

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 (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

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 April 28, 2000.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (JoAnne F. Lewellen, Assistant Vice President) 90 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. Community Pride Bank Corporation, Ham Lake, Minneapolis; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Community Pride Bank, Ham Lake, Minneapolis (a de novo bank).

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

1. Shamrock Bancshares, Inc., Coalgate, Oklahoma; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of First Bank of Apache, Apache, Oklahoma.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 29, 2000.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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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 (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

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 April 28, 2000.

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

1. Central Financial Corporation, Hutchinson, Kansas; to acquire 10 percent of the voting shares of Mid-America Bancorp, Inc., Jewell, Kansas, and thereby indirectly acquire Heartland Bank, N.A., Jewell, Kansas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 30, 2000.

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. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

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 April 28, 2000.

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

1. North Fork Bancorporation, Inc., Melville, New York; to acquire at least a majority of the voting shares of Dime Bancorp, Inc., New York, New York, and its subsidiaries, including The Dime Savings Bank of New York, FSB, and North American Mortgage Company, and thereby engage in extending credit and servicing loans and activities related to extending credit, pursuant to §§ 225.28(b)(1) and (2) of Regulation Y; operating a savings association pursuant to § 225.28(b)(4)(ii) of Regulation Y; and credit insurance activities pursuant to § 225.28(b)(11)(i) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 30, 2000.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Sunshine Meeting Notice

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

TIME AND DATE: 11:00 a.m., Monday, April 10, 2000.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, 20th and C Streets, NW, Washington, DC 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: March 31, 2000.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission (FTC).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The FTC is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) for consumer surveys to gather information for its study of the marketing of violent entertainment to children. The FTC seeks public comment regarding this notice, which is the second of two notices required by the PRA for information collection requests of this nature.

DATES: Comments on the proposed information requests must be submitted on or before May 4, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Send comments regarding the burden estimate, or any other aspect of the information collection, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the following addresses: Edward Clarke, Senior Economist, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 10202, Washington, D.C. 20503, and to Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, Room H-159, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580, or by e-mail to entstudy@ftc.gov. The submissions should include the submitter's name, address, telephone number and, if available, FAX number

and e-mail address. All submissions should be captioned "Entertainment Industry Study—FTC File No. P994511."

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information, such as requests for the Supporting Statement, related attachments, or copies of the proposed collection of information, should be addressed to Sally Forman Pitofsky, Attorney, Division of Financial Practices, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580. Telephone: (202) 326-3318, E-mail: entstudy@ftc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On August 25, 1999, the FTC published a Federal Register notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments from the public concerning the collection of information from: (1) members of the motion picture, music recording, and video and personal computer game industries and (2) consumers. See 64 FR 46392. The second PRA notice for the industry surveys was published on November 18, 1999 (64 FR 63046). OMB approved that collection of information on December 21, 1999 for use through December 31, 2002. This is the second PRA notice regarding the collection of information from consumers.

Comments Received

The FTC received one comment regarding its proposed consumer research from the Interactive Digital Software Association (IDSA). The IDSA recommended that the Commission put out for public comment any survey instrument used to assess consumer attitudes toward and awareness of the IDSA's Entertainment Software Rating Board program and that any such research survey only those who actually buy or play video games. Consistent with the requirements of the PRA, the survey instruments used to study consumer attitudes toward and awareness of the various rating or labeling systems will be made available to interested parties upon request to Commission staff. Moreover, only children whose parents say their children play electronic games will be asked to answer surveys regarding video

or personal computer games. The same approach will be taken for surveying children about their experiences regarding motion pictures and music recordings.

Description of the collection of information and proposed use

The FTC proposes to conduct a telephone survey of 750 parents having a child aged 11 to 16 and to survey 400 children aged 11 to 16 in order to gather specific information on their perceptions of the entertainment rating or labeling systems. This information will be collected on a voluntary basis, and the identities of the consumers will remain confidential. The FTC will contract with a consumer research firm to select consumers and conduct the surveys. Survey results will help the FTC assess whether and how consumers use the rating or labeling systems of the motion picture, recording, and electronic games industries.

Estimated Hours Burden

The FTC will contract with a survey firm to: (1) Identify and survey 750 parents with children aged 11 to 16; and (2) survey 400 children aged 11 to 16.

The contractor first will ask screener questions of approximately 5,000 parents in order to provide a large enough random sample for the parent telephone survey. After a parent completes the telephone survey, the contractor will ask the parent whether a child in the household aged 11 to 16 may also participate in it.

The FTC staff estimates that the screening for the survey will consume no more than one minute of each respondent's time. In addition, the FTC will pretest the parent survey on approximately 50 respondents to ensure that all questions are easily understood. This pretest will take approximately 15 minutes per person. Answering the parent survey will take approximately 15 minutes per respondent. Answering the children survey also will impose an individual burden of approximately 15 minutes.

Thus, total hours burden attributable to the consumer research will approximate 383 hours, determined as follows:

Activity	Number of respondents	Number of minutes/acti- vity	Total hours
Screening	5,000	1	83
Parent survey: pretest	50	15	12
Parent survey	750	15	188
Children survey	400	15	100