

Affected Public: All financial institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 80.

Estimated Time per Response: 16 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 1,280 hours.

General Description of Collection: Section 19 of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act requires insured depository institutions to obtain the FDIC's consent prior to any participation in their affairs by a person convicted of crimes involving dishonesty or breach of trust. Form 6710/07 is the vehicle for requesting FDIC consent.

2. *Title:* Public Disclosure by Banks. *OMB Number:* 3064-0090.

Frequency of Response: Annually.

Affected Public: All financial institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 6,374.

Estimated Time per Response: .5 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 3,187 hours.

General Description of Collection: 12 CFR 350 requires a bank to notify the general public, and in some instances shareholders, that disclosure statements are available upon request. Required disclosures consist of financial reports for the current and preceding year which can be copied directly from the year-end Call Report.

3. *Title:* Certification of Eligibility Under the Affordable Housing Program. *OMB Number:* 3064-0116.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Affected Public: All financial institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 1,000.

Estimated Time per Response: 1 hour.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 1,000 hours.

General Description of Collection: The collection of information certifies income eligibility under the affordable housing program. This certification assists the FDIC in determining an individual's eligibility for purchasing affordable housing properties from the FDIC.

4. *Title:* Mutual-to-Stock Conversions of State Savings Banks. *OMB Number:* 3064-0117.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Affected Public: State savings banks.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 25.

Estimated Time per Response: 50 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 1,250 hours.

General Description of Collection: 12 CFR 303.15 and 333.4 require state savings banks that are not members of the Federal Reserve System to file with the FDIC a notice of intent to convert to stock form and provide copies of documents filed with state and federal banking and or securities regulators in connection with the proposed conversion.

Request for Comment

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the FDIC's functions, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the estimates of the burden of the information collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

At the end of the comment period, the comments and recommendations received will be analyzed to determine the extent to which the collection should be modified prior to submission to OMB for review and approval. Comments submitted in response to this notice also will be summarized or included in the FDIC's requests to OMB for renewal of this collection. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Dated at Washington, D.C., this 16th day of March, 2000.

Robert E. Feldman,
Executive Secretary.

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Non-Vessel-Operating Common Carrier Ocean Transportation Intermediary Applicant:
Samskip, Incorporated, 5365 Robin Hood Road, Suite A-2, Norfolk, VA 23513, Officers: Reynir Gislason, President (Qualifying Individual), Osk Gustafsdottir, Treasurer

Dated: March 20, 2000.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of Banks or Bank Holding Companies

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notices also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than April 6, 2000.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago
(Phillip Jackson, Applications Officer)
230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1414:

1. *Betty Ruth Womack* (as trustee for the L.T. Womack Family Trust and the L.T. Womack Marital Trust) Litchfield Park, Arizona; to retain voting shares of Corn Belt Bancorporation, Lincoln, Nebraska, and thereby indirectly retain voting shares of Union National Bank, Anita, Iowa.

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

1. *Kelsoe Management Partnership, Ltd.*, Dallas, Texas; to acquire additional voting shares of WB&T Bancshares, Inc., Duncanville, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire additional voting shares of Western Bank & Trust, Duncanville, Texas.

2. *William Howard O'Brien*, Amarillo, Texas; John Blake O'Brien, Amarillo, Texas; William Alexander O'Brien, Amarillo, Texas; Katherine O'Brien,

Wallin, Mountain View, California and Mary Fay Moore, Amarillo, Texas, to acquire additional voting shares of Grayco Bancshares, Inc., Mclean, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire additional voting shares of Bank of Commerce, Mclean, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 17, 2000.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Notice of a Meeting of the National Bioethics Advisory Commission (NBAC)

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is given of a meeting of the National Bioethics Advisory Commission. The Commission will discuss its ongoing project on ethical and policy issues in the oversight of human subjects research in the United States. Some Commission members may participate by telephone conference. The meeting is open to the public and opportunities for statements by the public will be provided on April 6 from 1:45-2:15 pm.

Dates/times	Location
April 6, 2000, 8:30 am-5:00 pm.	Loews L'Enfant Plaza Hotel, 480 L'Enfant Plaza, SW, Washington, DC.
April 7, 2000, 8:00 am-12:00 pm.	Same location as above.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The President established the National Bioethics Advisory Commission (NBAC) on October 3, 1999 by Executive Order 12975 as amended. The mission of the NBAC is to advise and make recommendations to the National Science and Technology Council, its Chair, the President, and other entities on bioethical issues arising from the research on human biology and behavior, and from the applications of that research.

Public Participation

The meeting is open to the public with attendance limited by the availability of space on a first come, first serve basis. Members of the public who wish to present oral statements should contact Ms. Jody Crank by telephone, fax machine, or mail as shown below as soon as possible, at least 4 days before

the meeting. The Chair will reserve time for presentations by persons requesting to speak and asks that oral statements be limited to five minutes. The order of persons wanting to make a statement will be assigned in the order in which requests are received. Individuals unable to make oral presentations can mail or fax their written comments to the NBAC staff office at least five business days prior to the meeting for distribution to the Commission and inclusion in the public record. The Commission also accepts general comments at its website at bioethics.gov. Persons needing special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other special accommodations, should contact NBAC staff at the address or telephone number listed below as soon as possible.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Jody Crank, National Bioethics Advisory Commission, 6100 Executive Boulevard, Suite 5B01, Rockville, Maryland 20892-7508, telephone 301-402-4242, fax number 301-480-6900.

Dated: March 17, 2000.

Eric M. Meslin,

Executive Director, National Bioethics Advisory Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Program Announcement 00043]

Grants for National Academic Centers of Excellence on Youth Violence Prevention; Notice of Availability of Funds for Fiscal Year 2000

A. Purpose

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the availability of fiscal year (FY) 2000 funds for development of National Academic Centers of Excellence on Youth Violence Prevention (Centers). CDC is committed to achieving the health promotion and disease prevention objectives of "Healthy People 2010," a national activity to reduce morbidity and mortality and improve the quality of life. This announcement is related to the focus areas of injury and violence prevention, and mental health and mental disorders. For the conference copy of "Healthy People 2010", visit the Internet site: <<http://www.health.gov/healthypeople>>.

The primary goals of this program are to: (1) Build the scientific infrastructure necessary to support the development and widespread application of effective youth violence interventions, (2) promote interdisciplinary research strategies to address the problem of youth violence (3) foster collaboration between academic researchers and communities, and (4) empower communities to address the problem of youth violence.

B. Eligible Applicants

Eligible applicants are academic health centers, defined as public and private nonprofit universities, colleges, and university-associated teaching hospitals.

Note: Effective January 1, 1996, Public Law 104-65 states that an organization described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 which engages in lobbying activities shall not be eligible to receive Federal funds constituting an award, grant, contract, loan, or any other form.

C. Availability of Funds

Approximately \$7,000,000 is available in FY 2000 to fund approximately seven to ten Centers. Applicants may apply for either a Developing Center or a Comprehensive Center, however, not for both.

Awards will begin on or about September 30, 2000, and will be made for a 12-month budget period.

Developing Centers may be funded up to three years and Comprehensive Centers may be funded up to five years. Funding estimates may vary and are subject to change. Continuation awards within the project period will be made on the basis of satisfactory progress and the availability of funds.

Awards for Developing Centers are expected to average \$400,000 per year with a project period not to exceed three years. Awards for Comprehensive Centers are expected to average \$1,000,000 per year and may be made up to a total of \$1,500,000 per year (total of direct and indirect costs) with a project period not to exceed five years. For Comprehensive Center research projects can be submitted under two themes, Developmental/Risk Factor (DRF) Research and Efficacy/Effectiveness (EE) Research. Comprehensive Center applicants must submit from one to three DRF research project proposals, and/or from one to three EE research project proposals. Applicants may also apply for both themes under one Center for a cost of \$1.5 million.