

the captioned application is designated for hearing in a proceeding before an FCC Administrative Law Judge, at a time and place to be specified in a subsequent *Order*, upon the following issues:

(a) To determine whether William F. Crowell willfully and/or repeatedly violated Section 333 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and § 97.101(d) of the Commission's rules, by intentionally interfering with radio communications;

(b) To determine whether William F. Crowell willfully and/or repeatedly violated § 97.113(b) of the Commission's rules by transmitting one-way communications on amateur frequencies;

(c) To determine whether William F. Crowell willfully and/or repeatedly violated § 97.113(a)(4) of the Commission's rules by transmitting indecent language;

(d) To determine whether William F. Crowell willfully and/or repeatedly violated § 97.113(a)(4) of the Commission's rules by transmitting music;

(e) To determine, in light of the evidence adduced pursuant to the foregoing issues, whether William F. Crowell is qualified to be and remain a Commission licensee;

(f) To determine, in light of the evidence adduced pursuant to the foregoing issues, whether the captioned application filed by William F. Crowell should be granted.

3. Pursuant to section 4(i) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. 154(i), and § 1.221(c) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR 1.221(c), in order to avail himself of the opportunity to be heard, William F. Crowell, in person or by his attorney, shall file with the Commission, within twenty calendar days of the mailing of this *Hearing Designation Order* to him, a written appearance stating that he will appear on the date fixed for hearing and present evidence on the issues specified herein.

4. Pursuant to § 1.221(c) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR 1.221(c), if William F. Crowell fails to file a written appearance within the twenty-day period, or has not filed prior to the expiration of the twenty-day period, a petition to dismiss without prejudice, or a petition to accept, for good cause shown, a written appearance beyond the expiration of the twenty-day period, the Presiding Administrative Law Judge shall dismiss the captioned application with prejudice for failure to prosecute.

5. The Chief, Enforcement Bureau, shall be made a party to this proceeding

without the need to file a written appearance.

6. Pursuant to sections 4(i) and 309(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. 154(i), and 309(e), the burden of proceeding with the introduction of evidence and the burden of proof with respect to all of the issues specified above shall be on William F. Crowell.

7. A copy of this *Hearing Designation Order* or a summary thereof shall be published in the **Federal Register**.

8. This action is taken under delegated authority pursuant to §§ 0.131 and 0.331 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR 0.131, and 0.331.

Federal Communications Commission.

Scot Stone,

Deputy Chief, Mobility Division.

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FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC).

ACTION: Notice and request for comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35), an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection unless it displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The FDIC is contemplating establishing a generic information collection to conduct occasional qualitative surveys in support of Alliance for Economic Inclusion (AEI) initiatives. The subject matter of the surveys would be determined by individual AEI regional area needs and areas of interest, but likely would include such topics as financial literacy education, asset building programs, retail banking services, and alternative financial services delivery channels. Survey respondents would typically include AEI coalition member financial institutions, but may also include non-AEI member financial institutions in regional areas served by AEIs. Depending on local needs, other organizations could also be surveyed as well.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before April 25, 2008.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties are invited to submit written comments by

mail to Leneta Gregorie, Legal Division, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, 550 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20429; by FAX at (202) 898-8788; or by e-mail to comments@fdic.gov. All comments should refer to "Alliance for Economic Inclusion (AEI) Occasional Qualitative Surveys." Copies of comments may also be submitted to the OMB desk officer for the FDIC, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Interested members of the public may obtain additional information about the collection by contacting Leneta Gregorie at the address identified above or by calling 202-898-3719.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Proposal to Seek OMB Approval for the Following New Collection of Information

Title: Alliance for Economic Inclusion (AEI) Occasional Qualitative Surveys.

OMB Number: New collection (3064-xxxx).

Frequency of Response: Occasional.

Affected Public: Primarily insured financial institutions in areas served by AEI coalitions, although other organizations could also be surveyed as well.

Estimated Number of Respondents: Up to 90 per collection.

Estimated time per response: Up to 1 hour per respondent.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 90 respondents × 20 collections per year × 1 hour per response = 1,800 hours.

General Description of Collection

The AEI is a national initiative sponsored by the FDIC to help improve the economic well-being of low- and moderate-income individuals and families by improving their access to the U.S. banking system. To facilitate this effort, AEI has established broad-based coalitions of financial institutions, community- and faith-based organizations, state, and local governmental agencies, federal bank regulators, researchers, employers, and bank trade associations in various markets across the country to focus on the basic retail financial services needs of unbanked and underserved populations in their respective areas. Currently, there are nine AEI coalitions, one each focusing on: The "Black Belt" semi-rural area of Alabama; the greater Boston/Worcester area; the city of Chicago; the Austin/South Texas, Texas area; the Kansas City metropolitan area; the Louisiana and Mississippi Gulf

Coast areas; the Baltimore, Maryland area; the Wilmington, Delaware area; and the city of Los Angeles. However, additional coalition(s) may be formed in the future. Each regional AEI has formed working groups to identify barriers and opportunities and works independently to develop innovative products and marketing strategies to bring the unbanked and underserved into the financial mainstream. Such products and strategies might include low-cost deposit accounts, low- or no-cost check cashing, affordable remittance products, free tax preparation, individual development accounts, coaching or other counseling assistance, and financial education. The purpose of surveys submitted to OMB under this generic information collection would be in furtherance of the objectives of the AEI working groups. A sample survey, proposed for use by the Wilmington AEI coalition, appears in Appendix A.

Although the members of each AEI initiative, rather than the FDIC, will be primarily responsible for developing survey contents, the FDIC does facilitate AEI initiatives by providing support services. Therefore, any AEI surveys would be conducted by the FDIC using its own staff and resources.

Technology will be used to the extent it is cost effective and possible to electronically distribute survey instruments and collect survey data. In addition, the FDIC will ensure that AEI surveys are consistent with rules governing federally conducted or sponsored information collections, conform to privacy rules, and do not request any information of a sensitive nature. It is not the intent of the FDIC to publish survey findings. All data from the surveys are for the information and use of the sponsoring AEI coalition.

Request for Comment

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is 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 collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start up costs, and costs of operation, maintenance and purchase of services to provide the information.

Appendix A—Proposed Survey of Retail Bank Services in Wilmington

1. Does your Bank offer in-house financial literacy education centrally, at your branches or provide funding to 3rd parties for this service?
Yes ___ No ___

If yes, please indicate if you offer multi-lingual education and locations:

2. Does your Bank offer banking products and services using multi-lingual marketing and promotional materials?

a. ATM; Bank by Phone; Internet Banking; Teller Services; New Loan Accounts; New Deposit Accounts
If yes, please indicate the languages and specific services you provide:

3. Does your bank offer bilingual banking literature and/or services?

Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please list available literature and language(s):

4. Does your bank offer free checking with no minimum account opening balance requirement?

Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please indicate any fees and/or requirements:

5. Does your bank offer other low cost deposit products?

Yes ___ No ___
If yes please describe the products:

6. Does your bank offer low cost money orders?

Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please indicate any fees and/or requirements:

7. Does your bank offer bill payment options at branches (such as payment of utility bills)?

Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please indicate any fees and/or requirements associated with this service:

8. Does your bank offer prepaid products?

Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please describe the products offered and indicate if there are associated fees:

9. Does your bank offer discounted first time home buyers mortgages either directly or through a 3rd party?

Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please describe the programs, including but not limited to any grants, waived fees, interest buy down, participation with local and state communities:

10. What type of secured loan and secured credit line products does your bank offer?

11. Does your bank participate in an Outreach Program?

Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please describe the program(s):

12. Does your bank offer international remittance services?

Yes ___ No ___
a) List any outgoing fees/incoming fees and/or requirements:

(b) List any other specialized remittance services (such as ATM/debit-cards):

13. What form(s) of identification are required for new accounts under your Customer Identification Program?

(a) List accepted form(s) of ID for U.S. persons:

(b) List accepted form(s) of ID for non-U.S. persons:

(c) How many forms of ID are required (indicate picture or non-picture)?

(d) If applicable, please list any *non-*

documentary methods that are used to identify customers.

14. Does your bank accept consular cards for ID (such as the Mexican matricula consular)?
Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please specify which country(s) consular cards you accept:

15. Does your bank provide assistance with ITIN?
Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please describe any assistance that you provide (such as providing W7 forms):

16. Does your bank use an account or credit history check when opening up checking accounts?
Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please indicate which service you utilize:
CheckSystems: ___
TeleCheck: ___ Credit Bureau: ___ Other: ___

17. Does your bank participate in the Delaware EITC program?
If yes, what special products and/or services do you offer unbanked recipients of refunds under the program?

18. Please list any other services available at your bank that you feel may be applicable to this survey.

19. Please feel free to add any comments/suggestions concerning any challenges your bank has encountered when trying to serve the under-served customers such as immigrants (include suggestions for regulatory guidance).

Survey completed by:

Contact information:

Thank you very much for your assistance and cooperation. Please

fax the completed form to: (Title and Name) at (Phone Number) or e-mail the completed form to (e-mail address)

Dated at Washington, DC, this 19th day of February, 2008.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Robert E. Feldman,

Executive Secretary.

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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 applications 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 <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 March 21, 2008.

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

1. FBHC Holding Company, to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of FlatIrons Bank Holding Company, and

thereby acquire FlatIrons Bank, all of Boulder, Colorado.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, February 20, 2008.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

[File No. 051 0094]

Negotiated Data Solutions LLC; Analysis of Proposed Consent Order to Aid Public Comment

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Extension of deadline for submission of public comments.

SUMMARY: The Federal Trade Commission is extending the deadline for filing public comments in connection with the consent agreement in this matter, which settles alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair or deceptive acts or practices and unfair methods of competition.

DATES: Public comments must be received on or before April 24, 2008.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties are invited to submit written comments. Comments should refer to "Negotiated Data Solutions, File No. 051 0094," to facilitate the organization of comments. A comment filed in paper form should include this reference both in the text and on the envelope, and should be mailed or delivered to the following address: Federal Trade Commission/ Office of the Secretary, Room 135-H (Annex D), 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20580.

Comments containing confidential material must be filed in paper form, must be clearly labeled "Confidential," and must comply with Commission Rule 4.9(c). 16 CFR 4.9(c) (2005).¹ The FTC is requesting that any comment filed in paper form be sent by courier or overnight service, if possible, because U.S. postal mail in the Washington area and at the Commission is subject to delay due to heightened security. Comments that do not contain any nonpublic information may instead be filed in electronic form by following the instructions on the web-based form at

¹ The comment must be accompanied by an explicit request for confidential treatment, including the factual and legal basis for the request, and must identify the specific portions of the comment to be withheld from the public record. The request will be granted or denied by the Commission's General Counsel, consistent with applicable law and the public interest. See Commission Rule 4.9(c), 16 CFR 4.9(c).