

be issued by February 3, 1999, and the final decision of the Commission shall be issued by June 3, 1999.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Granting of Request for Early Termination of the Waiting Period Under the Premerger Notification Rules

Section 7A of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. § 18a, as added by Title II of the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, requires persons contemplating certain mergers or acquisitions to give the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General advance notice and to wait designated periods before consummation of such plans. Section

7A(b)(2) of the Act permits the agencies, in individual cases, to terminate this waiting period prior to its expiration and requires that notice of this action be published in the **Federal Register**.

The following transactions were granted early termination of the waiting period provided by law and the premerger notification rules. The grants were made by the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General for the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice. Neither agency intends to take any action with respect to these proposed acquisitions during the applicable waiting period.

TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION BETWEEN: 012098 AND 013098

Name of acquiring person, name of acquired person, name of acquired entity	PMN No.	Date terminated
J. Garner Scott, Joseph E. Parker, Jr., S&M Equipment Corporation	98-1012	01/20/98
Coventry Corporation, Principal Mutual Life Insurance Co., Principal Mutual Life Insurance Co	98-1111	01/20/98
Principal Mutual Life Insurance Co., Coventry Corporation, Coventry Health Care, Inc	98-1112	01/20/98
Baptist Hospital, Inc., Daughters of Charity National Health System, St.Thomas Hospital & Middle Tennessee Health Corp	98-1199	01/20/98
IAT Reinsurance Syndicate Ltd., National Discount Brokers Group, Inc., National Discount Brokers Group, Inc	98-1235	01/20/98
Fresenius Aktiengesellschaft, Phillip G Calderone, M.D., Nephro-Care, Inc	98-1278	01/20/98
U.S.A. Floral Products, Inc., Continental Farms Limited, Continental Farms Limited	98-1279	01/20/98
H.I.G. Investment Group, L.P., Fred McCoy, Cincinnati Test Systems, Inc	98-1280	01/20/98
N.V. Verenigd Bezit VNU, Starwood Lodging Corporation, ITT World Directories, Inc	98-1281	01/20/98
Intrawest Corporation, The Praedium Recovery Fund, LP, Angel Projects LLC	98-1283	01/20/98
American HomePatient, Inc., National Medical Systems, Inc., National Medical Systems, Inc	98-1285	01/20/98
Permiere Technologies, Inc., Xpedite Systems, Inc., Xpedite Systems, Inc	98-1288	01/20/98
McClatchy Newspapers, Inc., Cowles Media Company, Cowles Media Company	98-1291	01/20/98
Cowles Media Company, McClatchy Newspapers, Inc., McClatchy Newspaper, Inc	98-1292	01/20/98
Grey Wolf, Inc., Murco Drilling Corporation, Murco Drilling Corporation	98-1295	01/20/98
U.S. Office Products Company, Avi Shaked & Babs Waldman (spouses), PCM, Inc	98-1299	01/20/98
Avi Shaked and Babs Waldman (spouses), U.S. Office Products Company, U.S. Office Products Company	98-1300	01/20/98
Wyndham International, Inc., Interstate Hotel Corporation, Interstate Hotel Corporation	98-1307	01/20/98
Ocean Energy, Inc., United Meridian Corporation, United Meridian Corporation	98-1315	01/20/98
United Dominion Industries Limited, Radiodetection Holdings, Limited, Radiodetection Holdings, Limited	98-1325	01/20/98
Osonics, Inc., Micron Separations, Inc., Micron Separations, Inc	98-1333	01/20/98
GKN plc, Armstrong Rim & Wheel Mfg. Co., Armstrong Rim & Wheel Mfg. Co	98-0402	01/21/98
Phillip G. Ruffin, Margaret Elardi, Unbelievable, Inc	98-1068	01/21/98
JELD-WEN, Inc., Morgan Products Ltd., Morgan Products Ltd	98-1108	01/21/98
Newcor, Inc., Raymond B. Dorris, Turn-Matic, Inc	98-1114	01/21/98
Sara Lee Corporation, Kesterson Companies, Inc., Kesterson Companies, Inc	98-1120	01/21/98
Republic Industries, Inc., D/L Motor Company, D/L Motor Company	98-1121	01/21/98
MedPartners, Inc., Mid-America Medical Group, S.C., Mid-America Medical Group, S.C	98-1257	01/21/98
U.S.A. Floral Products, Inc., Peter F. Ullrich, XL Group Inc	98-1269	01/21/98
Quad-C Partners IV, LP, D&F Holdings, Inc., D&F Holdings, Inc	98-1275	01/21/98
Textron Inc., The Washington Water Power Company, Systran Financial Services Holding Company	98-1294	01/21/98
HWH Capital Partners, L.P., Olympus Growth Fund II, L.P., NBC Acquisition Corp	98-1305	01/21/98
Culligan Water Technologies, Inc., Water Services Corporation, Water Services Corporation	98-1323	01/21/98
H.F. Johnson Distributing Trust f/b/o Samuel C. Johnson, The Dow Chemical Company, DowBrands L.P., DowBrands, Inc., DowBrands Canada Inc	98-0692	01/22/98
Tokyo Electron Limited, Sony Corporation, Materials Research Corporation	98-1211	01/22/98
Catholic Health Initiatives, Columbia/HCA Healthcare Corporation, HCA Health Services of Midwest, Inc	98-1238	01/22/98
Universal Outdoor, Inc., James V. Riley, Transportation Media, Inc	98-1284	01/22/98
Four Media Company, Visualize d/b/a POP, Visualize d/b/a POP	98-1298	01/22/98
Reckitt & Colman plc (a British company), H.F. Johnson Distributing Trust of the Benefit of Samue, SNW Co., Inc .. Health Management Associates, Inc., Riley Development Systems, Inc., The Riley Hospital & Benevolent Association	98-1231	01/23/98
Blackstone Offshore Capital Partners III, LP, SK Parent Corp. (JV), SK Parent Corp. (JV)	98-1378	01/23/98
Blackstone Capital Partners III Merchant Banking Fund, SK Parent Corp. (JV), SK Parent Corp. (JV)	98-0728	01/26/98
Philip Services Corp., SK Parent Corp. (JV), SK Parent Corp. (JV)	98-0729	01/26/98
Philip Services Corp., Safety-Kleen Corp., Safety-Kleen Corp	98-0730	01/26/98
Philip Services Corp., Safety-Kleen Corp., Safety-Kleen Corp	98-0817	01/26/98
Galob Toys, Inc., George W. Lucas, Jr., Lucas Licensing Ltd	98-1282	01/26/98
Diebold, Incorporated, Diebold, Incorporated, Inter Bold	98-1282	01/26/98
Diebold, Incorporated, Diebold, Incorporated, Inter Bold	98-1317	01/26/98
PalEx, Inc., a Delaware corporation, A. Joseph Cruz, Consolidated Drum Reconditioning Co. dba Container	98-1321	01/26/98
PalEx, Inc., a Delaware corporation, Philip M. Freeman, Consolidated Drum Reconditioning Co. dba Container Servi	98-1322	01/26/98

TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION BETWEEN: 012098 AND 013098—Continued

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Cornerstone Equity Investors IV, LP, Micron Technology, Inc., Micron Custom Manufacturing Services, Inc	98-1327	01/26/98
ITEQ, Inc., Matrix Service Company, Matrix Service Company	98-1331	01/26/98
Kingsway Financial Services Inc., American Service Investment Corporation, American Service Investment Corporation	98-1334	01/26/98
PalEx, Inc., Elliot Pearlman, Acme Barrel Company, Inc., Western Container Limited Li	98-1335	01/26/98
RCN Corporation, Erol M. Onaran, Erols Internet, Inc	98-1337	01/26/98
Charter Oak Partners, Fred Thomas, Sr., ITM Corporation	98-1340	01/26/98
AlliedSignal Inc., George F. Roberts, Tensor, Inc	98-1348	01/26/98
George F. Roberts, AlliedSignal, Inc., AlliedSignal, Inc	98-1349	01/26/98
Albertson's, Inc., Crimson Associates, L.P., Crimson Associates, L.P., Seessel Holdings, Inc	98-1351	01/26/98
Quanex Corporation, Decatur Aluminum Holding Corp., Decatur Aluminum Corp	98-1354	01/26/98
Reliance Steel & Aluminum Co., Jack J. Cook, Jr., Durrett-Sheppard Steel Co., L.L.C.; Durrett-Sheppard	98-1361	01/26/98
International Technology Corporation, OHM Corporation, OHM Corporation	98-1367	01/26/98
First Reserve Fund VII, Limited Partnership, Jacqueline Trust No. 2, Cardinal Holding Corp	98-1373	01/26/98
Cablevision Systems Corporation, Cablevision Systems Corporation, Rainbow Program Enterprise	98-1387	01/26/98
PVS Chemicals, Inc., Stronach Trust, The Chantland Company	98-1402	01/26/98
AutoZone, Inc., Delaware Falcon, Inc., ADAP, Inc	98-1405	01/26/98
Laidlaw Inc. (a Canadian company), Safety-Kleen Corp., Safety-Kleen Corp	98-0769	01/27/98
Robert F.X. Sillerman, Steve F. Schankman, The Contemporary Group Inc	98-1157	01/27/98
Robert F.X. Sillerman, Irving P. Zuckerman, The Contemporary Group	98-1158	01/27/98
Coltec Industries Inc., Groupe Carbone Lorraine, Helicoflex Company	98-1276	01/27/98
Koch Industries, Inc., ONEOK, Inc., ONEOK Products Company and ONG Transmission Company	98-1332	01/27/98
H.I.G. Investment Group, L.P., Frederick L. Tompkins, Vaupell Industrial Plastics, Inc	98-1368	01/27/98
Mellon Bank Corporation, Bjorn K. Borgen, Founders Asset Management, Inc	98-1372	01/27/98
Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst Equity Fund III, L.P., Robert R. Dyson, Patterson Broadcasting, Inc	98-1932	01/28/98
Tele-Communications, Inc., Rifkin Acquisition Partners, LLLP, Rifkin Acquisition Partners, LLLP	98-1186	01/28/98
Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc., California Microwave, Inc., California Microwave, Inc	98-1293	01/28/98
Applied Power Inc., Del City Wire, Inc., Del City Wire, Inc	98-1308	01/28/98
Hillenbrand Industries, Inc., CGW Southeast Partners I, LP, Medaes Holdings, Inc	98-1363	01/28/98
Reed International P.L.C., Geyer-McAllister Publications, Inc., Geyer-McAllister Publications, Inc	98-1380	01/28/98
Elsevier N.V., Geyer-McAllister Publications, Inc., Geyer-McAllister Publications, Inc	98-1381	01/28/98
ARLP Acquisition Co., LLC, A. Ahlstrom Corporation (a Finland corporation), SJF Aviation Holdings, Inc	98-1383	01/28/98
Advanced Lighting Technologies, Inc., Deposition Sciences, Inc., Deposition Sciences, Inc	98-1224	01/29/98
Harrisons & Crosfield plc, The Harold C. Simmons Family Trust No. 2, Rheox, Intn'l Inc., RIMC., Inc. and Enenco, Inc	98-1229	01/29/98
Republic Industries, Inc., Charles L. Clancy, Jr., Chuck Clancy Ford of Marietta, Inc	98-1314	01/29/98
Leggett & Platt, Incorporated, Syndicate Systems, Inc., Syndicate Systems, Inc	98-1324	01/29/98
Compagnie de Saint-Gobain, Bird Corporation Bird Corporation	98-1358	01/29/98
Orion Capital Corporation, Strickland Insurance Group, Inc., Strickland Insurance Group, Inc	98-1377	01/29/98
Richard J. Nash, Arthur J. Goodsel, Huron Plastics Group, Inc; Tadim, Inc	98-1400	01/29/98
Joe Balous, Arthur J. Goodsel, Huron Plastics Group, Inc.; Tadim, Inc	98-1401	01/29/98
American Financial Group, Inc., James Harry Leggett, Jr., Arkansas National Life Insurance Company	98-1403	01/29/98
MRV Communications, Inc., Whittaker Corporation, Whittaker Xyplex, Inc	98-1444	01/29/98
Motorola, Inc., American Mobile Satellite Corporation, American Mobile Satellite Corporation	98-1289	01/30/98
American Mobile Satellite Corporation, Motorola, Inc., Motorola ARDLS, Inc., Motorola ARDIS Acquisition, Inc	98-1290	01/30/98
Midwest Energy, Inc., KN Energy, Inc., KN Energy, Inc	98-1297	01/30/98
Federal Express Corporation, UAL Corporation, UAL Corporation	98-1301	01/30/98
Brunswick Corporation, Gerald L. Dettinger, ParaBody, Inc	98-1355	01/30/98
Brunswick Corporation, Stephen M. Duncan, ParaBody, Inc	98-1356	01/30/98
Rent-Way, Inc., Bill C. Ogle Sr., Champion Rentals, Inc	98-1360	01/30/98
Bay Networks, Inc., NetSpeak Corporation, NetSpeak Corporation	98-1362	01/30/98
John J. Rigas, H.F. Lenfest, Hyperion Telecommunications of Harrisburg	98-1369	01/30/98
John J. Rigas, Tele-Communications, Inc., Hyperion Telecommunications of Harrisburg	98-1370	01/30/98
John J. Rigas, John J. Rigas, Hyperion Telecommunications of Harrisburg	98-1371	01/30/98
Colony Investors II, L.P., Public Storage, Inc., Public Storage, Inc	98-1382	01/30/98
EG&G, Inc., TI Group, plc (a British company), John Crane Inc. (Belfab Division)	98-1384	01/30/98
Frontier Corporation, GlobalCenter, Inc., GlobalCenter, Inc	98-1388	01/30/98
Pfingsten Executive Fund, L.P., M.E. Abrams, Clercom, Inc. d/b/a Diesel Eagle	98-1389	01/30/98
PhyCor, Inc., CareWise, Inc., CareWise, Inc	98-1390	01/30/98
Sylvan Learning System, Inc., Marlene Canter, Canter and Associates, Inc.; Canter Educational	98-1395	01/30/98
W. Galen Weston, RJR Nabisco Holdings Corp., Plush Pippin Corporation	98-1404	01/30/98
J.W. Childs Equity Partners, L.P., H.I.G. Investment Group, L.P., Heath Holding Corp	98-1407	01/30/98
American International Group, Inc., American Bankers Insurance Group, Inc., American Bankers Insurance Group, Inc	98-1410	01/30/98
O. Bruton Smith, H. Skip Berg, Brenda Raceway Corporation	98-1415	01/30/98
Castle Harlan Partners III, L.P., BankAmerica Corporation, Land 'N' Sea Distributing, Inc	98-1426	01/30/98
USN Communications, Inc., Mark Hatten, Hatten Communications Holing Company, Inc	98-1437	01/30/98
Hughes Supply, Inc., Chad Supply, Inc., Chad Supply, Inc	98-1442	01/30/98
Matthews Studio Equipment Group, Stonebridge Partners Equity Funds, L.P., Four Star Holding, Inc	98-1443	01/30/98
Waste Management, Inc., International Technology Corporation, International Technology Corporation	98-1453	01/30/98
Plainwell Holding Company, Pope & Talbot, Inc., Pope & Talbot, Wis., Inc.	98-1455	01/30/98

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NCO Group, Inc., TeleSpectrum Worldwide Inc., TeleSpectrum Worldwide Inc	98-1456	01/30/98
Golder, Thomas, Cressey, Rauner Fund V, L.P., The Modern Group, Inc., The Modern Group, Inc. (Dragon Rental Division)	98-1457	01/30/98
Clayton, Dubilier & Rice Fund V Limited Partnership, Norfolk Southern Corporation, North American Van Lines, Inc. Enron Corp., Compagnie Generale des Eaux (a French corporation), Anjou Construction and Services Company; Limbach Holdin	98-1460	01/30/98
Federal-Mogul Corporation, Fel-Pro Realty Corporation, Fel-Pro Realty Corporation	98-1462	01/30/98
The Robert Rosenkranz Trust, Dennis N. Horowitz, Smith St. John Company, Smith St. John of Georgia, Inc.,	98-1467	01/30/98
H&R Block, Inc., Estate of David B. Clayton, Estate of David B. Clayton	98-1470	01/30/98
Dominion Resources, Inc., Unicom Corporation, Commonwealth Edison Company	98-1471	01/30/98
Cablevision Systems Corporation, The Wiz, Inc. (Debtor-in-Possession), The Wiz, Inc. (Debtor-in-Possession)	98-1484	01/30/98
	98-1513	01/30/98

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Sandra M. Peay or Parcellena P. Fielding, Contact Representatives Federal Trade Commission, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau of Competition, Room 303, Washington, D.C. 20580, (202) 326-3100.

By Direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,

Secretary.

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that the proposed collection of information listed below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (the PRA).

DATES: Submit written comments on the collection of information by March 16, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB, New Executive Office Bldg., 725 17th St. NW., rm. 10235, Washington, DC 20503, Attn: Desk Officer for FDA.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: JonnaLynn P. Capezuto, Office of Information Resources Management (HFA-250), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-1223.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In compliance with section 3507 of the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3507), FDA has submitted the following proposed collection of information to OMB for review and clearance.

Petition For Administrative Stay of Action—21 CFR 10.35—(OMB Control Number 0910-0194)—Reinstatement

FDA regulations in 21 CFR 10.35, issued under the authority of section 701(a) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 371(a)), set forth the format and procedures by which an interested person may file a petition for an administrative stay of action.

Respondents to this collection of information are interested persons who choose to file a petition for an administrative stay of action. Such a petition must: (1) Identify the decision involved; (2) state the action requested, including the length of time for which a stay is requested; and (3) include a statement of the factual and legal grounds on which the interested person relies in seeking the stay. The information provided in the petition is used by the agency to determine whether the requested stay should be granted.

FDA estimates the burden of this collection of information as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 97N-0327]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing

TABLE 1.—ESTIMATED ANNUAL REPORTING BURDEN¹

21 CFR Section	No. of Respondents	Annual Frequency per Response	Total Annual Responses	Hours per Response	Total Hours
10.35	7	1	7	100	700

¹ There are no capital costs or operating and maintenance costs associated with this collection of information.