

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 June 15, 1998.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of New York (Betsy Buttrill White, Senior Vice President) 33 Liberty Street, New York, New York 10045-0001:

1. *Oswego County, MHC*, Oswego, New York, Pathfinder Bancorp, MHC, Oswego, New York, to acquire or retain more than 50 percent of the voting shares of Oswego County MHC, Oswego, New York. In connection with this application, Oswego County, MHC, Oswego, New York, also has applied to become a bank holding company.

2. *PASL Holding Corp.*, New York, New York, and *MetBank Holding Corp.*, New York, New York; to become bank holding companies by acquiring more than 50 percent of the voting shares of Metropolitan National Bank, New York, New York.

3. *RSI Bancorp, MHC, and RSI Bancorp, Inc.*, both of Rahway, New Jersey; to become bank holding companies by acquiring more than 50 percent of the voting shares of The Rahway Savings Institution, Rahway, New Jersey.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia (Michael E. Collins, Senior Vice President) 100 North 6th Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19105-1521:

1. *Commerce Bancorp, Inc.*, Cherry Hill, New Jersey; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Commerce Bank/Delaware, National Association, Wilmington, Delaware.

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

1. *Gold Banc Corporation, Inc.*, Leawood, Kansas; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Farmers State Bancshares of Sabetha, Sabetha, Kansas, and thereby indirectly acquire Farmers State Bank, Sabetha, Kansas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, May 18, 1998.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: 63 FR 26190, May 12, 1998.

PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF THE MEETING: 12:00 noon, Monday, May 18, 1998.

CHANGES IN THE MEETING: Addition of the following closed item to the meeting: Bank supervisory matter.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Joseph R. Coyne, Assistant to the Board; 202-452-3204.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: You may call 202-452-3206 beginning at approximately 5 p.m. two business days before the meeting for a recorded announcement of bank and bank holding company applications scheduled for the meeting; or you may contact the Board's Web site at <http://www.bog.frb.fed.us> for an electronic announcement that not only lists applications, but also indicates procedural and other information about the meeting.

Dated: May 18, 1998.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Announcement of Board Approval Under Delegated Authority and Submission to OMB

SUMMARY:

Background. Notice is hereby given of the final approval of proposed information collections by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) under OMB delegated authority, as per 5 CFR 1320.16 (OMB Regulations on Controlling Paperwork Burdens on the Public). Board-approved collections of information are incorporated into the official OMB inventory of currently approved collections of information. Copies of the OMB 83-Is and supporting statements and approved collection of information instruments are placed into OMB's public docket files. The Federal Reserve may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection that has been extended, revised, or implemented on or after October 1, 1995, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Chief, Financial Reports Section—Mary M. McLaughlin—Division of Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, DC 20551 (202-452-3829)
OMB Desk Officer—Alexander T. Hunt—Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 3208, Washington, DC 20503 (202-395-7860)

Final approval under OMB delegated authority of the extension for three years, without revision, of the following reports:

1. *Report title:* Annual Survey of Eligible Bankers Acceptances

Agency form number: FR 2006

OMB Control number: 7100-0055

Frequency: annual

Reporters: U.S. commercial banks, U.S. branches and agencies of foreign banks, Edge and agreement corporations
Annual reporting hours: 46

Estimated average hours per response: 0.65

Number of respondents: 70

Small businesses are not affected.

General description of report: This information collection is voluntary (12 U.S.C. 248(a), 625, and 3105(b)) and is given confidential treatment (5 U.S.C. 522(b)(4)).

Abstract: The FR 2006 report provides information on eligible U.S. dollar acceptances that are payable in the