

Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. *Inter-Mountain Bancorp., Inc.*, Bozeman, Montana; to merge with Three Forks Bancorporation, Three Forks, Montana; and thereby indirectly acquire Security Bank of Three Forks, Three Forks, Montana.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 7, 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 June 27, 2000.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Maria Villanueva, Consumer Regulation Group) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105-1579:

1. *Pierce County Bancorp*, Tacoma, Washington; to acquire Olympic Equities Corporation, Puyallup, Washington, and thereby engage in making residential and construction loans and other related activities related to the extension of credit, pursuant to

§§ 225.28(b)(1) and (b)(2) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 7, 2000.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Resources and Services Administration

Delegation of Authority

Notice is hereby given that I have delegated to the Administrator, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), all authorities vested in the Secretary of Health and Human Services under Part D, Title III of the PHS Act, Subpart IX—Support of Graduate Medical Education Programs, as amended. This delegation excludes the authority to issue regulations and to submit reports to Congress. This authority may be redelegated.

In addition, I hereby ratify any actions taken by the Administrator or other HRSA officials which involved exercise of this authority prior to the effective date of this delegation.

This delegation is effective upon date of signature.

Dated: June 2, 2000.

Donna E. Shalala,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Office of Public Health and Science, and National Institutes of Health, Office of the Director; Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority

Part A, Office of the Secretary (OS) of the Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority for the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Chapter AC, Office of Public Health and Science (OPHS), the Immediate Office (ACA) as last amended at 62 FR 5009-10, dated February 3, 1997; and Part N, the National Institutes of Health, Office of the Director (NA), Office of Extramural Research (NA3), Office for Protection from Research Risks, as last amended at 65 FR 11792, March 6, 2000, are being

amended to reflect the transfer of the human research protection functions from the NIH to the newly established Office for Human Research Protections (OHRP), OPHS, within the OS. The OHRP will be headed by a Director who will report to the Assistant Secretary for Health.

The changes are as follows:

I. Under Part N, National Institutes of Health, Chapter NA, Office of Director, Office of Extramural Research (NA3), make the following changes:

A. Delete the "Office of Extramural Research (NA3)" in its entirety and replace with the following:

Office of Extramural Research (NA3)—(1) Acts on behalf of the NIH Director to provide guidance to the research institutes on the development and management of extramural (grant and cooperative agreement) research and training programs; (2) advises the NIH Director and staff on issues relating to extramural research activities; and (3) oversees the proper care and use of laboratory animals on behalf of the entire U.S. Public Health Service.

B. Delete the "Office for Protection from Research Risks (NA33)" in its entirety.

II. Under Part A, Chapter AC, Office of Public Health and Science, make the following changes:

A. Delete Section AC.10 Organization in its entirety and replace with the following:

Section AC.10 Organization. The Office of Public Health and Science (AC) is under the direction of the Assistant Secretary for Health and consists of the following components:

- A. Immediate Office (ACA)
- B. Office on Women's Health (ACB)
- C. Office of Minority Health (ACC)
- D. Office of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports (ACE)
- E. Office of Research Integrity (ACF)
- F. Office of Population Affairs (ACG)
- G. Office of International and Refugee Health (ACH)
- H. Office of HIV/AIDS Policy (ACJ)
- I. Office of Emergency Preparedness (ACK)
- J. Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (ACL)
- K. Office of the Surgeon General (ACM)
- L. Office for Human Research Protections (ACN)

B. Amend Chapter AC.20 Functions, paragraph A, "Office of Public Health and Science," paragraph titled, "The Immediate Office (ACA)" by adding the following new clause:

(m) Responsible for overseeing human research subjects protections functions and related functions where research involves the use of human subjects.