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 of 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 writing on the standards enumerated in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(o)). 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/nicc/. 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 October 11, 2010.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (E. Ann Worthy, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201–2272:

1. First Financial Bankshares, Inc., Abilene, Texas; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Sam Houston Financial Corp., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of First State Bank, both of Huntsville, Texas.


Jennifer J. Johnson,
Secretary of the Board.

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Notice of Proposals to Engage in Permissible Nonbanking Activities or to Acquire Companies that are Engaged in Permissible Nonbanking Activities; Correction

This notice corrects a notice (FR Doc. 2010–22438) published on page 54884 of the issue for Thursday, September 9, 2010.

Under the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, the entry for Mason National Bancshares, Mason, Texas, is revised to read as follows:

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (E. Ann Worthy, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201–2272:

1. Mason National Bancshares, Mason, Texas, to engage de novo in lending activities, pursuant to section 225.28(b)(1) of Regulation Y.

Comments on this application must be received by September 24, 2010.


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Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Ocean Transportation Intermediary License Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission an application for a license as a Non-Vessel-Operating Common Carrier (NVO) and/or Ocean Freight Forwarder (OFF)—Ocean Transportation Intermediary (OTT) pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 as amended (46 U.S.C. Chapter 409 and 46 CFR 515). Notice is also hereby given of the filing of applications to amend an existing OTI license or the Qualifying Individual (QI) for a license.

Interested persons may contact the Office of Transportation Intermediaries, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573.

Cargomar Express, Inc. (NVO & OFF), 6713 NW 84 Avenue, Miami, FL 33186. Officer: Lander Araujo, President/Treasurer/Secretary, (Qualifying Individual), Application Type: New NVO & OFF License.

Dishm Logistics LLC (OFF), 168–01 Rockaway Boulevard, Suite 204, Jamaica, NY 11434. Officers: Sadijah Mohammed, Member, (Qualifying Individual), Hicham Kallamni, Member, Application Type: New OFF License.

Expedia Shippers & Logistics, Inc. dba Morgan Shipping Lines (NVO), 331 West 57th Street, Suite 270, New York, NY 10019. Officer: Carlitto Deleon, President/Secretary/Treasurer, (Qualifying Individual), www.fmc.gov or by contacting the Office of Agreements at (202)–523–5793 or tradeanalysis@fmc.gov. Agreement No.: 201202–003.

Title: Oakland MTO Agreement.

Parties: Eagle Marine Services, Ltd.; Ports of America Outer Harbor Terminal, LLC; Seaside Transportation Service LLC; SSA Terminals, LLC; SSA Terminals (Oakland), LLC; Total Terminals International, LLC; and TraPac, Inc.

Filing Party: Wayne R. Rohde, Esq.; Cozen O’Connor; 1627 I Street, NW.; Suite 1100; Washington, DC 20006.

Synopsis: The amendment deletes Transbay Container Terminal, LLC as a party to the agreement.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.


Karen V. Gregory,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. FDA–2010–N–0480]

Integrated Food Safety System Online Collaboration Development—Cooperative Agreement With the National Center for Food Protection and Defense (U18)

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing its intention to receive and consider a single source application for the award of a cooperative agreement in fiscal year 2010 (FY10) to the National Center for Food Protection and Defense (NCFPD). One of the primary goals of the NCFPD is to allow FDA to meet the White House Food Safety Working Group recommendation that the Federal government prioritize crucial inspection and enforcement activity across the world; support safety efforts by States, localities, and businesses at home; and utilize data to guide these efforts and evaluate their outcomes.

DATES: Important dates are as follows:

1. The application due date is September 27, 2010.
2. The anticipated start date is September 2010.
3. The opening date is September 27, 2010.
4. The expiration date is September 30, 2010.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS CONTACT:

Center Contact: Heather Brown, Food and Drug Administration, Office of Regulatory Affairs, 5600 Fishers Lane, rm. 13–45, Rockville, MD 20857, 301–796–4304, FAX: 301–443–7270, email: heather.brown@fda.hhs.gov.

Grants Management Contact: Kimberly Pendleton, Division of Acquisition Support and Grants (HFA–500), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 2104, Rockville, MD 20857, 301–827–9363, FAX: 301–827–7101, email: Kimberly.Pendleton@fda.hhs.gov.

For more information on this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) and to obtain detailed requirements, please refer to the full FOA located at http://www.fda.gov/Food/NewsEvents/ucm176500.htm.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Funding Opportunity Description

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number: 93.103

A. Background

This funding opportunity is a single source application for the award of a cooperative agreement to the NCFPD to support the continued development and operations of collaborative online tools involving a range of stakeholders for the purposes of information sharing in the development of an integrated food safety system, and the development and implementation of a sustainable model for continued collaborative communications and information sharing. Competition is limited to NCFPD because it has unique expertise and capacity found nowhere else. It is the host/creator of FoodSHIELD, an inter-governmental collaborative project supporting information sharing at the Federal, State, and local levels. NCFPD also has past experience directly supporting the White House Food Safety Working Group Objectives to integrate the food safety system at all levels.

B. Research Objectives

Food can become contaminated at many different points—on the farm, in processing or distribution facilities, during transit, at retail and food service establishments, and in the home. In recent years, FDA, in cooperation with other food regulatory and public health agencies, has done a great deal to prevent both intentional and unintentional contamination of food at each of these points. FDA has worked with other Federal, State, local, tribal, territorial, and foreign counterpart food safety regulatory and public health agencies, as well as with law enforcement and intelligence-gathering agencies, industry, consumer groups, and academia to strengthen the Nation’s food safety and food defense system across the entire distribution chain.

This cooperation has resulted in greater awareness of potential vulnerabilities, the creation of more effective prevention programs, new surveillance systems, and the ability to quickly respond to outbreaks of foodborne illness. However, changes in consumer dietary patterns, changes in industry practices, changes in the U.S. population, and an increasingly globalized food supply chain and new pathogens and other contaminants pose challenges that are requiring us to adapt our current food protection strategies.

Recognizing these challenges, President Obama has made a personal commitment to improving food safety. On July 7, 2009, the multiagency Food Safety Working Group (Working Group), which he established, issued its key findings on how to upgrade the food safety system for the 21st century. The