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**Robert deV. Frierson,**  
*Associate Secretary of the Board.*  
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**FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD**

**Sunshine Act Meeting**

**TIME AND DATE:** 10:00 a.m. (EDT), June 14, 1999.  
**PLACE:** 4th Floor, Conference Room 4506, 1250 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.  
**STATUS:** Open.  
**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**  
 1. Approval of the minutes of the May 10, 1999, Board member meeting.  
 2. Thrift Savings Plan activity report by the Executive Director.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
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Dated: June 2, 1999.  
**Elizabeth S. Woodruff,**  
*Secretary to the Board, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.*  
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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, 03/29/99-04/22/99

| Transaction No.   | Acquiring person                      | Acquired person  | Acquired entities  |
|---|---------------------------------------|--|--|
| <b>Transactions Granted Early Termination, 03/29/99</b> |                                       |  |  |
| 19991819 .....  | J.H. Whitney III, L.P. ....           | MedSource Technologies, Inc .....                            | MedSource Technologies, Inc.   |
| 19991844 .....  | Terex Corporation .....               | Amida Industries, Inc. ....                                  | Amida Industries, Inc., a South Carolina corporation.                |
| 19991860 .....  | Stroh Companies, Inc., (The) .....    | Minott Wessinger .....                                       | McKenzie River Corporation.  |
| 19991875 .....  | Olivetti S.p.A. ....                  | Telecom Italia S.p.A. ....                                   | Telecom Italia S.p.A.  |
| 19991877 .....  | Olivetti S.p.A. ....                  | Concentric Network Corporation .....                         | Concentric Network Corporation.                                      |
| 19991951 .....  | American Business Products, Inc ..... | Tekkote Corp. ....   | Tekkote Corp.  |
| 19991955 .....  | Cyrus A. Ansary .....                 | National City Corporation .....                              | National Processing Company.   |
| 19991967 .....  | Textron Inc. ....                     | First Union Corporation .....                                | LCI Corporation International, Inc.                                  |
| 19991968 .....  | Swiss Reinsurance Company .....       | Royal & Sun Alliance Insurance Group plc.                    | Royal Maccabees Life Insurance Company.                              |
| 19991973 .....  | RCBA Strategic Partners, L.P .....    | HWH Capital Partners, L.P .....                              | SMC Holdings Corp.   |
| 19991974 .....  | Dycom Industries, Inc. ....           | Ervin Cable Construction, Inc .....                          | Ervin Cable Construction, Inc.                                       |
| 19991978 .....  | Michael Foods, Inc. ....              | John Kaneb .....   | H.P. Hood Inc.   |
| 19991980 .....  | Kent Electronics Corporation .....    | Vol H. Montgomery .....                                      | SabreData, Inc.  |
| 19991987 .....  | AGCO Corporation .....                | Roy E. and Donice E. Applequist, husband and wife.           | Great Plains Manufacturing, Inc.                                     |
| 19991991 .....  | The Manitowoc Company, Inc .....      | Kyees Aluminum, Inc. ....                                    | Kyees Aluminum, Inc.   |
| 19991992 .....  | Danisco A/S .....                     | Cultor Corporation .....                                     | Cultor Corporation.  |
| 19991993 .....  | Heritage Fund II, L.P. ....           | Avista Corp. ....  | Creative Solutions Group, Inc.                                       |
| 19991995 .....  | Aon Corporation .....                 | Presidium Holdings, Inc .....                                | Presidium Holdings, Inc.   |
| 19991996 .....  | Southcorp Limited .....               | John C. Cushman III & Jeanine S. Cushman (husband and wife). | Cushman Winery Corporation.  |
| 19991998 .....  | Electra Investment Trust PLC .....    | Allflex USA, Inc. ....                                       | Allflex USA, Inc.  |
| 19992001 .....  | Amgen Inc. ....                       | Praecis Pharmaceuticals Incorporated.                        | Praecis Pharmaceuticals Incorporated.                                |
| 19992002 .....  | AlliedSignal Inc. ....                | Johnnie Lou LaRoche .....                                    | LaRoche Industries Inc.  |
| 19992003 .....  | Union Carbide Corporation .....       | Johnnie Lou LaRoche .....                                    | LaRoche Industries Inc.  |
| 19992005 .....  | United American Energy Corp .....     | National Power PLC .....                                     | ANP Mecklenburg Cogeneration Company.<br>TEVCO Cogeneration Company. |
| 19992007 .....  | Philip J. D'Elia .....                | Johnson Service Group PLC .....                              | Johnson Group, Inc.  |
| 19992008 .....  | Maverik Country Stores, Inc .....     | Tosco Corporation .....                                      | Circle K Stores, Inc.  |
| 19992011 .....  | Naomi C. Dempsey .....                | Robert H. Dorst .....  | Great Lakes Corrugated Corp.   |
| 19992013 .....  | Kasper A.S.L. Ltd. ....               | Tomio Taki .....   | Anne Klein Company LLC.  |
| 19992026 .....  | Francois Pinault .....                | Brylane Inc., a Delaware corporation                         | Brylane Inc., a Delaware corporation.                                |
| 19992029 .....  | PCMC Holdings, L.P. ....              | Plum Creek Timber Company, Inc. ..                           | Plum Creek Timber Company, Inc                                       |
| 19992039 .....  | Burmah Castrol plc .....              | James R. Pyne .....  | REMET Corporation.   |
| 19992047 .....  | Summit Ventures V, L.P .....          | Paul C. Steinwachs .....                                     | EMED Co., Inc.   |
| 19992048 .....  | Summit Ventures V, L.P .....          | Donald E. Steinwachs .....                                   | EMED Co., Inc.   |
| 19992054 .....  | Bessemer Securities LLC .....         | The Beacon Group III—Focus Value Fund, L.P.                  | Identify Group, Inc.   |
| 19992056 .....  | Whole Foods Market, Inc .....         | Leo Kahn .....   | Nature's Heartland, Inc.   |