

indirectly acquire and retain voting shares of First Citizens Bank of Polson, National Association, both of Polson, Montana.

Comments on this application must be received by December 17, 2010.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 7, 2010.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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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.

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 January 6, 2010.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Clifford Stanford, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, NE., Atlanta, Georgia 30309:

1. *First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc.*, Hammond, Louisiana; to merge with Greensburg Bancshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Bank of Greensburg, both of Greensburg, Louisiana.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 7, 2010.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Granting of Request for Early Termination of the Waiting Period Under the Premerger Notification Rules

Section 7A of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. 18a, as added by Title 11 of the Hart-Scott Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, requires persons contemplating certain mergers or acquisitions to give the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General advance notice and to wait designated periods before consummation of such plans. Section 7A(b)(2) of the Act permits the agencies, in individual cases, to terminate this waiting period prior to its expiration and requires that notice of this action be published in the **Federal Register**.

The following transactions were granted early termination of the waiting period provided by law and the premerger notification rules. The grants were made by the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General for the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice. Neither agency intends to take any action with respect to these proposed acquisitions during the applicable waiting period.

TRANSACTION GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION

| ET date | Trans No. | ET req status | Party name |
|-----------------|-----------|----------------------------|--|
| 22-NOV-10 | 20100479 | G | R.R. Donnelley & Sons Company. |
| | | G | Bowne & Co., Inc. |
| | 20110093 | G | Bowne & Co., inc. |
| | | G | Fidelity National Information Services, Inc. |
| | | G | Dr. Romesh Wadhvani. |
| | | G | Grove Holdings 2 S.a.R.L. |
| | 20110169 | G | Grove Holdings US, LLC. |
| | | G | IESI-BFC Ltd. |
| | | G | Fred Weber, Inc. |
| | | G | Weber Gas Energy, LLC. |
| | | G | Crown Excel Disposal, LLC. |
| | | G | FW Disposal South, LLC. |
| | 20110170 | G | FW Disposal, LLC. |
| | | G | Liberty Dialysis Holdings, Inc. |
| | | G | Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe X, L.P. |
| | 20110172 | G | RA Group Holdings, Inc. |
| | | G | Berkshire Fund VII, L.P. |
| | 20110176 | G | Carter's, Inc. |
| | | G | Carter's, Inc. |
| | | G | Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe XI, L.P. |
| 20110180 | G | FS Equity Partners V, L.P. | |
| | G | Smile Brands Group Inc. | |
| | G | Richard and Stacey Webb. | |
| | | G | Charles S. Lupe, Jr. |
| | | G | Greensport/Ship Channel Partners, LP. |

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|-----------------|-----------|---------------|--|
| | | G | Greensport Management LLC. |
| | 20110183 | G | Wellspring Capital Partners IV, L.P. |
| | | G | Estate of Robert H. Brooks. |
| | | G | Hooters of America, Inc. |
| | 20110196 | G | Barry Diller. |
| | | G | Barry Diller. |
| | | G | IAC/InterActiveCorp. |
| | 20110197 | G | Barry Diller. |
| | | G | Liberty Media Corporation. |
| | | G | IAC/InterActiveCorp. |
| | 20110199 | G | Thoma Bravo Fund IX, L.P. |
| | | G | United Parcel Service, Inc. |
| | | G | UPS Logistics Technologies, Inc. |
| 22-NOV-10 | 20110148 | G | Harbinger Capital Partners Special Situations Offshore Fund. |
| | | G | Harbinger Group Inc. |
| | 20110171 | G | Carlisle Companies Incorporated. |
| | | G | Hawk Corporation. |
| | | G | Hawk Corporation. |
| | 20110184 | G | Oracle Corporation. |
| | | G | Art Technology Group, Inc. |
| | | G | Art Technology Group, Inc. |
| | 20110187 | G | TOYOTA TSUSHO CORPORATION. |
| | | G | General Electric Company. |
| | | G | EFS Oyster Creek LP, LLC. |
| | 20110190 | G | Calera Capital Partners IV, LP. |
| | | G | William Greenblatt. |
| | | G | Sterling Infosystems, Inc. |
| | 20110191 | G | Wells Fargo & Company. |
| | | G | The A. Eugene Brockman Charitable Trust, St. John's Trust. |
| | | G | Bluepointe Holding Co. |
| | 20110193 | G | Marubeni Corporation. |
| | | G | BP p.l.c. |
| | | G | BP Exploration & Production, Inc. |
| | 20110194 | G | Tilman J. Fertitta. |
| | | G | The Hillman Company. |
| | | G | Bubba Gump Shrimp Co. Restaurants, Inc. |
| | 20110195 | G | MIP Waste Holdings, L.P. |
| | | G | Marlin HoldCo LP. |
| | | G | Marlin HoldCo LP. |
| | 20110204 | G | Marco Antonio Stefanini. |
| | | G | TechTeam Global, Inc. |
| | | G | TechTeam Global, Inc. |
| | 20110210 | G | Munchener Ruckversicherungs-Gesellschaft Aktiengesellschaft. |
| | | G | Windsor Health Group, Inc. |
| | | G | Windsor Health Group, Inc. |
| 24-NOV-10 | 20110158 | G | Fairfax Financial Holdings Limited. |
| | | G | First Mercury Financial Corporation. |
| | | G | First Mercury Financial Corporation. |
| | 20110179 | G | Achilles Holdings 1 S.A.R.L. |
| | | G | Brit Insurance Holdings N.V. |
| | | G | Brit Insurance Holdings N.V. |
| | 20110202 | G | Chesapeake Energy Corporation. |
| | | G | Energy Spectrum Partners IV LP. |
| | | G | Forrest Rig, L.L.C. |
| | 20110203 | G | John Reilly. |
| | | G | Croydon Corporation. |
| | | G | Croydon Corporation. |
| | 20110219 | G | Pinova Holdings, Inc. |
| | | G | LyondellBasell Industries N.V. |
| 26-NOV-10 | 20110157 | G | LyondellBasell Flavors & Fragrances, LLC |
| | | G | Windstream Corporation |
| | | G | ABRY Partners VI, L.P. |
| | | G | Hosted Solutions Acquisition, LLC. |
| 29-NOV-10 | 20101203 | G | TransDigm Group Incorporated |
| | | G | JLL Partners Fund V, L.P. |
| | | G | McKechnie Aerospace Holdings, Inc. |
| | 20110161 | G | Stryker Corporation |
| | | G | Boston Scientific Corporation. |
| | | G | Boston Scientific Corporation. |
| | 20110206 | G | PAI Partners S.A.S. |
| | | G | Ferrovial, SA. |

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| | | G | Swissport International A.G. |
| | 20110224 | G | Arrow Electronics, Inc. |
| | | G | Paul Milstein Revocable 1998 Trust. |
| | | G | Intechra Group, LLC. |
| | 20110226 | G | Linsalata Capital Partners Fund V, LP. |
| | | G | Whitcraft LLC. |
| | | G | Whitcraft LLC. |
| | 20110228 | G | Wynnchurch Capital Partners II, L.P. |
| | | G | Alexander P. Coleman. |
| | | G | JAC Holding Corporation. |
| | 20110233 | G | Friedman Fleisher & Lowe Capital Partners III, LP. |
| | | G | Linsalata Capital Partners Fund V, L.P. |
| 30-NOV-10 | 20110177 | G | Transtar Holding Company. |
| | | G | Sonic Healthcare Limited. |
| | | G | CBLPath Holdings Corporation. |
| | 20110249 | G | CBLPath Holdings Corporation. |
| | | G | The Williams Companies, Inc. |
| | | G | Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation. |
| 01-DEC-10 | 20110189 | G | Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation. |
| | | G | Amazon.com, Inc. |
| | | G | Hungry Machine, Inc. d/b/a Living Social |
| | | G | Hungry Machine, Inc. |
| 02-DEC-10 | 20110212 | G | Right Choice Credit Union, |
| | | G | First Service Credit Union. |
| | | G | First Service Credit Union. |
| | 20110223 | G | USPF III Leveraged Feeder, L.P. |
| | | G | Peter H. Zelif, Sr. |
| | | G | Innovative Energy Systems, LLC. |
| | | G | In Modern Innovative Energy, LLC. |
| | | G | In Model City Energy, LLC. |
| | | G | In Zelif Holdings, Inc. |
| | 20110230 | G | Clayton, Dubilier & Rice Fund VIII, L.P. |
| | | G | Tyco International Ltd. |
| | 2011244 | G | Atkore International Group Inc. |
| | | G | TPG VI Ontario 1 AIV, L.P. |
| | | G | MacDonald, Dettwiler and Associates Ltd. |
| | | G | Wertweiser GmbH. |
| | | G | MacDonald Dettwiler Info. Tech, Services Ltd. Liability Co. |
| | | G | MD Information Services (Luxembourg) S.A. |
| | | G | MacDonald, Dettwiler and Limited (UK). |
| | | G | MacDonald, Dettwiler and Limited (Ireland). |
| | | G | Marshall & SwiftBoeckh (Canada) Ltd. |
| | | G | MDA Access BC Ltd. |
| | 20110248 | G | MacDonald Detiwiler and Associates Corp. |
| | | G | Rhone Partners III L.P. |
| | | G | Audax Private Equity Fund II, L.P. |
| 03-DEC-10 | 20110182 | G | UI Sealing Technologies Intermediate Holdings, Inc. |
| | | G | Berkshire Hathaway Inc. |
| | | G | Mr. Thomas E. Bernard. |
| | | G | Horizon Wine and Spirits-Nashville, Inc. |
| | | G | Horizon Wine and Spirits-Chattanooga, Inc. |
| | 20110185 | G | Excellere Partners. |
| | | G | The SV Partners Limited Partnership. |
| | | G | AxelaCare Health Solutions, LLC. |
| | 20110234 | G | Cintas Corporation. |
| | | G | Brynwood Partners V L.P. |
| | | G | Metro Door, Inc. |
| | 20110236 | G | Patricia's Trust u/t Kocourek 1994 FT u/a/d Dec 31, 1994. |
| | | G | Stonehenge Opportunity Fund, LLC. |
| | | G | Cello-Poly LLC. |
| | | G | Plastic Packaging Technologies, LLC. |
| | 20110242 | G | Linsalata Capital Partnes Fund V, L.P. |
| | | G | Cortec Group Fund III, L.P. |
| | | G | RF Medical Holdings, Inc. |
| | 20110253 | G | Summit Partners Private Equity Fund VII-A, L.P. |
| | | G | John and Susan Ocampo. |
| | | G | M/A-COM Technology Solutions Holdings, Inc. |
| | 20110263 | G | Arsenal Capital Partners QP II LP. |
| | | G | John W. Jordan, III. |
| | | G | Para-Chem Southern, Inc. |
| | 20110265 | G | Bank of America Corporation. |

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| | | G | Powersport Auctioneer Holdings, LLC. |
| | 20110269 | G | Powersport Auctioneer Holdings, LLC. |
| | | G | Religare Enterprises Limited. |
| | | G | Landmark Partners, Inc-CT. |
| | 20110273 | G | Landmark Partners, LLC. |
| | | G | ICV Partners II, L.P. |
| | | G | Cargo Airport Services U.S.A. LLC. |
| | 20110275 | G | Cargo Airport Services U.S.A. LLC. |
| | | G | TPG Star, L.P. |
| | | G | ZS VPSI, L.P. |
| | | G | VPSI, Inc. |
| | | G | VPSI, L.L.C. |
| | 20110276 | G | Alliant Techsystems Inc. |
| | 20110290 | G | Sentinel Capital Partners IV, L.P. |
| | | G | North American Rescue, LLC. |
| | | G | Ascent Media Corporation. |
| | | G | ABRY Partners IV, LP. |
| | 20110298 | G | Monitronics International, Inc. |
| | | G | Charlesbank Equity Fund VII, Limited Partnership. |
| | | G | Behrman Capital III L.P. |
| | | G | Peacock Holding Company, Inc. |

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Sandra M. Peay, Contact Representative or Renee Chapman, Contact Representative, Federal Trade Commission, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau of Competition, Room H-303, Washington, DC 20580, (202) 326-3100.

By Direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Findings of Research Misconduct

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Office of Research Integrity (ORI) has taken final action in the following case:

Sagar S. Mungekar, PhD, New York University School of Medicine: Based on the Respondent's written admission and set forth below, the New York University School of Medicine (NYUSOM) and the Office of Research Integrity (ORI) found that Sagar S. Mungekar, PhD, former MD/PhD student in the Sackler Institute of Graduate Biomedical Sciences at NYUSOM, engaged in research misconduct in research supported by National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS), National Institutes of

Health (NIH), grants R01 GM35769, R01 GM55624, and T32 GM07308, and National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), NIH, grant T32 AI007180.

Dr. Mungekar admitted that in his PhD thesis he "increased statistical significance of the calculated means and standards of deviation [*sic*] of the UV spectrophotometric [*sic*] data presented by discarding certain experimental data and thus presented data that was falsified. In addition, as the regression ratios calculated and conclusions reached based on these data that included falsified data, those values and conclusions are fabricated. Approximately, 60-75 of the [Respondent's] PhD research data was changed or falsified." Dr. Mungekar also admitted "while doing these experiments, I did not sequence all of the constructs that I constructed, thus, I could not be certain of the exact identity of the plasmids in question."

ORI found that Dr. Mungekar engaged in research misconduct (42 CFR 93.103) by fabricating and falsifying data. Specifically, ORI found that Dr. Mungekar falsified five tables and five figures (Tables 2-1, 2-2, 3-1, 4-1, 4-2 and Figures 2-3, 3-1, 3-2, 4-3, and 4-4) in his Ph.D. thesis entitled "Autoregulation of Ribonuclease E," by discarding certain spectrophotometric data, to increase statistical significance, used to calculate regression ratios and RNA decay rates. Dr. Mungekar also claimed to have constructed 53 different reporter plasmids with RNase E mutants, when sequencing data did not exist to support this claim.

Dr. Mungekar has entered into a Voluntary Settlement Agreement in which he has voluntarily agreed, for a period of three (3) years, beginning on November 22, 2010:

(1) That any institution that submits an application for PHS support for a research project on which the Respondent's participation is proposed or that uses him in any capacity on PHS-supported research, or that submits a report of PHS-funded research in which he is involved, must concurrently submit a plan for supervision of his duties to ORI for approval; the supervisory plan must be designed to ensure the scientific integrity of his research contribution; Respondent agrees that he will not participate in any PHS-supported research until such a supervision plan is submitted to ORI;

(2) that any institution employing him submits, in conjunction with each application for PHS funds, or report, manuscript, or abstract involving PHS-funded research in which he is involved, a certification to ORI that the data provided by the Respondent are based on actual experiments or are otherwise legitimately derived and that the data, procedures, and methodology are accurately reported in the application or report; and

(3) to exclude himself voluntarily from serving in any advisory capacity to the U.S. Public Health Service (PHS), including but not limited to service on any PHS advisory committee, board, and/or peer review committee, or as a consultant.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Director, Division of Investigative