

including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted on or before May 1, 1996. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: Direct all comments to Dorothy Conway, Federal Communications, Room 234, 1919 M St., NW., Washington, DC 20554 or via internet to dconway@fcc.gov and Timothy Fain, OMB Desk Officer, 10236 NEOB 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503 or fain___t@a1.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information or copies of the information collections contact Dorothy Conway at 202-418-0217 or via internet at dconway@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Approval No.: 3060-0134.

Title: Application for Renewal of Private Radio Station License.
Form No.: 574R.

Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Businesses or other for-profit; small businesses or organizations; individuals or households; state or local governments; not-for-profit institutions.

Number of Responses: 84,000.

Estimated Time Per Response: .33 hours.

Total Annual Burden: 27,720 hours.

Needs and Uses: FCC rules require that radio station licensees renew their radio station authorization every five years. Data is used to update the existing database and make efficient use of the frequency spectrum. Data is also used by compliance personnel in conjunction with field engineers for enforcement and interference resolutions. The data collected is required by the Communications Act of 1934, as amended; International Treaties and FCC Rules 47 CFR Parts 1.922, 90.119, 90.135, 90.157, 95.89, 95.103 and 95.107. The Commission is revising the form to include a certification block for the National Environmental Protection Act (NEPA).

OMB Approval Number: 3060-0536.

Title: Rules and Requirements for Telecommunications Relay Services (TRS) Interstate Cost Recovery.

Form No.: FCC Form 431.

Type of Review: Revision of currently approved collection.

Respondents: Businesses or other for profit.

Number of Respondents: 5000.

Estimated Time Per Response: 3 hours per respondent and 500 hours burden is imposed on the TRS Administrator.

Total Annual Burden: 15,593.

Needs and Uses: The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 requires the Commission to ensure that telecommunications relay services are available, to the extent possible, to individuals with hearing and speech disabilities in the United States. To fulfill this mandate, the Commission adopted rules which require the provision of TRS services, set minimum standards for TRS providers and establish a shared-funding mechanism for recovering the costs of providing interstate TRS. See 47 CFR Sections 64.601-64.605. FCC Form 431 is used in implementing the shared-funding program for the recovery of interstate telecommunications relay services (TRS) costs. All common carriers must contribute to the TRS Fund and complete FCC 431 form. The information is used to administer the program. This collection is being revised to include the burden for the disclosure require contained in Section 64.604(G). An adjustment was also made to correct the actual number of TRS providers subject to requirements contained in Sections 64.604(c)(4)(iii)(C), 64.604(c)(4)(iii)(E) and 64.604(G). In previous submission we inadvertently identified these collections as being imposed on 5,000 respondents. However, only approximately 13 entities are actually subject to them. Therefore the total burden estimate has been reduced.

Federal Communications Commission.

William F. Caton,

Acting Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Agency information collection activities: Proposed collection; comment request

AGENCY: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

ACTION: Notice.

BACKGROUND:

On June 15, 1984, the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) delegated to the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) its approval authority under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, as per 5 CFR 1320.16, to approve of and assign OMB control numbers to collection of information requests and requirements

conducted or sponsored by the Board under conditions set forth in 5 CFR 1320 Appendix A.1. The Federal Reserve may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection that has been extended, revised, or implemented on or after October 1, 1995, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. Board-approved collections of information will be incorporated into the official OMB inventory of currently approved collections of information. A copy of the OMB 83-I and supporting statement and the approved collection of information instruments will be placed into OMB's public docket files. The following information collections, which are being handled under this delegated authority, have received initial Board approval and are hereby published for comment. At the end of the comment period, the proposed information collections, along with an analysis of comments and recommendations received, will be submitted to the Board for final approval under OMB delegated authority. Comments are invited on the following:

(a) whether the proposed collections of information are necessary for the proper performance of the Federal Reserve's functions; including whether the information has practical utility;

(b) the accuracy of the Federal Reserve's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collections, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(d) ways to minimize the burden of information collections on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before May 31, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments, which should refer to the OMB control number (or Agency form number in the case of a new information collection that has not yet been assigned an OMB number), should be addressed to Mr. William W. Wiles, Secretary, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 20th and C Streets, N.W., Washington, DC 20551, or delivered to the Board's mail room between 8:45 a.m. and 5:15 p.m., and to the security control room outside of those hours. Both the mail room and the security control room are accessible from the courtyard entrance on 20th Street between Constitution Avenue and C Street, N.W. Comments received may be inspected in room M-P-500 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., except as

provided in section 261.8 of the Board's Rules Regarding Availability of Information, 12 CFR 261.8(a).

A copy of the comments may also be submitted to the OMB desk officer for the Board: Milo Sunderhauf, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 3208, Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Copies of the proposed forms and instructions, the Paperwork Reduction Act Submissions (OMB 83-I), supporting statements, and other documents that will be placed into OMB's public docket files once approved may be requested from the agency clearance officer, whose name appears below.

Mary M. McLaughlin, Federal Reserve Board Clearance Officer (202-452-3829), Division of Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, DC 20551. Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) users may contact Dorothea Thompson (202-452-3544), Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, DC 20551.

Proposal to approve under OMB delegated authority the extension, with revision, of the following reports:

1. *Report title:* Weekly Report of Assets and Liabilities for Large Banks and Weekly Report of Selected Assets
Agency form number: FR 2416 and FR 2644

OMB control number: 7100-0075

Frequency: Weekly

Reporters: U.S. commercial banks

Annual reporting hours: As the proposal calls for reductions in both the number of items and the number of respondents, the burden that the Federal Reserve imposes on the public by collecting the FR 2416 will be less than the current burden. Since the number of items collected on the FR 2644 is increasing while the authorized panel size remains constant, the burden imposed by the collection of this report will increase. Estimates of the burdens of the revised reports will be prepared in consultation with respondents.

Estimated average hours per response: The Federal Reserve requests estimates from respondents.

Number of respondents: 139 on the FR 2416 and 1,100 on the less detailed FR 2644

Small businesses are affected.

General description of report: This information collection is voluntary (12 U.S.C. §§ 225(a) and 248(a)(2)) and is given confidential treatment (5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(4)).

Abstract: These two voluntary reports are mainstays of the reporting system from which data for analysis of current

banking developments are derived. The FR 2416 is used on a stand-alone basis as the "large domestic bank series."

Both reports, together with data from other sources, are used for constructing weekly estimates of bank credit, of sources and uses of bank funds, and of a balance sheet for the banking system as a whole. These estimates also are used in constructing the bank credit component of the domestic non-financial debt aggregate monitored by the Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC).

The Federal Reserve publishes the data in aggregate form in two statistical releases that are followed closely by other government agencies, the banking industry, the financial press, and other users. These are the weekly statistical releases *Assets and Liabilities of Commercial Banks in the United States* (H.8) which provides a balance sheet for the banking industry as a whole and *Weekly Consolidated Condition Report of Large Commercial Banks in the United States* (H.4.2) which provides aggregates both for large commercial banks and for large U.S. branches and agencies of foreign banks.

2. *Report title:* Weekly Report of Assets and Liabilities for Large U.S. Branches and Agencies of Foreign Banks
Agency form number: FR 2069
OMB control number: 7100-0030
Frequency: Weekly

Reporters: Large U.S. branches and agencies of foreign banks

Annual reporting hours: As the proposal calls for increasing the number of FR 2069 respondents and the number of items collected, the burden that the Federal Reserve imposes on the public by collecting the FR 2069 will increase. An estimate of the burden of the revised report will be prepared in consultation with respondents.

Estimated average hours per response: The Federal Reserve requests estimates from respondents.

Number of respondents: 90

Small businesses are not affected.

General description of report: This information collection is voluntary (12 U.S.C. § 3105(b)(2)) and is given confidential treatment (5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(4)).

Abstract: This voluntary report is a mainstay of the reporting system from which data for analysis of current banking developments are derived. The report, together with data from other sources, is used for constructing weekly estimates of bank credit, of sources and uses of bank funds, and of a balance sheet for the banking system as a whole.

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3. *Report title:* Domestic Finance Company Report of Consolidated Assets and Liabilities

Agency form number: FR 2248

OMB control number: 7100-0005

Frequency: Monthly

Reporters: Finance companies

Annual reporting hours: 1,920

Estimated average hours per response: 1.3110

Number of respondents: 120

Small businesses are not affected.

General description of report: This information collection is voluntary (12 U.S.C. § 225(a)) and is given confidential treatment (5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(4)).

Abstract: The FR 2248 collects balance sheet data on major categories of consumer and business credit receivables and on major short-term liabilities. For quarter-end months (March, June, September, and December), the report collects information on other assets and liabilities outstanding as well as information on capital accounts in order to provide a full balance sheet.

The authorized size of the FR 2248 reporting panel is 142 finance companies; the Federal Reserve proposes to reduce the authorized panel size to 120 finance companies. The current FR 2248 reporting form broadly classifies finance company assets as retail, wholesale, lease, or other. The Federal Reserve proposes to reorganize the form by classifying assets as consumer-, real estate-, business-, or lease-related to make the form more compatible with respondents' accounting procedures and thus reduce burden. There are no changes to the liabilities items. In the supplemental section, several items were added, and securitization items were reorganized to be consistent with the proposed assets classifications.

4. *Report title:* Finance Company Survey

Agency form number: FR 3033s

OMB control number: 7100-0277

Frequency: One-time

Reporters: Finance companies

Annual reporting hours: 840

Estimated average hours per response: 1.4

Number of respondents: 600

Small businesses are affected.

General description of report: This information collection is voluntary (12 U.S.C. §§225(a), 263, 353-359) and is given confidential treatment (5 U.S.C. §552(b)(4)).

Abstract: The FR 3033s survey, which is collected about every five years, asks for detailed information on the assets and liabilities of a stratified random sample of domestic finance companies. The sample is based on the responses from the first stage of the survey, the Finance Company Questionnaire (FR 3033p; OMB No. 7100-0277). From the FR 3033p questionnaires returned, the Federal Reserve will determine which of the respondents are eligible for the FR 3033s panel. Companies will be removed from the potential FR 3033s panel if they report that they are out of business, are not a finance company, or are a subsidiary of a bank. The survey sample will be stratified by size groups based on total receivables and by specialization in receivables and will include all FR 3033p respondents that reported at least \$10 million in total receivables. For coverage of smaller respondents, the survey sample will include all smaller companies that currently file the FR 2248 plus a sufficient number of other smaller companies to provide adequate representation. Proportional allocation will be used to draw a random sample.

The 1990 FR 3033s reporting form broadly classified finance company assets as retail, wholesale, lease, or other. The Federal Reserve proposes to reorganize the information by classifying assets as consumer-, real estate-, business-, or lease-related to make the form more compatible with existing accounting procedures of the respondents and to make the form easier to complete. There is one minor consolidation in the liabilities items. In the supplemental section, several items were added, and securitization items were reorganized to be consistent with the proposed assets classifications.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 26, 1996

William W. Wiles,

Secretary of the Board.

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Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of Banks or Bank Holding Companies

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire a bank or bank

holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. Once the notices have been accepted for processing, they will also be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than April 15, 1996.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (John E. Yorke, Senior Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198:

1. *James and Sheryl Walston*, South Sioux City, Nebraska; to acquire an additional 4.0 percent, for a total of 13.7 percent; Barton J. and Terri R. Gotch, South Sioux City, Nebraska, to acquire an additional 3.2 percent, for a total of 12.2 percent; Bill J. and Myrna Gotch, South Sioux City, Nebraska; to acquire a total of 2.7 percent of the voting shares of Siouxland National Corporation, South Sioux City, Nebraska, and thereby indirectly acquire Siouxland National Bank, South Sioux City, Nebraska.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (Genie D. Short, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *Edwin Warren Rumage, Trustee*, Jacksboro, Texas; to acquire a total of 52.38 percent of the voting shares of Jacksboro National Bancshares, Inc., Jacksboro, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire Jacksboro Bancshares Delaware, Jacksboro, Texas, and Jacksboro National Bank, Jacksboro, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 26, 1996.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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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. Once the application has been accepted for processing, it will also 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, including whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company can "reasonably be expected to produce benefits to the public, such as greater convenience, increased competition, or gains in efficiency, that outweigh possible adverse effects, such as undue concentration of resources, decreased or unfair competition, conflicts of interests, or unsound banking practices" (12 U.S.C. 1843). Any request for a hearing must be accompanied by a statement of the reasons a written presentation would not suffice in lieu of a hearing, identifying specifically any questions of fact that are in dispute, summarizing the evidence that would be presented at a hearing, and indicating how the party commenting would be aggrieved by approval of the proposal. 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 April 25, 1996.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Boston (Robert M. Brady, Vice President) 600 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02106:

1. *Bank of Boston Corp.*, Boston, Massachusetts; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of BayBanks, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts, and thereby indirectly acquire BayBank, N.A., Boston, Massachusetts, and BayBank NH, Derry, New Hampshire.

In connection with this application, Applicant also has applied to acquire BayBank FSB, Nashua, New Hampshire, and thereby engage in operating a federally chartered savings association, pursuant to § 225.25(b)(9) of the Board's Regulation Y; and 10.0 percent of the voting shares of NYCE Corp., Woodcliff Lake, New Jersey, and thereby engage in data processing and other nonbanking activities related to EFT networks through the operation of automated