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Federal Communications Commission

Shirley S. Suggs,

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Public Information Collections Approved by Office of Management and Budget

September 19, 1997.

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the following public information collections pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. For further information contact Shoko B. Hair, Federal Communications Commission, (202) 418-1379.

Federal Communications Commission

OMB Control No.: 3060-0292.

Expiration Date: 09/30/2000.

Title: Access Charges—Part 69.

Form No.: N/A.

Respondents: Business or other for profit.

Estimated Annual Burden: 1458 respondents; 23.19 hours per response (avg.); 33,825 total annual burden hours for all collections.

Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden: \$0.

Frequency of Response: On occasion; semi-annually; monthly; one-time requirement.

Description: Part 69 of the Commission's rules and regulations establishes the rules for access charges for interstate or foreign access provided by telephone companies on or after January 1, 1984. Part 69 essentially consists of rules or the procedures for the computation of access charges. Section 69.3 requires the annual submission of access charge tariffs. Section 69.116(c) and 69.117(c) require local exchange carriers to file information with NECA semi-annually pertaining to the number of lines in their study areas and the interexchange carriers to which such lines are presubscribed. This information will be used by NECA to assess revenue requirements needed to fund the Universal Service Fund and Lifeline Assistance programs. (No. of respondents: 1458; hours per response: 5 hrs.; total annual hours: 14,580 hrs.). Section 69.104(k)(1) requires that a state or local telephone company wishing to implement an end user common line reduction or waiver for its subscribers file information with the Commission demonstrating that its state lifeline assistance plan meets certain criteria. This is an one-time filing requirement. (No. of respondents: 50; hours per response: 20 hrs.; total annual burden 1000 hrs.). Section 69.104(1) requires local telephone carriers to calculate for NECA their projected revenue requirements for the lifeline assistance program. (No. of respondents: 1459; hours per response: 3.5 hrs; total annual burden: 5103 hrs). Section 69.605 requires carriers who are participating in the pool to report access revenues and cost data so that NECA may compute monthly pool revenues distributions. (No. of respondents: 1548; hours per response: .75 hrs; total annual burden: 13,122 hrs). The information is used to compute charges in tariffs for access service (or origination and termination) and to compute revenue pool distributions. Neither process could be implemented without the

information. You are required to respond.

OMB Control No.: 3060-0577.

Expiration Date: 09/30/2000.

Title: Expanded Interconnection with Local Telephone Company Facilities.

Form No.: N/A.

Respondents: Business or other for profit.

Estimated Annual Burden: 16 respondents; 15 hours per response (avg.); 240 total annual burden hours for all collections.

Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden: \$10,000.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Description: In September 1992, the Commission adopted an order requiring Tier 1 local exchange carriers (LECs), excluding NECA pool members, to offer expanded interconnection for special access to all interested parties, permitting competitors and high volume users to terminate their own transmission facilities at LEC central offices. (*Special Access Order*, CC Docket No. 91-141, *Expanded Interconnection with Local Telephone Company Facilities*). Under the rules adopted in the *Special Access Order*, Tier 1 LECs (those with over \$100 million in annual regulated revenues for a sustained period of time), except for NECA pool members, are required to provide physical collocation to all interconnectors that request it, with exemptions for LEC offices that do not have enough space for physical collocation, and, under certain circumstances, for states with regulatory policies favoring virtual collocation or LEC choice of the form of collocation. Interconnectors and LECs will be free to negotiate virtual collocation arrangements if both parties prefer such arrangements over physical collocation. In the *Second Memorandum Opinion and Order on Reconsideration* in CC Docket No. 91-141 (*Reconsideration Order*), the Commission reconsidered some of the particularly time-sensitive requirements of the *Special Access Order*. In particular, the *Reconsideration Order* reconsiders *de novo* the fresh look issues addressed in the *Special Access Order*, clarifies and expands the Commission's requirements concerning the application of nonrecurring charges, modifies the requirement for tariffing virtual collocation arrangements, and specifies certain standards that must be met for a connection charge rate structure to be considered reasonable. In order to comply with these requirements, Tier 1 LECs will have to make certain tariff revisions. In addition, LECs must make tariff filings to provide public notice of the start of the "fresh look" period at each of their

offices where expanded interconnection is implemented. Sections 201, 202, 203, 204, and 205 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. 201, 202, 203, 204, and 205, require that common carriers establish just and reasonable charges, practices, and regulations for the services they provide, and prohibit any unjust or unreasonable discrimination, preference, or advantage. The LEC schedules containing these charges, practices, and regulations must be filed with the Commission. The tariff filings required by the *Reconsideration Order* are necessary to ensure the effectiveness of the fresh look opportunity that the Commission adopted in order to allow eligible customers to assess the new alternatives available in a more competitive market. The tariff filings that will be needed to comply with the Commission's rules on nonrecurring charges and connection charges are necessary to ensure that the rates charged to all LEC customers are just, reasonable, and nondiscriminatory. Without this information, the FCC would be unable to determine whether the tariffs for these services are just, reasonable, nondiscriminatory, and otherwise in accordance with the law and its rules. Obligation to respond is mandatory.

Public reporting burden for the collections of information is as noted above. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of the collections of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden to Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Washington, D.C. 20554.

Federal Communications Commission.

Shirley S. Suggs,

Chief, Publications Branch.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Ocean Freight Forwarder License; Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission applications for licenses as ocean freight forwarders pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 (46 U.S.C. app. 1718 and 46 CFR 510).

Persons knowing of any reason why any of the following applicants should not receive a license are requested to contact the Office of Freight Forwarders, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, D.C. 20573.

Atlantic Cargo, Inc., 5635 NW 74th Avenue, Miami, FL 33166, Officer: Allan D. Silverman, President
Boston Logistics, Inc., 186A Lee Burbank Highway, Revere, MA 02151, Officer: Anthony M. Puleio, Jr., President

Dated: September 25, 1997.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Ocean Freight Forwarder License Applicants; Correction

In the **Federal Register** notice published July 14, 1997 (62 FR 37585) the reference to "RJB Import/Export Consultants Corp." is corrected to read: "R.J.G. Import/Export Consultants Corp."

Dated: September 24, 1997.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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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. The notices also will 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 October 15, 1997.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Boston (Richard Walker, Community Affairs Officer) 600 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02106-2204:

1. *Charles Michael Hazard*, Boston, Massachusetts; to acquire 18.3 percent of the voting shares of Boston Private Bancorp, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts, and thereby indirectly acquire Boston Private Bank & Trust Company, Boston, Massachusetts.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (D. Michael Manies, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *John Francis Davis and Carman Lee Davis*, both of Concordia, Kansas; to acquire voting shares of Tri-County Bancshares, Inc., Linn, Kansas, and thereby indirectly acquire Tri-County National Bank, Washington, Kansas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, September 25, 1997.

William W. Wiles,

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. 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 October 24, 1997.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Lois Berthaume, Vice President) 104 Marietta Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30303-2713:

1. *Alabama National Bancorporation*, Birmingham, Alabama; to merge with First American Bancorp, Decatur,