

G. Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after the issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefore, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

[Public Notice 27]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Export-Import Bank of the United States.

ACTION: Submission for OMB review, comment request.

SUMMARY: In accordance with requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Export-Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve a revision of a currently approved collection described below. A request for public comments was published in 61 FR 6375, February 20, 1996. No comments were received.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public concerning the proposed collection of information to (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of

appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

DATES: Comments due date: May 30, 1996.

OMB Number: 3048-0009.

Title and Form Number: 9 forms submitted (respondents could complete any one of the nine forms):

- (1) Financing or Operating Lease Coverage, Explanation of Form for Export Credit Insurance, EIB-92-45.
- (2) Application for Multibuyer Export Credit Insurance Policy, EIB-92-50.
- (3) Application for Short-Term Single-Buyer Policy (For Exporters Only), EIB-92-64.
- (4) Application for Export Credit Insurance Trade Association Policy, EIB-92-68.
- (5) Application for Export Credit Insurance Umbrella Policy, EIB-92-72.
- (6) Broker Registration Form, EIB-92-80.
- (7) Application for Quotation-Export Credit Insurance Commercial Bank Insureds, EIB-92-34.
- (8) Application for Short-Term Single-Buyer Coverage Financial Buyer Credit Policies, EIB-92-41.
- (9) Application for Medium-Term Export Credit Insurance, EIB-92-48.

Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Need and Use: The information requested enables the applicant exporter, bank, or insurance broker to provide Ex-Im Bank with information necessary to determine eligibility for various exporter credit insurance policies and programs.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit—Not-for-profit institutions—Farms—State, Local or Tribal Government.

Respondents: Entities involved in the export of U.S. goods and services, including exporters, banks, insurance brokers and non-profit or state and local government acting as facilitators.

Estimated Annual Respondents: 1,500.

Estimated Time per Respondent: 1 hour per form.

Estimated Annual Burden: 1,500 hours.

Frequency of Response: Applications submitted one time, renewals annually.

ADDRESSES: Copies of these submissions may be obtained from Debbie Ambrose, Export-Import Bank of the United States, 811 Vermont Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. (202) 565-3313.

Comments and recommendations concerning the submissions should be sent to OMB Desk Officer, Victoria Wassmer, Office of Management and

Budget, Information and Regulatory Affairs, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503, (202) 395-5871.

Dated: April 23, 1996.

Daniel Garcia,

Administrative Officer.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of Agreement(s) Filed

The Federal Maritime Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement(s) pursuant to section 5 of the Shipping Act of 1984.

Interested parties may inspect and obtain a copy of each agreement at the Washington, D.C. Office of the Federal Maritime Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, N.W., 9th Floor. Interested parties may submit comments on each agreement to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, D.C. 20573, within 10 days after the date of the Federal Register in which this notice appears. The requirements for comments are found in section 572.603 of Title 46 of the Code of Federal Regulations. Interested persons should consult this section before communicating with the Commission regarding a pending agreement.

Agreement No.: 203-011542.

Title: African Northbound Space Charter and Sailing Agreement.

Parties: Wilhelmsen Lines A/S, Safbank Line Limited, Lykes Bros. Steamship Co., Inc.

Synopsis: The proposed Agreement authorizes the parties to discuss and agree on whether to become or remain a member of or withdraw from any conferences or any other agreements covering the Trade or any part of it. In addition, it permits the parties to charter space to and from one another, consult and agree upon the deployment and utilization of vessels and rationalize sailings in the trade from ports and points in Southern Africa in the range from the northern border of Namibia to the northern border of Mozambique to U.S. Atlantic Coast ports and points.

Agreement No.: 203-011543.

Title: U.S.-Australia/New Zealand Policing Agreement.

Parties: Australia New Zealand Direct Line, Blue Star (North America) Limited, Hamburg-Sudamerikanische Dampfschiffahrts-Gesellschaft Eggert & Amsinck (Columbus Line).

Synopsis: The proposed Agreement authorizes the parties to discuss, agree

upon and implement contracts for neutral body policing and cargo inspection services, to establish guidelines and procedures for the exchange of information relating to actions taken by the neutral body, and to exchange such information.

Agreement No.: 232-011544.

Title: Lykes/APL space Charter Agreement.

Parties: American President Lines, Ltd. ("APL"), Lykes Bros. Steamship Co., Ltd. ("Lykes").

Synopsis: The proposed Agreement authorizes APL to charter and subcharter or assign all or any space it has on Lykes' vessels to a non-party without Lykes' consent, and rationalize sailings in the trade between U.S. Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Coast ports and points, on the one hand and, on the other hand (a) ports and points in the United Kingdom, the Republic of Ireland, Denmark, Finland, Norway, Sweden, Poland and Baltic ports in the former Soviet Union, (b) ports and points in the Continental Europe range from Germany, to and including Portugal and the Atlantic Coast of Spain; and (c) ports and points on the Mediterranean Sea and Africa. The parties have requested a shortened review period.

Dated: April 24, 1996.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

April 24, 1996.

TIME AND DATE: 2:00 p.m., Thursday, May 2, 1996.

PLACE: Room 6005, 6th Floor, 1730 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

The Commission will consider and act upon the following:

1. *Secretary of Labor o.b.o. Poddey v. Tanglewood Energy, Inc.*, Docket No. WEVA 93-339-D. (Issues include whether the judge erred in applying three section 110(i) criteria in assessing a civil penalty for a section 105(c) violation, and whether the judge erred by deducting unemployment compensation received from the back pay award.)

Any person attending this meeting who requires special accessibility features and/or auxiliary aids, such as sign language interpreters, must inform the Commission in

advance of those needs. Subject to 29 C.F.R. § 2706.150(a)(3) and § 2706.160(d).

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Jean Ellen (202) 653-5629/(202) 708-9300 for TDD Relay/1-800-877-8339 for toll free.

Jean H. Ellen,

Chief Docket Clerk.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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 May 15, 1996.

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

1. *Donald R. Grobowsky*, Temple, Texas; to acquire an additional 18.79 percent, for a total of 28.78 percent of the voting shares of Central Community Corporation, Temple, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire First State Bank, Temple, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, April 24, 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 May 25, 1996.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond (Lloyd W. Bostian, Jr., Senior Vice President) 701 East Byrd Street, Richmond, Virginia 23261:

1. *FNB Corporation*, Christiansburg, Virginia; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of The First National Bank of Christiansburg, Christiansburg, Virginia.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago (James A. Bluemle, Vice President) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690:

1. *Vogel Bancshares, Inc.*, Orange City, Iowa; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Ireton Bancorp, Ireton,