

The 60-day electioneering communications period in connection with the Kentucky Special General runs from December 19, 2003, through February 17, 2004.

CALENDAR OF REPORTING DATES FOR KENTUCKY SPECIAL ELECTION COMMITTEES INVOLVED IN THE SPECIAL GENERAL (02/17/04) MUST FILE:

Report	Close of books <sup>1</sup>	Reg./Cert. mailing date <sup>2</sup>	Filing date
Year-End .....		—Waived—	
Pre-General .....	01/28/04	02/02/04	02/05/04
Post-General .....	03/08/04	03/18/04	03/18/04

<sup>1</sup> The period begins with the close of books of the last report filed by the committee. If the committee has filed no previous reports, the period begins with the date of the committee's first activity.

<sup>2</sup> Pre- and Post-General Reports sent registered or certified mail must be postmarked by the mailing date; otherwise, they must be received by the filing date. Committees should keep the mailing receipt with its postmark as proof of filing.

Dated: January 5, 2004.

**Bradley A. Smith,**

*Chairman, Federal Election Commission.*

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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 February 2, 2004.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago** (Patrick Wilder, Managing Examiner) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1414:

1. *Capital Bancorp, Ltd.*, Lansing, Michigan; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of First Carolina State Bank, Rocky Mount, North Carolina.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, January 5, 2004.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

### Sunshine Act Notice

**TIME AND DATE:** 9 a.m. (EST), January 20, 2004.

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

**STATUS:** Open.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

9 a.m. (EST) Convene meeting.

1. Approval of the minutes of the December 15, 2003, Board member meeting.

2. Thrift Savings Plan activity report by the Executive Director.

3. Barclays proxy voting.

4. Investment policy review.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Thomas J. Trabucco, Director, Office of External Affairs, (202) 942-1640.

Dated: January 6, 2004.

**Elizabeth S. Woodruff,**

*Secretary to the Board, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.*

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## FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Meeting Notice

**AGENCY:** Federal Trade Commission

**TIME AND DATE:** 10 a.m., Tuesday, January 13, 2004.

**PLACE:** Federal Trade Commission Building, Room 532, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20580.

**STATUS:** Part of this meeting will be open to the public. The rest of the meeting will be closed to the public.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Portion open to public:

(1) Oral argument in the matter of South Carolina State Board of Dentistry. Docket 9311.

Portion closed to the public:

(2) Executive session to follow oral argument in South Carolina State Board of Dentistry. Docket 9311.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

Mitch Katz, Office of Public Affairs: (202) 326-2180; Recorded message: (202) 326-2711.

**Donald S. Clark,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) announces the following advisory committee meeting.

*Name:* National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS), Subcommittee on Standards and Security (SSS).

*Time and Date:* 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., January 27th, 2004; 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., January 28th, 2004.