nanosilver as an anti-microbial during manufacturing and nanosilver discharges may result. In other applications, nanosilver is used as a preservative in textile products which could also lead to nanosilver discharges. Other products, such as household washing machines, are being manufactured with the washer drum coated with nanosilver polymers to kill bacteria during clothes laundering. Since many of the nanosilver applications have the potential to create a source of silver in wastewater discharges from industries using nanosilver in the manufacture of products, or use of products containing nanosilver, EPA is interested in gathering as much information as possible on the fate, transport and effects of nanosilver on the aquatic environment and human health.

EPA is soliciting data and information on the manufacture, use, and environmental release of silver materials, including nanosilver. EPA is requesting information on the manufacturing of silver materials, including:
—Raw silver products, such as colloidal nanosilver;
—Intermediates such as polymers or fibers embedded with silver, nanosilver, or silver compounds; and
—End products, such as silver-embedded textile and plastic products, or appliances with nanosilver coated surfaces.

Dated: October 20, 2011.

Nancy K. Stoner,
Acting Assistant Administrator for Water.
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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of Agreements Filed

The Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreements under the Shipping Act of 1984. Interested parties may submit comments on the agreements to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573, within ten days of the date this notice appears in the Federal Register. Copies of the agreements are available through the Commission’s Web site (http://www.fmc.gov) or by contacting the Office of Agreements at (202) 523–5793 or tradeanalysis@fmc.gov.

Agreement No.: 012032–008.
Title: CMA CGM/MSC/Maersk Line North and Central China-U.S. Pacific Coast Two-Loop Space Charter, Sailing and Cooperative Working Agreement.

Synopsis: The Amendment provides for a further slot exchange between Maersk Line and MSC with corresponding changes in the Agreement and delays the introduction of a service loop.
Agreement No.: 012142.
Title: Vessel Sharing Agreement for Transpacific Service between Hainan P O Shipping Co., Ltd. and T.S. Lines.
Parties: Hainan P O Shipping Co., Ltd. and T.S. Lines Ltd.
Filing Party: Neal A. Mayer, Esq.; Hoppel, Mayer & Coleman; 1050 Connecticut Avenue, NW., 10th Floor, Washington, DC 20036.
Synopsis: The agreement authorizes the parties to share vessel space in the trade between U.S. West Coast ports and ports in China and Korea.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.
Dated: October 21, 2011.

Karen V. Gregory,
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 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 November 21, 2011.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Chapelle Davis, Assistant Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, NE., Atlanta, Georgia 30309:
1. Raymond James Financial, Inc., St. Petersburg, Florida; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Raymond James Bank, FSB, St. Petersburg, Florida, to be named Raymond James Bank, N.A., upon its conversion to a national bank.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Dennis Denney, Assistant Vice President) 1 Memorial Drive, Kansas City, Missouri 64196–0001:
1. Bluechip Bancshares, LLC, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Elmore City Bancshares, Inc., and First State Bank, both in Elmore City, Oklahoma.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.
Dated: October 21, 2011.

Robert deV. Frierson,
Deputy Secretary of the Board.
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FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

Employee Thrift Advisory Council

TIME AND DATE: 2 p.m. (EST), November 15, 2011.

PLACE: 41st Floor, Conference Room, 1250 H Street, NW., Washington, DC.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:
1. Approval of the minutes of the April 18, 2011 meeting.
2. Report of the Executive Director on Thrift Savings Plan status:
   (a) Updated TSP statistics.
   (b) Update on implementation of Roth TSP accounts.
3. Legislation:
   (a) Update on Board Member nominations.
   (b) Nonappropriated Fund status.
   (c) 3-year statute of limitations for claims against the TSP.
   (d) IRS Levy.
   (e) TSP contributions from terminal Annual Leave.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:
Thomas J. Trabucco, Director, Office of External Affairs, (202) 942–1640.

Dated: October 24, 2011.

Thomas K. Emswiler,
General Counsel, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

[Document Identifier: OS–0990–New; 30-Day Notice]

Agency Information Collection Request, 30-Day Public Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, HHS.

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of the Secretary (OS), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of a proposed collection for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding this burden of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed collection of information; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, e-mail your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number, and OS document identifier, to Sherette.funncoleman@hhs.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (202) 690–5683. Send written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections within 30 days of this notice directly to the OS OMB Desk Officer; faxed to OMB at 202–395–5806.


Abstract: The Office on Women’s Health (OWH), within the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health, will conduct the MultiSite Evaluation of the In Community Spirit Program—Prevention of HIV/AIDS for Native/ American Indian and Alaska Native (AI/AN) Women Living in Rural and Frontier Indian Country (In Community Spirit Program). The In Community Spirit Program is an initiative comprising three types of program components being implemented with women in AI/AN communities for HIV prevention: (1) Community awareness, (2) capacity building, and (3) prevention education. The multisite evaluation will provide data on the content and context of programs and the outcomes of program activities on participant knowledge and behavior related to sexual health.

The multisite evaluation is comprised of two main activities across three program components: (1) Surveys and (2) key informant interviews. There are two versions of key informant interviews: baseline and follow-up. There are also two versions of the survey: (1) Community Awareness Version for administration with women targeted through the community awareness activities and (2) Prevention Education Version to be administered to women who receive prevention education through the program.

The average annual respondent burden is estimated below. The estimate reflects the average annual number of respondents, the average annual number of responses, the time it will take for each response, and the average annual burden across 3 years of OMB clearance, which includes 2 years of data collection.

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Mary Forbes,
Office of the Secretary, Paperwork Reduction Act Clearance Officer.

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