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INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT RELEASES

TAPPAN ZEE CURRENCY SHARES, INC. THE WHITESTONE FUND, INC.

Notices have been issued giving interested persons until January 13 to request a hearing on applications filed by TAPPAN ZEE CURRENCY SHARES, INC. and THE WHITESTONE FUND, INC. for an order under Section 8(f) of the Investment Company Act declaring that they have ceased to be investment companies. (Rels. IC-18441 and IC-18442, respectively - December 16)

OPPENHEIMER REGENCY FUND OPPENHEIMER NINETY-TEN FUND OPPENHEIMER PREMIUM INCOME FUND OPPENHEIMER DIRECTORS FUND

Notices have been issued giving interested persons until January 13 to request a hearing on applications filed by OPPENHEIMER REGENCY FUND, OPPENHEIMER NINETY-TEN FUND, OPPENHEIMER PREMIUM INCOME FUND and OPPENHEIMER DIRECTORS FUND for an order under Section 8(f) of the Investment Company Act declaring that they have ceased to be investment companies. (Rels. IC-18444; IC-18446; IC-18447; and IC-18448, respectively - December 17)

G.T. GLOBAL GROWTH SERIES, ET AL.

A notice has been issued giving interested persons until January 10 to request a hearing on an application filed by G.T. Global Growth Series, et al. for a conditional order under Section 6(c) of the Investment Company Act. The conditional order would exempt applicants from the provisions of Section 12(d)(3) of the Act and Rule 12d3-1 thereunder. Applicants would be exempted to the extent necessary to permit them to invest in equity or convertible debt securities issued by foreign issuers that derived more than 15% of their gross revenues from their activities as a broker, dealer, underwriter or investment adviser, provided such investments meet the conditions described in proposed amended Rule 12d3-1. (IC-18443; International Series Rel. 353 - December 16)

FOX FUND, INC.

An order has been issued under Section 8(f) of the Investment Company Act declaring that Fox Fund, Inc. has ceased to be an investment company. (Rel. IC-18445 - December 17)

# LISTING, DELISTING AND UNLISTED TRADING ACTIONS

#### UNLISTED TRADING PRIVILEGES GRANTED

An order has been issued granting the application of the <u>Midwest Stock Exchange</u> for unlisted trading privileges in five over-the-counter issues: Comcast Corp., Corestates Financial Corp., Immunex Corporation, Safeco Corp. and U.S. Bancorp and to remove unlisted trading privileges in two over-the-counter issues: Cetus Corporation and Quantum Corporation. (Rel. 34-30081)

# SELF-REGULATORY ORGANIZATIONS

#### APPROVAL OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGE

The Commission approved a proposed rule change (SR-NASD-91-46) filed by the <u>National</u> <u>Association of Securities Dealers</u> that amends Article III, Section 3 of the NASD By-Laws regarding the appointment by member firms of an "executive representative" to the NASD. As amended, Section 3 will specify that only persons of authority in a member firm who are members of the firm's senior management and registered principals may be designated as the executive representative to the NASD. The executive representative is responsible for voting and acting for the member in all affairs of the NASD. (Rel. 34-30082)

#### SECURITIES ACT REGISTRATIONS

The following registration statements have been filed with the SEC under the Securities Act of 1933. The reported information appears as follows: Form, Name, Address and Phone Number (if available) of the issuer of the security; Title and the number and/or face amount of the securities being offered; Name of the managing underwriter or depositor (if applicable); File number and date filed; Assigned Branch; and a designation if the statement is a New Issue.

- S-18 ODDS N ENDS INC, 20 CHURCHILL ST, BUFFALO, NY 14207 (716) 874-9004 1,955,000 (\$6,109,375) COMMON STOCK. 155,000 (\$620,000) COMMON STOCK. 195,000 (\$50) WARRANTS, OPTIONS OR RIGHTS. (FILE 33-44256-NY NOV. 27) (BR. 2 NEW ISSUE)
- S-8 SAM & LIBBY INC, 1123 INDUSTRIAL RD STE C, SAN CARLOS, CA 94070 (415) 598-9211 68,000 (\$1,088,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44321 DEC. 11) (BR. 4)
- S-1 ENHANCE FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP INC, 360 MADISON AVE, NEW YORK, NY 10017 (212) 983-3100 - 3,500,000 (\$70,000,000) COMMON STOCK. 2,250,000 (\$45,000,000) COMMON STOCK. UNDERWRITER: DONALDSON LUFKIN & JENRETTE SECURITIES, MERRILL LYNCH PIERCE FENNER & SMITH INC, SALOMON BROTHERS INC. (FILE 33-44322 -DEC. 11) (BR. 10 - NEW ISSUE)
- S-8 DOW CHEMICAL CO /DE/, 2030 WILLARD H DOW CTR, MIDLAND, MI 48640 (517) 636-1000 720,000 (\$35,323,200) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44323 DEC. 11) (BR. 2)

- S-8 DOW CHEMICAL CO /DE/, 2030 WILLARD H DOW CTR, MIDLAND, MI 48640 (517) 636-1000 17,520 (\$859,531.20) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44324 DEC. 11) (BR. 2)
- S-8 GIDDINGS & LEWIS INC /WI/, 142 DOTY ST, FOND DU LAC, WI 54935 (414) 921-9400 50,000 (\$1,262,500) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44325 DEC. 11) (BR. 1)
- S-1 ABAXIS INC, 265 N WHISMAN ROAD, MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043 (415) 961-4265 2,012,500 (\$22,137,500) COMMON STOCK. UNDERWRITER: FURMAN SELZ INC, VOLPE WELTY & CO. (FILE 33-44326 - DEC. 11) (BR. 8 - NEW ISSUE)
- S-4 BIRD CORP, ONE DEDHAM PL, DEDHAM, MA 02026 (617) 461-1414 1,000,000 (\$12,875,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44403 - DEC. 11) (BR. 10)
- S-1 CYTORAD INC, 600 COLLEGE RD EAST, PRINCETON, NJ 08540 (609) 987-8200 4,025,000 (\$48,300,000) COMMON STOCK. 4,025,000 (\$63,142,188) COMMON STOCK. UNDERWRITER: LEHMAN BROTHERS, MERRILL LYNCH & CO. (FILE 33-44429 - DEC. 10) (BR. 8 - NEW ISSUE)
- S-1 VARSITY SPIRIT CORPORATION, 2525 HORIZON LAKE DR, MEMPHIS, TN 38133 (901) 387-4300
   270,000 (\$3,240,000) COMMON STOCK. 1,133,000 (\$13,596,000) COMMON STOCK.
  UNDERWRITER: MORGAN KEEGAN & CO INC, STEPHENS INC. (FILE 33-44431 DEC. 10) (BR. 7
   NEW ISSUE)
- S-1 FORD CREDIT AUTO RECEIVABLES CORP, THE AMERICAN ROAD, DEARBORN, MI 48121 (313) 322-3000 - 1,000,000 (\$1,000,000) EQUIPMENT TRUST CERTIFICATES. (FILE 33-44432 -DEC. 10) (BR. 12)
- S-3 INTERFERON SCIENCES INC, 783 JERSEY AVE, NEW BRUNSWICK, NJ 08901 (201) 249-3250 300,000 (\$2,025,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44434 DEC. 10) (BR. 4)
- S-1 MEDICAL SAFETEC INC /IN, 5610 WEST 82ND STREET, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46278 (317) 879-8080 2,167,215 (\$2,438,117) COMMON STOCK. 2,500,392 (\$2,812,941) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44467 DEC. 11) (BR. 9 NEW ISSUE)
- S-3 LASER PRECISION CORP, 32242 PASEO ADELANTO STE A, SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO, CA 92693 (714) 489-2991 - 55,570 (\$670,729.90) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44471 - DEC. 11) (BR. 8)
- S-1 MEDI MAIL INC /NV/, 368C FIFTH AVE, SAN DIEGO, CA 92103 (619) 291-4900 1,000,000 (\$4,600,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44472 - DEC. 11) (BR. 1)
- S-8 ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORP, ROCHESTER TEL CENTER, 180 S CLINTON AVE, ROCHESTER, NY 14646 (716) 777-7330 - 5,000 (\$156,562.50) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44473 - DEC. 11) (BR. 7)
- S-3 BIRD CORP, ONE DEDHAM PL, DEDHAM, MA 02026 (617) 461-1414 328,409 (\$4,228,265.88) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44475 - DEC. 09) (BR. 10)
- F-6 BOUGAINVILLE COPPER LIMITED /ADR/, 60 WALL ST, C/O MORGAN GUARANTY TRUST CO OF NY, NEW YORK, NY 10260 (212) 648-3200 - 60,000,000 (\$6,000,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44476 - DEC. 11) (BR. 99)
- S-1 MEDICAL MARKETING GROUP INC, 2960 POST RD, SOUTHPORT, CT 06490 (203) 254-1333 -296,400 (\$7,743,450) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44489 - DEC. 10) (BR. 6)
- S-1 MEDICAL MARKETING GROUP INC, 2960 POST RD, SOUTHPORT, CT 06490 (203) 254-1333 -50,000,000 (\$50,000,000) CONVERTIBLE DEBENTURES AND NOTES. (FILE 33-44489 - DEC. 10) (BR. 6)

- S-B QUEENSLAND TREASURY CORP, 611 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, C/O M BORZI OBE COMMISSIONER FOR QUEENSL, LOS ANGELES, CA 90004 - 831,585,000 (\$831,585,000) FOREIGN GOVERNMENT AND AGENCY DEBT. (FILE 33-44490 - DEC. 11) (BR. 9)
- S-8 OUTLOOK GRAPHICS CORP, 1180 AMERICAN DR, NEENAH, WI 54956 (414) 722-2333 100,000 (\$1,962,500) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 33-44491 DEC. 11) (BR. 12)
- S-1 ADVANTAGE BANCORP INC, 5935 SEVENTH AVE, KENOSHA, WI 53140 (414) 658-4150 -3,504,000 (\$40,296,000) COMMON STOCK. UNDERWRITER: KEMPER SECURITIES GROUP INC. (FILE 33-44492 - DEC. 11) (BR. 1 - NEW ISSUE)

# ACQUISITION OF SECURITIES

Companies and individuals must report to the Commission within ten days on Schedule 13D if after the acquisition of equity securities of a public company their beneficial interest therein exceeds five percent. Persons eligible to use the short form (Schedule 13G) may in lieu of filing a Schedule 13D file a Schedule 13G within 45 days after the end of the calendar year in which the person became subject to Section 13(d)(1). Companies and individuals making a tender offer must have on file at the time the tender offer commences a Schedule 14D-1.

Below is a list of recent filings of Schedules 13D and 14D, which includes the following information: Column 1 - the company purchased (top), and the name of the purchaser; Column 2 - the type of security purchased; Column - 3 - the type of form filed; Column 4 - the date the transaction occurred; Column 5 - the current number of shares (in 000's) owned (top) and the current percent owned; Column 6 - the CUSIP number (top) and the percent owned; and Column 7 - the status of the filing, i.e., new, update or revision.

		EVENT	SHRS(000)/	CUSIP/	FILING
NAME AND CLASS OF STOCK/OWNER	FORM	DATE	%OWNED	PRIOR%	STATUS
AMERIFAX INC COM			1,566	03094710	)
DAVIS J MORTON ET AL	13D	12/ 6/91	14.3	10.8	UPDATE
BRENTON BKS INC COM			316	10721110	)
MIDWEST BANK FUND LP ET AL	13D	11/ 8/91	6.6	5.2	UPDATE
ECI TELECOM LTD COM			3,613	26825810	)
CLARIDGE ISRAEL INC	13D	12/12/91	25.6	29.1	UPDATE
FINANCIAL DATA SYS INC COM			845	31746310	)
STEINBERG JONATHAN LAWRENCE	13D	12/ 4/91	29.0	0.0	NEW
FINANCIAL DATA SYS INC COM			60	31746310	)
TISCH JONATHAN MARK	13D	12/ 4/91	2.5	0.0	NEW

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GLOBAL OCEAN CARRIERS LTD	COM			1,405	37935710	ŀ
TSAKOS PANAYOTIS ET AL		13D	12/13/91	•	60.3	
LEXINGTON PRECISION CP	COMMON	STOCK		257	52952910	1
CONNER WILLIAM B		13D	12/10/91	6.4	5.1	UPDA
NORTHERN TELECOM LTD	COM			0	66581510	)
FIRST MARATHON SECS LTD		13D	12/ 6/91	0.0	0.0	NEW
NOSTALGIA NETWORK INC	COM NE	w		3,992	66975230	)
GOLD 'N M TELEVISION INC E	ET AL	13D	12/ 5/91	•	24.6	
RIGGS NATL CORP WASH D C	COM			4,935	76657010	i i
ALLBRITTON JOE L		13D	12/12/91	35.8	35.8	UPDA
ROYAL BUSINESS GROUP INC	COM			0	78012810	)
SHADRALL ASSOC ET AL		13D	12/ 5/91	0.0	N/A	UPDA
TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL	ORD SH	RDS		23,532	88162410	)
BRONFMAN CHARLES ROSNER ET	T AL	13D	11/30/91	6.5	6.6	UPDA
THERAGENICS CORP	СОМ			2,383	88337510	)
BELLINGHAM INDS INC		13D	12/ 3/91		0.0	
WILLIAM & CLARISSA INC	COM			1,523	96924510	)
MEYER WILLIAM A ET AL		13D	12/ 5/91	16.5	11.7	UPDA
WILLIAM & CLARISSA INC	COM			4,305	96924510	)
MONTGOMERY MED VENT II ET	AL	13D	12/ 5/91	46.5	27.8	UPDA

# **RECENT 8K FILINGS**

Form 8-K is used by companies to file current reports on the following events:

- Item 1. Changes in Control of Registrant.
- Item 2. Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.
- Item 3. Bankruptcy or Receivership.
- Item 4. Changes in Registrant's Certifying Accountant.
- Item 5. Other Materially Important Events.
- Item 6. Resignations of Registrant's Directors.
- Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.
- Item 8. Change in Fiscal Year.

The companies listed below have filed 8-K reports for the date indicated and/or amendments to 8-K reports previously filed, responding to the item(s) of the form specified. Copies of the reports may be purchased from the Commission's Public Reference Room (when ordering, please give the date of the report). An invoice will be included with the requested material when mailed.

	STATE	8K ITEM	NO.			
NAME OF ISSUER	CODE	1234	5 6	578	DATE	COMMENT
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AINSLEY CORPORATION	TX	X	X>	(	04/12/91	
ANALYTICAL SURVEYS INC	СО		X		12/09/91	
ARKLA INC	DE		X	X	12/06/91	
BLOCKBUSTER ENTERTAINMENT CORP	DE		X	X	11/18/91	
CAPITAL HOLDING CORP	DE		X		11/14/91	
CENTOCOR INC	PA		X	X	12/10/91	
CMS ENERGY CORP	MI		х		12/12/91	
COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE SECURITIES CORP	MD		X	X	11/27/91	
CONSUMERS POWER CO	MI		X		12/12/91	
COOPER DEVELOPMENT CO	DE		X	X	11/19/91	
CORESTATES FINANCIAL CORP	PA		X		12/10/91	
CRYOTECH INDUSTRIES INC	FL	X			12/04/91	
DAMSON OIL CORP	DE		Х		12/06/91	
DELMED INC	MA		X		12/02/91	
DUPONT E I DE NEMOURS & CO	DE		X		12/13/91	
FACELIFTERS HOME SYSTEMS INC	NY	X		X	12/02/91	
FLEET MORTGAGE SECURITIES INC	RI	X		X	11/26/91	
GENERAL PUBLIC UTILITIES CORP /PA/	PA		X		12/12/91	
GENERAL RE CORP	DE		х		12/11/91	
GRAN MARK INCOME PROPERTIES LTD PARTNERS	MD	X			09/24/91	
HALL FINANCIAL GROUP INC	DE		X		12/11/91	
IES INDUSTRIES INC	IA		X	X	11/15/91	
IMC FERTILIZER GROUP INC	DE		х		12/12/91	
IMMULOGIC PHARMACEUTICAL CORP /DE	DE		х	X	11/14/91	
INGLEBY COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION	NV	X	X	X	12/11/91	
JERSEY CENTRAL POWER & LIGHT CO	NJ		X	X	12/12/91	
LBM US INC	DE	хх	x	X	10/23/91	
LEHMAN PASS THROUGH SECURITIES INC	DE	X			11/27/91	
LEVY BANCORP /CA/	CA			X	09/27/91	AMEND
LONE STAR INDUSTRIES INC	DE		x	X	12/10/91	
MASCO INDUSTRIES INC	DE	x		X	05/10/91	

	STATE	8K ITEM NO.		
NAME OF ISSUER	CODE	12345678	DATE	COMMENT
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MBNA AMERICA BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION		x	12/11/91	
MBNA CORP	MD	X	12/11/91	
MERRILL LYNCH & CO INC	DE	X X	12/13/91	
METROBANK FINANCIAL GROUP INC	DE	X X	11/27/91	
METROPOLITAN EDISON CO	PA	Х	12/12/91	
MICROWAVE LABORATORIES INC	DE	NO ITEMS	11/22/91	AMEND
NCNB CORP	NC	x	10/30/91	
NEW LINE CINEMA CORP	DE	X	12/06/91	
NORTH FORK BANCORPORATION INC	DE	x	11/12/91	
NYCAL CORP	DE	X	09/20/91	AMEND
ORION PICTURES CORP	DE	X	12/11/91	
PENNSYLVANIA ELECTRIC CO	PA	хх	12/12/91	
PHH CORP	MD	x	12/11/91	
PINNACLE ENVIRONMENTAL INC	DE	X X	11/27/91	
POTLATCH CORP	DE	ХХ	12/12/91	
POTOMAC EDISON CO	MD	хх	12/11/91	
PROCTER & GAMBLE CO	OH	хх	12/12/91	
PRUDENTIAL HOME MORT SEC CO INC MOR PA T		хх	11/27/91	
QUORUM HEALTH GROUP INC	DE	X	09/30/91	AMEND
REEBOK INTERNATIONAL LTD	MA	хх	12/06/91	
RIEDEL ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES INC	OR	X	12/05/91	
ROLLINS TRUCK LEASING CORP	DE	ХХ	12/12/91	
RYLAND MORTGAGE SECURITIES CORP /VA/	VA	хх	11/27/91	
SECURITY PACIFIC HOME EQUITY TRUST 1991-	CA	X	12/06/91	
SOUTHERN NATIONAL CORP /NC/	NC	ХХ	11/13/91	
SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE CO	CT	хх	12/11/91	
STANDARD CREDIT CARD TRUST 1990-2	DE	Х	11/18/91	
SYNERGEN INC	DE	X	12/04/91	
TERADATA CORP /DE/	DE	х х	12/02/91	
THERMADYNE INDUSTRIES INC	DE	хx	09/30/91	
TIPPERARY CORP	тх	Х	09/27/91	AMEND
TOPPS CO INC	DE	Х	10/03/91	
TRANSTECH INDUSTRIES INC	DE	X	09/27/91	AMEND
TRW INC	ОН	х	12/11/91	
ULTRAK INC	co	x	12/04/91	
VERMONT RESEARCH CORP /VT/	VT	x x	12/04/91	
WEST PENN POWER CO	PA	x x	12/11/91	
XEROX CORP	NY	x	12/11/91	
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### SEC PUBLIC INFORMATION NUMBERS

Members of the public seeking information and/or material from the Commission continue to complain of being incorrectly referred to the wrong telephone number by Commission staff. The following information is furnished to assist you in directly calling the appropriate office:

<u>Consumer Affairs</u> (202-272-7440): Investor inquiries and complaint processing information.

<u>Freedom of Information Branch</u> (202-272-7420): Requests concerning FOIA, Privacy Act, Sunshine Act, confidential treatment matters, etc.

<u>Personnel Locator</u> (202-272-2550): Requests for names and phone numbers of Commission personnel.

<u>Public Affairs</u> (202-272-2650): Information about matters in the SEC News Digest, the Commission's operations, and calls from the press not directed to particular individuals, and other related matters.

<u>Public Reference</u> (202-272-7450): Requests for information on whether or not a document has been filed, etc.

<u>Publications Unit</u> (202-272-7460/7461): Requests for forms, studies, directories, etc.

<u>Office of the Secretary</u> (202-272-2600): Requests for information on the Commission calendar.

<u>SEC Information Line</u> (202-272-3100/5624): General Information about SEC operations and activities through a series of recorded messages.