

telecommunications relay services, numbering administration, number portability, and universal service. The Commission modified the existing methodology used to assess contributions that carriers make to the federal universal service support mechanisms.

The modifications adopted, will entail altering to the current revenue reporting requirements to which interstate telecom. carriers are subject under part 54 of the Commission's rules.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0770.

*Expiration Date:* 12/31/2005.

*Title:* Price Cap Performance Review for Local Exchange Carriers, CC Docket No. 94-1 (New Services).

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 26 responses; 130 total annual hours; 5 hours per response.

*Needs and Uses:* The Commission permits price cap LECs to introduce new services on a streamlined basis, without prior approval. The Commission modified the rules to eliminate the public interest showing required by 69.4(g) and to eliminate the new services test (except in the case of loop-based new services) required under sections 61.49(f) and (g). The information is needed by the Commission to carry out its mandate.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0704.

*Expiration Date:* 12/31/2005.

*Title:* Policy and Rules Concerning the Interstate, Interexchange Marketplace; Implementation of Section 254 (g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, CC Docket No. 96-6.

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 519 responses; 158,971 total annual hours; \$435,000 cost burden; 306.3 hours per response.

*Needs and Uses:* In the Second Order on Reconsideration issued in CC Docket No. 96-61, the Commission reinstates the public disclosure requirement and also requires that nondominant interexchange carriers that have Internet websites pass this information on-line in a timely and easily accessible manner. These carriers also continue to be required to file annual certifications pursuant to section 254(g); maintain price and service information; and are forbidden from filing certain tariffs.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0760.

*Expiration Date:* 12/31/2005.

*Title:* Access Charge Reform, CC Docket No. 96-262 (First Report and Order); Second Order on Reconsideration and Memorandum Opinion and Order, and Fifth Report and Order.

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 14 responses; 57,127 total annual hours; \$8,000 cost burden; 4,080.5 hours per response.

*Needs and Uses:* The Commission provides detailed rules for implementing the market-based approach, pursuant to which price cap LECs would receive pricing flexibility in the provision of interstate access services as competition for those services develops. The Order grants immediate pricing flexibility to price cap LECs in the form of streamlined introduction of new services, geographic deaveraging of rates for services in the trunking basket, and removal of certain interstate interexchange services from price cap regulation, while providing for additional pricing flexibility upon certain showings. A FNPRM seeks additional flexibility.

Federal Communications Commission.

**Marlene H. Dortch,**

*Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

### Notice of Agency Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b), notice is hereby given that at 10:03 a.m. on Tuesday, March 11, 2003, the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation met in closed session to consider matters relating to the Corporation's resolution, corporate, and enforcement activities.

In calling the meeting, the Board determined, on motion of Director James E. Gilleran (Director, Office of Thrift Supervision), seconded by Ms. Julie L. Williams, acting in the place and stead of Director John D. Hawke, Jr. (Comptroller of the Currency), concurred in by Vice Chairman John M. Reich, and Chairman Donald E. Powell, that Corporation business required its consideration of the matters on less than seven days' notice to the public; that no notice earlier than March 7, 2003, of the meeting was practicable; that the public interest did not require consideration of the matters in a meeting open to public observation; and that the matters could be considered in a closed meeting by authority of subsections (c)(2), (c)(4), (c)(6), (c)(8), (c)(9)(A)(ii), and (c)(9)(B) of the "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(2), (c)(4), (c)(6), (c)(8), (c)(9)(A)(ii), and (c)(9)(B)).

The meeting was held in the Board Room of the FDIC Building located at 550 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC.

Dated: March 11, 2003.

**Valerie J. Best,**

*Assistant Executive Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Notices

**DATE AND TIME:** Thursday, March 20, 2003 at 10 a.m.

**PLACE:** 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC (ninth floor).

**STATUS:** This meeting will be open to the public.

The following item has been withdrawn from the agenda:

Notice of proposed rulemaking on public funding of presidential primary and general election candidates and conventions.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ron Harris, Press Officer, Telephone (202) 694-1220.

**Mary W. Dove,**

*Secretary of the Commission.*

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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/](http://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 7, 2003.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis** (Randall C. Sumner, Vice President) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63166-2034:

1. *Security First Bancshares, Inc.*, O'Fallon, Illinois; to become a bank holding company by acquiring at least 68 percent of the voting shares of Bank of O'Fallon, O'Fallon, Illinois.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 10, 2003.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Board.*

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## GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

### Office of Management Services; Revision of SF 1444, Request for Authorization of Additional Classification and Rate

**AGENCY:** Office of Management Services, GSA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The General Services Administration (GSA), Office of Governmentwide Policy revised the SF 1444, Request for Authorization of Additional Classification and Rate to:

- a. Update the reporting burden statement due to a reorganization;
- b. Revise the instructions for copy distribution; and
- c. Make authorized for local reproduction. The form is now a single cutsheet instead of a 5 part set.

Since this form is now authorized for local reproduction, you can obtain the updated camera copy in two ways:

On the internet. Address: <http://www.gsa.gov/forms/>; or from Forms-CAP, Attn.: Barbara Williams, (202) 501-0581.

The Federal Acquisition Regulation will reflect this change at a later date.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Barbara Williams, General Services Administration, (202) 501-0581.

Effective March 14, 2003.

Dated: March 4, 2003.

**Barbara M. Williams,**

*Deputy Standard and Optional Forms Management Officer, General Services Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

**[Document Identifier: CMS-368/R144, CMS-R-240, and CMS-566]**

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) (formerly known as the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA)), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of proposed collections for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

(1) *Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Medicaid Drug Rebate; *Form No.:* CMS-368/R144 (OMB# 0938-0582); *Use:* Section 1927 requires State Medicaid agencies to report to drug manufacturers and CMS on the drug utilization for their State and the amount of rebate to be paid by the manufacturer; *Frequency:* Quarterly; *Affected Public:* State, local, or tribal government; *Number of Respondents:* 51; *Total Annual Responses:* 204; *Total Annual Hours:* 6,125.

(2) *Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection; *Title of*

*Information Collection:* Prospective Payments for Hospital Outpatient Services and Supporting Regulations in 42 CFR 413.24, 413.65, and 419.42; *Form No.:* CMS-R-240 (OMB# 0938-0798); *Use:* As required by sections 4521, 4522, and 4523 of the Balanced Budget Act of 1997, HCFA-1005FC eliminates the formula driven overpayment for certain outpatient hospital services, extends reductions in payment for costs of hospital outpatient services, and establishes in regulations a prospective payment system for hospital outpatient services. The rule also establishes in regulations the requirements for designating certain entities as provider-based or as a department of a hospital; *Frequency:* Other—as needed; *Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit, and Not-for-profit institutions; *Number of Respondents:* 750; *Total Annual Responses:* 2,272; *Total Annual Hours:* 41,063.

(3) *Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Medicare Managed Care Disenrollment Form; *Form No.:* CMS-566 (0938-0507); *Use:* This form provides Medicare beneficiaries the option to disenroll from their Medicare managed care plan through a neutral third party. CMS and SSA have established an agreement via a formal Memorandum of Understanding for SSA to process beneficiary disenrollments from Medicare managed care plans. Prior to 1999, the Social Security Act provided Medicare beneficiaries enrolled in Medicare managed care plans with the option of disenrolling from the plan at a Social Security Field Office; however, section 4001 of the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 amended the Social Security Act, removing this requirement from the statute; *Frequency:* On Occasion; *Affected Public:* Individuals or Households, Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions, and Federal Government; *Number of Respondents:* 85,000; *Total Annual Responses:* 85,000; *Total Annual Hours:* 2,805.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, access CMS's Web site address at <http://cms.hhs.gov/regulations/pr/default.asp>, or E-mail your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number, and CMS document identifier, to [Paperwork@hcfa.gov](mailto:Paperwork@hcfa.gov), or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786-1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed