

1. *Banque Nationale de Paris*, Paris, France; to acquire Charter Atlantic Corporation, New York, New York, and thereby engage in acting as investment advisor to any person, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(6) of Regulation Y; in providing securities brokerage services and incidental activities, as agent for the account of customers, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(7)(i) of Regulation Y; in buying and selling in the secondary market all types of securities on the order of customers as a riskless principal, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(7)(ii) of Regulation Y; in acting as agent in the private placement of all types of securities, including providing related advisory services, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(7)(iii) of Regulation Y; in providing to customers as agent transactional services, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(7)(v) of Regulation Y; in engaging as principal in (i) underwriting and dealing in governmental obligations and money market instruments, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(8)(i) of Regulation Y, and in investing and trading in: foreign exchange, and forward contracts, options, futures, options on futures, swaps and similar contracts, whether traded on exchanges or not, based on any rate, price, financial asset, nonfinancial asset or group of assets, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(8)(ii) of Regulation Y; and in serving as the investment advisor to and the general partner of, and holding and placing equity interests in, certain investment funds which invest only in securities and other instruments which Notificant would be permitted to hold directly under the Bank Holding Company Act, including acting as a commodity pool operator for private investment funds organized as commodity pools, see *USB AG*, 84 Fed. Res. Bull. 684 (1998).

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 3, 1999.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Associate Secretary of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**TIME AND DATE:** 11:00 a.m., Monday, June 14, 1999.

**PLACE:** Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, 20th and C Streets, NW, Washington, D.C. 20551.

**STATUS:** Closed.

#### MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Personnel actions (appointments, promotions, assignments,

reassignments, and salary actions) involving individual Federal Reserve System employees.

2. Any items carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Lynn S. Fox, 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.federalreserve.gov> for an electronic announcement that not only lists applications, but also indicates procedural and other information about the meeting.

Dated: June 4, 1999.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Associate Secretary of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

### Public Workshop: U.S. Perspective on Consumer Protection in the Global Electronic Marketplace

**AGENCY:** Federal Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice Announcing Dates and Location of Workshop, and Publishing Workshop Agenda.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Trade Commission has: (1) confirmed June 8-9, 1999 from 8:15 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. as the dates and times for its public workshop entitled "U.S. Perspectives on Consumer Protection in the Global Electronic Marketplace," announced in 63 FR 69289 (December 16, 1999); (2) announced the location of the workshop to be the Federal Trade Commission headquarters at 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Rooms 432 and 332; (3) published the agenda for the workshop; and (4) announced it will reopen the period for public comments from June 8, 1999 to July 1, 1999.

**WORKSHOP INFORMATION:** The public workshop will be held at the Federal Trade Commission headquarters, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC, Rooms 432 and 332 on June 8, and June 9, 1999 from 8:15 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on both dates. The workshop is open to the public, and there is no formal registration process for those wishing to attend. Seating is limited, but overflow rooms will be available.

## Agenda

*Tuesday, June 8, 1999*

8:15 a.m.—Registration and Breakfast  
 9:00 a.m.—Introductory Remarks  
 9:45 a.m.—International Business-to-Consumer Commerce: Four Perspectives  
 Technological Perspective (9:45 a.m.—10:15 a.m.)  
 Consumers' Perspective (10:15 a.m.—11:15 a.m.)  
 Industry Perspective (11:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.)  
 Law Enforcement Perspective 12:30 p.m.—1:15 p.m.)  
 1:15 p.m.—Lunch  
 2:15 p.m.—Breakout Sessions  
 Breakout Session 1: Core Protections for Consumers  
 Online Disclosures (2:15 p.m.—4:00 p.m.)  
 General Disclosures  
 Contract-Related Disclosures  
 Fair Business Practices and Contractual Protections (4:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.)  
 Breakout Session 2: Consumer Concerns about Authentication in International Transactions  
 Technological Solutions Now Available (2:30 p.m.—3:15 p.m.)  
 Benefits and Risks Associated with Current Technology (3:30 p.m.—4:15 p.m.)  
 International Transactions (4:15 p.m.—5:00 p.m.)  
 5:00 p.m.—Overview Remarks and Summary of Breakout Sessions

*Wednesday, June 9, 1999*

8:15 a.m.—Registration and Breakfast  
 9:00 a.m.—Consumer Protection Frameworks in Global Electronic Commerce: Opening Remarks  
 10:00 a.m.—Overview of the History and Future of the Internet  
 10:30 a.m.—Jurisdiction and Choice of Law for Consumer Protection on the Internet: US Perspectives (10:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.)  
 12:30 p.m.—Lunch  
 1:30 p.m.—Breakout Sessions  
 Breakout Session 1: Alternative Frameworks: Role and Efficacy of Private Sector Initiatives  
 Breakout Session 2: Alternative Frameworks: Role and Efficacy of International Bodies and Agreements  
 3:00 p.m.—Jurisdiction and Choice of Law: International Perspectives  
 4:40 p.m.—  
 4:40 p.m.—Report on June 9 Breakout Sessions  
 5:00 p.m.—Next Steps: What should government, industry, and consumers do now?  
**REOPENING OF COMMENT PERIOD:** Interested parties, including academics,