

FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

Sunshine Act; Notice of Meeting

January 15, 2009.

TIME AND DATE: 9 a.m. (Eastern Time).

PLACE: 4th Floor Conference Room, 1250 H Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005.

STATUS: Parts will be open to the public and parts closed to the public.

Matters To Be Considered

Parts Open to the Public

1. Approval of the minutes of the December 15, 2008 Board member meeting.
2. Thrift Savings Plan activity report by the Executive Director.
 - a. Monthly Participant Activity Report.
 - b. Legislative Report.
 - c. Office of Participant Services Report.
3. Quarterly Reports.
 - a. Investment Policy Review.

- b. Vendor Financial Reports.
- c. MetLife Annuity Report.
4. Audit of Computer Access and Technical Security Controls.

Parts Closed to the Public

5. Confidential Financial Information.
6. Security.

CONTACT FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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Dated: January 8, 2009.

Thomas K. Emswiler,

Secretary, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Revised Jurisdictional Thresholds for Section 7A of the Clayton Act

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Federal Trade Commission announces the revised thresholds for the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976 required by the 2000 amendment of Section 7A of the Clayton Act. Section 7A of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. 18a, as added by the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, Pub. L. 94-435, 90 Stat. 1390 (“the Act”), requires all persons contemplating certain mergers or acquisitions, which meet or exceed the jurisdictional thresholds in the Act, to file notification with the Commission and the Assistant Attorney General and to wait a designated period of time before consummating such transactions. Section 7A(a)(2) requires the Federal Trade Commission to revise those thresholds annually, based on the change in gross national product, in accordance with Section 8(a)(5). The new thresholds, which take effect 30 days after publication in the Federal Register, are as follows:

SUBSECTION OF 7A	ORIGINAL THRESHOLD	ADJUSTED THRESHOLD
7A(a)(2)(A)	\$200 million	\$260.7 million
7A(a)(2)(B)(i)	\$50 million	\$65.2 million
7A(a)(2)(B)(i)	\$200 million	\$260.7 million
7A(a)(2)(B)(ii)(I)	\$10 million	\$13.0 million
7A(a)(2)(B)(ii)(I)	\$100 million	\$130.3 million
7A(a)(2)(B)(ii)(II)	\$10 million	\$13.0 million
7A(a)(2)(B)(ii)(II)	\$100 million	\$130.3 million
7A(a)(2)(B)(ii)(III)	\$100 million	\$130.3 million
7A(a)(2)(B)(ii)(III)	\$10 million	\$13.0 million
Section 7A note: Assessment and Collection of Filing Fees ¹ (3)(b)(1)	\$100 million	\$130.3 million
Section 7A note: Assessment and Collection of Filing Fees (3)(b)(2)	\$100 million	\$130.3 million
Section 7A note: Assessment and Collection of Filing Fees (3)(b)(2)	\$500 million	\$651.7 million
Section 7A note: Assessment and Collection of Filing Fees (3)(b)(3)	\$500 million	\$651.7 million

¹ Pub. L. 106-553, Sec. 630(b) amended Sec. 18a note.

Any reference to these thresholds and related thresholds and limitation values in the HSR rules (16 C.F.R. Parts 801-

803) and the Antitrust Improvements Act Notification and Report Form and its Instructions will also be adjusted,

where indicated by the term “(as adjusted)”, as follows:

ORIGINAL THRESHOLD	ADJUSTED THRESHOLD
\$10 million	\$13.0 million
\$50 million	\$65.2 million
\$100 million	\$130.3 million
\$110 million	\$143.4 million