

President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *UMB Financial Corporation*, Kansas City, Missouri, and First Sooner Bancshares, Inc, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Charter Bancshares, Inc., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and thereby indirectly acquire Charter National Bank, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

**C. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas** (W. Arthur Tribble, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *Doss, Ltd.*, Weatherford, Texas (in formation); to become a bank holding company by acquiring 49.15 percent of the voting shares of M & F Bancshares, Inc., Weatherford, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire M & F Financial Corp., Wilmington, Delaware; Texas Bank, Weatherford, Texas; and Texas Bank, Brownwook, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, August 23, 1999.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Associate Secretary of the Board.*

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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, including the companies listed below, 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 September 10, 1999.

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

1. *J.P. Morgan & Co. Incorporated*, New York, New York; to acquire up to approximately 25 percent of the voting shares of TP Group Limited, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, and thereby indirectly acquire additional voting shares in its subsidiary, Tradepoint Financial Networks plc, London, United Kingdom, and thereby engage in securities brokerage services and other agency transactional services for customer investments, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(7) of Regulation Y.

**B. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago** (Philip Jackson, Applications Officer) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1413:

1. *GreatBanc Inc.*, Aurora, Illinois; to acquire ANB Financial Services, Inc., Aurora, Illinois, and thereby engage in making, acquiring, brokering and servicing loans, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(1) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, August 23, 1999.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Associate Secretary of the Board.*

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**FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

**Sunshine Act Meeting**

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

**TIME AND DATE:** 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 1, 1999.

**PLACE:** Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, 20th and C Streets, N.W., 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 matters 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: August 25, 1999.

**Jennifer J. Johnson,**

*Secretary of the Board.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Administration for Children and Families**

**Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

*Title:* State Plan for Foster Care and Adoption Assistance—Title IV-E  
*OMB No.:* 0980-0141

*Description:* A State plan for foster care and adoption assistance is required by section 471 of the Social Security Act from any State wishing to claim federal financial participation for foster care and adoption assistance. States may use a preprinted format or may develop their own format which meets the requirements of the law. The Plan is submitted only once and amended as necessary. Our experience is that a State will amend a Plan once every 4 years; approximately 12 per year.

*Respondents:* State, Local or Tribal Govt.

**ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES**

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours
State Plan for Foster Care and Adoption Assistance ..... Title IV-E.	12	1	15	180