Officer) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63166-2034:

1. Republic Bancorp, Inc., Louisville, Kentucky; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of GulfStream Community Bank, Port Richey, Florida, and thereby engage in operating a savings association, pursuant to section 223.28(b)(4)(ii) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, July 7, 2006.

## Robert deV. Frierson,

 $Deputy\ Secretary\ of\ the\ Board.$ 

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# FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

# Sunshine Act; Notice of Meeting

**TIME AND DATE:** 9 a.m. (EDT), July 17, 2006.

**PLACE:** 4th Floor Conference Room, 1250 H Street, NW., Washington, DC.

STATUS: Open.

#### MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

- 1. Approval of the minutes of the June 20, 2006 Board member meeting.
- 2. Thrift Savings Plan activity report by the Executive Director.
- 3. Quarterly Investment Policy and Vendor Financial Reports.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Thomas J. Trabucco, Director, Office of External Affairs, (202) 942–1640.

Dated: July 10, 2006.

## Thomas K. Emswiler,

Secretary to the Board, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.

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## FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Granting of Request for Early Termination of the Waiting Period Under the Premerger Notification Rules

Section 7A of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. 18a, as added by Title II of the

Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust
Improvements Act of 1976, requires
persons contemplating certain mergers
or acquisitions to give the Federal Trade
Commission and the Assistant Attorney
General advance notice and to wait
designated periods before
consummation of such plans. Section
7A(b)(2) of the Act permits the agencies,
in individual cases, to terminate this
waiting period prior to its expiration
and requires that notice of this action be
published in the Federal Register.

The following transactions were granted early termination of the waiting period provided by law and the premerger notification rules. The grants were made by the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General for the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice. Neither agency intends to take any action with respect to these proposed acquisitions during the applicable waiting period.

| Trans No.   | Acquiring  | Acquired                                     | Entities   |
|---|--|--|--|
| Transactions Granted Early Termination—06/06/2006 |  |  |  |
| 20061120  | Pardus European Special Opportunities master Fund L.P.             | Visteon Corp                                 | Visteon Corp.  |
| 20061139  | Ray Investment S.a.r.I   | Morris B. Cartin                             | Capitol Light and Supply Company   |
| 20061150  | American Financial Group, Inc                                      | Ceres Group, Inc                             | Ceres Group, Inc.  |
| 20061155  | Lindsay Goldberg & Bessemer L.P                                    | FSB Holdings, Inc                            | FSB Hildings, Inc.   |
| 20061162  | Golden Oval Eggs, LLC  | Land O'Lakes, Inc                            | Culter at Abbeville, LLC, Hi Point Industries, LLC, L&W Egg Products, Inc., MoArk Egg Corporation, MoArk, LLC, Norco Ranch, Inc. |
| 20061166  | ST Holdings, Inc   | Nautic Partners V, L.P                       | Contec, LLC  |
| 20061175  | Liberty Media Corporation  | Howard Jonas                                 | IDT Media, LLC, c/o IDT Corporation  |
| 20061181  | MPM Equity LLC   | KKR European Fund, Limited Part-<br>nership. | MPM Luxembourg 2 (c) S.a.r.l.  |
| Transactions Granted Early Termination—06/07/2006 |  |  |  |
| 20060469  | General Dynamics Corporation                                       | Anteon International Corporation             | Anteon International Corporation   |
| 20061063  | Alcatel  | Lucent Technologies Inc                      | Lucent Technologies Inc.   |
| 20061086  | The Day & Zimmerman Group, Inc                                     | Dennis McLaughlin                            | Atlantic Enterprises I, LLC, Atlantic Government Services, LLC, Atlantic Services, Inc., Chesapeake Civil Services, Inc.         |
| 20061136  | TPG Partners V, L.P  | Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation          | Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation  |
| 20061173  | Shidax Corporation   | Fortunato N. Valenti                         | Resturant Hospitality, LLC   |
| 20061184  | Plains Exploration & Production                                    | Stone Energy Corporation                     | Stone Energy Corporation   |
| 20061189  | Company. J. Joe Ricketts   | TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation            | TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation  |
| Transactions Granted Early Termination—06/08/2006 |  |  |  |
| 20061073  | America Telecom, S.A. de C.V                                       | Verizon Communications Inc                   | Telecommunicaciones de Puerto Rico, Inc.   |
| 20061147<br>20061167                              | Caterpillar Inc  | JPMorgan Chase & Co                          | Progress Rail Services, Inc.<br>Shell Energy Services Company,<br>L.L.C.   |
| 20061177<br>20061182                              | OCM Opportunities Fund V, L.P<br>Federal Services Acquisition Cor- | Richard S. Wiley Delmar J. Lewis             | Pegasus Aviation Finance Company Advanced Technology Systems, Inc.   |
| 20061185  | poration. Mr. Sidney Kitson  | Babcock Florida Company                      | Babcock Florida Company  |