

418-7452 or e-mail: lisa.fowlkes@fcc.gov or Jean Ann Collins, Alternate Designated Federal Officer of the Panel at 202-418-2792 or e-mail: jeanann.collins@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Independent Panel announces procedures for interested persons to provide oral presentations at the Panel's next meeting. The specific date, time and location of the next meeting will be announced in a subsequent notice.

Consistent with the Panel's mission, the focus of the presentations should be: (1) The impact of Hurricane Katrina on telecommunications and media infrastructure and public safety communications, (2) the sufficiency and effectiveness of the recovery effort with respect to this infrastructure; and (3) ways to improve disaster preparedness, network reliability and communications among first responders such as police, fire fighters, and emergency medical personnel. The Panel seeks to hear a variety of viewpoints on these issues. To ensure that the Panel receives as many presentations as possible, presenters will be allotted 5-10 minutes each. To the extent there is an issue of particular interest to the Panel, it may solicit persons with expertise on the issue to provide presentations.

Interested persons who wish to provide oral presentations at the Independent Panel's next meeting should submit a request, in writing, to Lisa Fowlkes, Designated Federal Officer of the Panel by e-mail at lisa.fowlkes@fcc.gov. Requests should include: (1) The name of the person who would give the oral presentation and the name of the company or organization the person is representing, if any; (2) a description of the nature of the presentation; and (3) if available, a bio of the presenter. Requests must be received by the Designated Federal Officer no later than February 17, 2006. Persons selected to make presentations will be notified as soon as possible and provided additional information about the presentations.

Interested persons may also submit written statements to the Panel at any time. Written submissions may be sent to the Designated Federal Officer at lisa.fowlkes@fcc.gov or by U.S. Mail at: Lisa Fowlkes, Hurricane Katrina Independent Panel, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., Room 7-C737, Washington, DC 20554.

Further information regarding the Independent Panel, including publicly available documents, may be found at the Panel's Web site at <http://www.fcc.gov/eb/hkip>. In addition,

publicly available documents related to the Panel are available for inspection and copying at the FCC's Public Reference Information Center, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-a257, Washington, DC.

Federal Communications Commission.

Marlene H. Dortch,
Secretary.

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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 <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 March 2, 2006.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Donna J. Ward, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *First Fidelity Bancorp, Inc.*, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of First Fidelity Bank, National Association, Phoenix, Arizona (in organization).

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, January 31, 2006.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Secretary of the Board.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

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General Services Administration Acquisition Regulation; Information Collection; Tax Adjustment Clause 552.270-30

AGENCY: Office of the Chief Acquisition Officer, General Services Administration (GSA).

ACTION: Notice of request for comments regarding a renewal to an existing OMB clearance.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the General Services Administration has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve a renewal of a currently approved information collection requirement regarding tax adjustments under leasehold acquisitions. A request for public comments was published at 70 FR 72301, December 2, 2005. No comments were received. This collection requires contractors to submit information to the Government to substantiate an increase or decrease in real estate taxes under a leasehold acquisition so that the Government can make tax adjustments as necessary to the leasehold acquisition. Information collected under this authority is necessary to assess proper tax adjustments against each leasehold acquisition.

Public comments are particularly invited on: Whether this collection of information is necessary and whether it will have practical utility; whether our estimate of the public burden of this collection of information is accurate, and based on valid assumptions and methodology; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

DATES: Submit comments on or before: March 6, 2006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gerald Zaffos, Contract Policy Division, at telephone (202) 208-6091 or via e-mail to gerald.zaffos@gsa.gov.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this