

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 January 5, 2001.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta
(Cynthia C. Goodwin, Vice President)
104 Marietta Street, N.W., Atlanta,
Georgia 30303-2713:

1. *First Deposit Bancshares, Inc.*,
Douglasville, Georgia; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Douglas Federal Bank, Douglasville, Georgia, upon its conversion from a federal savings bank to a chartered commercial bank.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 6, 2000.

Robert deV. Frierson

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

[OMB Control No. 3090-0221]

Proposed Collection; Comment Request Entitled GSA Board of Contract Appeals Rules Procedure

AGENCY: GSA Board of Contract Appeals (GSBCA), GSA.

ACTION: Notice of request for public comments regarding an extension to an existing OMB Clearance (3090-0221).

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Office of

Acquisition Policy will be submitting to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve an extension of a currently approved information collection requirement concerning GSA Board of Contract Appeals Rules Procedure. This information collection was published in the **Federal Register** at 65 FR 58088, on September 27, 2000 allowing for the standard 60-day public comment period. No comments were received.

DATES: Comment Due Date: January 11, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, should be submitted to: Edward Springer, GSA Desk Officer, Room 3235, NEOB, Washington, DC 20503 and also may be submitted to: Marjorie Ashby, General Services Administration (MVP), 1800 F Street NW., Washington, DC 20405.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Margaret Pfunder, Deputy Chief Counsel, GSA Board of Contract Appeals (202) 501-0272.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Purpose

The GSBCA requires the information collected in order to conduct proceedings in contract appeals and petitions, and cost applications. Parties include those persons or entities filing appeals, petitions, and cost applications, and government agencies.

B. Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 55; *annual responses:* 55; *average hours per response:* .20; *burden hours:* 6.4.

Copy of Proposal: A copy of this proposal may be obtained from the GSA Acquisition Policy Division (MVP), Room 4011, GSA Building, 1800 F Street NW, Washington, DC 20405, or by telephoning (202) 501-3822, or by faxing your request to (202) 501-3341.

Dated: December 4, 2000.

David A. Drabkin,

Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Acquisition Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Secretary's Advisory Committee on Genetic Testing

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, DHHS.

ACTION: Request for public comment on a proposed template of genetic test

information for use by health professionals.

SUMMARY: The Secretary's Advisory Committee on Genetic Testing (SACGT) was chartered to advise the Department of Health and Human Services on the medical, scientific, ethical, legal, and social issues raised by the development and use of genetic tests. SACGT recently completed its first report, *Enhancing the Oversight of Genetic Tests* (available at <http://www4.od.nih.gov/oba/sacgt.htm>). SACGT stated in the report's overarching principles that genetics education of health professionals and the public about the appropriate use, interpretation, and understanding of genetic test results is critical to the successful implementation of genetic testing into health care.

To inform and educate health professionals on genetic testing and their appropriate uses, SACGT is developing a template of essential information elements about genetic tests. A SACGT working group, composed of SACGT members and ad hoc experts, identified seven key data elements about a genetic test that may be valuable to health professionals considering using a genetic test for patient care. At its November 2-3, 2000 meeting, SACGT reviewed the proposed genetic test information template and recommended public comment be solicited. After consideration of public comments, SACGT's final draft of the template will be submitted to the Assistant Secretary of Health for transmittal to the Secretary of Health and Human Services.

DATES: The public is encouraged to provide written comments on the proposed genetic test information template by January 31, 2001. The following mailing address should be used: SACGT, National Institutes of Health, 9000 Rockville Pike, Building 1, Room 103, Bethesda, Maryland, 20892. SACGT's facsimile number is 301-496-9839. Comments can also be sent via e-mail to hagas@od.nih.gov. All public comments received will be available for public inspection at the SACGT office between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Questions about this request for public comment can be directed to Dr. Susanne Haga, by e-mail (hagas@od.nih.gov) or telephone (301-496-9838). The proposed template will also be posted on SACGT's website for review and comment.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Decades of genetics research have brought about many important medical and public health advances. The pace of discovery