

**FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION****Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

**AGENCY:** Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC).

**ACTION:** Notice of information collections to be submitted to OMB for review and approval under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), the FDIC hereby gives notice that it plans to submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request for OMB review and approval of the two information collection systems described below.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before February 9, 2005.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested parties are invited to submit written comments to Steven F. Hanft (202-898-3907), Paperwork Clearance Officer, Room MB-3064, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, 550 17th Street NW., Washington, DC 20429. All comments should refer to the OMB control number of the collection. Comments may be hand-delivered to the guard station at the rear of the 17th Street Building (located on F Street), on business days between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. [FAX number (202) 898-3838].

A copy of the comments may also be submitted to the OMB desk officer for the FDIC: Mark Menchik, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Steven F. Hanft, at the address identified above.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****Proposal to Renew the Following Currently Approved Collections of Information**

1. *Title:* Interagency Charter and Federal Deposit Insurance Application.  
*OMB Number:* 3064-0001.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.  
*Affected Public:* Banks or savings associations wishing to become FDIC-insured depository institutions.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 193.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 125 hours.

*Total Annual Burden:* 24,125 hours.  
*General Description of Collection:* The Interagency Charter and Federal Deposit Insurance Application is used by the

FDIC as a deposit insurance application, and by the OCC and OTS as a charter application. Applications for deposit insurance must provide sufficient information to permit the FDIC to consider certain factors which are listed in section 6 of the FDI Act. These factors include: the financial history and condition of the depository institution, the adequacy of its capital structure, its future earnings prospects, the general character and fitness of its management, the risk it presents to the relevant insurance fund, the convenience and needs of the community to be served, and the consistency of its corporate powers. All depository institutions seeking insurance must follow the same procedures.

2. *Title:* Notice of Branch Closure.

*OMB Number:* 3064-0109.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Affected Public:* Insured depository institutions.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 1,364.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 2.4 hours.

*Total Annual Burden:* 3,028 hours.

*General Description of Collection:* An institution proposing to close a branch must notify its primary regulator no later than 90 days prior to the closing. Each FDIC-insured institution must adopt policies for branch closings. This collection covers the requirements for notice, and for policy adoption.

**Request for Comment**

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether these two collections of information are 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 collections, including the validity of the methodologies 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 collections on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Dated at Washington, DC, this 5th day of January, 2005.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

**Robert E. Feldman,**

*Executive Secretary.*

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**FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION****Sunshine Act Meeting Notices**

**AGENCY:** Federal Election Commission

**DATE AND TIME:** Thursday, January 13, 2005 at 10

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

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

**ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED:** Correction and Approval of Minutes.

Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on Definition of Agent for BCRA Regulations on Coordinated and Independent Expenditures and Non-Federal Funds or Soft Money (11 CFR 109.3 and 300.2(b)).

Future Meeting Dates.

Routine Administrative Matters.

**INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Robert Biersack, 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 February 3, 2005.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta** (Sue Costello, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30303:

1. *Community Bancshares of Mississippi, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan*, Brandon, Mississippi; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 58.6 percent of the voting shares of Community Bancshares of Mississippi, Inc., Brandon, Mississippi, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Community Bank of Mississippi, Forest, Mississippi.

**B. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago** (Patrick Wilder, Assistant Vice President) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1414:

1. *Arthur R. Murray, Inc.*, Milford, Illinois; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Dewey State Bank, Dewey, Illinois.

2. *Country Bancorporation*, Crawfordsville, Iowa; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of White State Bank, South English, Iowa.

3. *Alpha Financial Group, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan*, Toluca, Illinois; to acquire up to 45.57 percent of the voting shares of Alpha Financial Group, Toluca, Illinois, and thereby indirectly acquire Alpha Community Bank, Toluca, Illinois.

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

1. *Ozarks Legacy Community Financial, Inc.*, Thayer, Missouri; to become a bank holding company by acquiring at least 91.3 percent of the voting shares of Bank of Thayer, Thayer, Missouri.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, January 4, 2005.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Board.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

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**Proposed Data Collections Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations**

In compliance with the requirement of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 for opportunity for public comment on proposed data collection projects, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects. To request more information on the proposed projects or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, call the CDC Reports Clearance Officer at (404) 371-5978. CDC is requesting an emergency clearance for this data collection with a fourteen-day public comment period. CDC is requesting OMB approval of this package fourteen days after the end of the public comment period.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. As this is an emergency clearance, please direct comments to the CDC Desk Officer, Human Resources and Housing Branch, New Executive

Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 or by fax to (202) 395-6974. Comments should be received within fourteen days of this notice.

**Proposed Project**

Operations and Scope of Public Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) Clinics in the U.S. States and Territories—New—National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention (NCHSTP), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Many clinics around the United States (U.S.) provide care specifically targeted toward people infected with or at risk for sexually transmitted diseases. These clinics are an important community resource in many areas because they provide specialized, affordable, expert care for clients. However, little is known about the number of public clinics in the U.S. that offer categorical STD services, their geographical location, or the range and quality of services offered. Understanding the characteristics and range of public STD clinics in the U.S. and the communities they serve will provide important information about access to STD care in the public setting, as well as identify needed resources. The location of clinics can be compared to local population size and STD morbidity to assess coverage. In addition, clinic information can be used to supplement the referral database for the CDC National STD and AIDS Hotline; to assist the STD clinics in networking with each other; and to provide professionals working with STDs a more accurate and well-rounded national picture of the clinics and the communities they serve. Additional information can also be gathered to assist in developing recommendations, guidelines, programs, and activities.

CDC proposes to mail a brief survey to approximately 2,800 public health clinics in the United States regarding the range of services offered at the clinics, source of their funding, and composition of clinic staff. Respondents will be provided a stamped addressed envelope to return the survey. The only cost to respondents is their time to complete the survey.

Respondents	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)
Public Health Clinics .....	2,800	1	15/60	700
Total .....	.....	.....	.....	700