989), recipients (and their subtier contractors) are prohibited from using appropriated Federal funds (other than profits from a Federal contract) for lobbying Congress or any Federal agency in connection with the award of a particular contract, grant, cooperative agreement, or loan. This includes grants/cooperative agreements that, in whole or in part, involve conferences for which federal