

must be received not later than December 22, 2006.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City** (Donna J. Ward, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *Thomas G. Damkroger*, Firth, Nebraska, and *John H. Bergmeyer*, Lincoln, Nebraska, as trustees of the Wilber Co. Voting Trust, to acquire voting shares of Wilber Co., Wilber, Nebraska, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of First State Bank, Lincoln, Nebraska, and Saline State Bank, Wilber, Nebraska.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 4, 2006.

**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. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at [www.ffiec.gov/nic/](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 January 2, 2007.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta** (Andre Anderson, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30309:

1. *IBERIABANK Corporation*, Lafayette, Louisiana; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Pulaski Investment Corporation, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Pulaski Bank & Trust Company, both of Little Rock, Arkansas.

**B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City** (Donna J. Ward, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *Oakland Financial Services Inc.*, Oakland, Iowa; to merge with Southwest Company, Sidney, Iowa, and thereby acquire an additional controlling interest in Otoe County Bancorporation and Otoe Bank, both of Nebraska City, Nebraska.

In connection with this application, Applicant has applied to acquire First Community Bank, Sidney, Iowa, and thereby engage in operating a savings association, pursuant to section 225.28(b)(4)(ii) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 4, 2006.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Board.*

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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. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at [www.ffiec.gov/nic/](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 January 4, 2007.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland** (Douglas A. Banks, Vice President) 1455 East Sixth Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44101-2566:

1. *C Financial Corporation*, Columbus, Ohio; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Cooper State Bank, Columbus, Ohio.

**B. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta** (Andre Anderson, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30309:

1. *Signature Bancshares, Inc.*, Sandy Springs, Georgia; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Signature Bank of Georgia, Dunwoody, Georgia.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 5, 2006.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Board.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Office of the Secretary

[Document Identifier: OS-0937-0025]

### 30-Day Notice; Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; 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 estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions;

(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.

*Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension.

*Title of Information Collection:* Reference Request for Applicants to the U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps.

*Form/OMB No.:* OS-0937-0025.

*Use:* These forms will be used by individuals to apply for appointment in the U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps and to obtain references as part of the application process. Information supplied on the forms will be used by appropriate Department officials to evaluate candidates for appointments.

*Frequency:* On Occasion.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or Households.

*Annual Number of Respondents:* 5,000.

*Total Annual Responses:* 5,000.

*Average Burden Per Response:* 24 min.

*Total Annual Hours:* 2,000.

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 [Sherrette.funncoleman@hhs.gov](mailto:Sherrette.funncoleman@hhs.gov), or call the Reports Clearance Office on (202) 690-6162. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be received within 30 days of this notice directly to the Desk Officer at the address below:

*OMB Desk Officer:* John Kraemer, OMB Human Resources and Housing Branch, *Attention:* (OMB #0937-0025), New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503.

Date: November 30, 2006.

**Alice Bettencourt,**

*Office of the Secretary, Paperwork Reduction Act Reports Clearance Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Office of the Secretary

[Document Identifier: OS-0990-0000]

### 30-Day Notice; Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; 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 estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (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.

*Type of Information Collection Request:* New Collection.

*Title of Information Collection:* Evaluation of Office on Women's Health Publications.

*Form/OMB No.:* OS-0990-New.

*Use:* To improve future publications and to demonstrate accountability of efforts, the office of Women's Health (OWH) will evaluate four health communications materials. Discussion groups and web-based or paper-based surveys will be used from randomly selected participants and returned response cards.

*Frequency:* 1 time.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or Households.

*Annual Number of Respondents:* 1648.

*Total Annual Responses:* 1648.

*Average Burden per Response:* 17.2 min.

*Total Annual Hours:* 472.

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 [Sherrette.funncoleman@hhs.gov](mailto:Sherrette.funncoleman@hhs.gov), or call the Reports Clearance Office on (202) 690-6162. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed

information collections must be received within 30 days of this notice directly to the Desk Officer at the address below:

*OMB Desk Officer:* John Kraemer, OMB Human Resources and Housing Branch, *Attention:* (OMB #0990-New), New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503.

Date: November 30, 2006.

**Alice Bettencourt,**

*Office of the Secretary, Paperwork Reduction Act Reports Clearance Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Draft Guidance on Engagement of Institutions in Human Subjects Research

**AGENCY:** Office for Human Research Protections, Office of Public Health and Science, Office of the Secretary, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Office for Human Research Protections (OHRP), Office of Public Health and Science, is announcing the availability of a draft guidance document entitled, "OHRP Guidance on Engagement of Institutions in Human Subjects Research." The draft guidance document would revise and replace two existing OHRP guidance documents on the engagement of institutions in human subjects research: (1) The January 26, 1999 document on "Engagement of Institutions in Research, and (2) the December 23, 1999 document on "Engagement of Pharmaceutical Companies in HHS Supported Research." To facilitate public review of the draft guidance document, OHRP has developed a table presenting a side-by-side comparison of OHRP's draft revised guidance document and the current guidance documents on the engagement of institution in human subjects research, which is available on the OHRP Web site at <http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/requests/>.

OHRP's current engagement guidance documents and the proposed draft guidance document provide examples of when institutions generally would be considered to be engaged or not engaged in human subjects research. The draft document is intended primarily for institutional review boards (IRB), research administrators and other relevant institutional officials, investigators, and funding agencies that may be responsible for the conduct, review and oversight of human subject