comment on these documents (Ref. 4, see also http://www.epa.gov/oppt/nano/

nmspfr.htm).

EPA is holding this public scientific peer consultation meeting to assist in elaborating characteristics used to describe nanoscale materials for the purposes of the NMSP. The public meeting will involve peer panel discussions of EPA's discussion paper on possible material characteristics for the NMSP, with time allotted for public comment. EPA will place the discussion paper on possible material characteristics for nanoscale materials and the agenda for the meeting in the public docket, and on the OPPT nanotechnology website, Nanotechnology under the Toxic Substances Control Act, at http:// epa.gov/oppt/nano/index.htm.

For further information on input EPA has received or solicited regarding development of the stewardship program, see the **Federal Register** issues of May 10, 2005 (70 FR 24574–24576) (FRL–7700–7), October 4, 2006 (71 FR 58601–58603) (FRL–8070–3), and July 12, 2007 (72 FR 38083) (FRL–8139–2) and (72 FR 38079) (FRL–8140–2), as well as the National Pollution Prevention and Toxics Advisory Committee (NPPTAC) Overview Document (Ref. 1).

## III. Discussion Items for EPA and Stakeholder Consideration

EPA has identified the following discussion items on material characterization for nanoscale materials for which your consideration and comment are specifically requested:

1. Description of nanoscale materials

(e.g., types, categories).

- 2. Physical-chemical properties of potential interest (e.g., particle size/shape/distribution/dimensions, agglomeration, aggregation, surface area, etc.).
- Design to achieve unique properties (e.g., manufacturing, processing, chemical transformations).
- 4. Obtaining characterization data for nanoscale materials (e.g., analytical methods, models).
- 5. Metrology (e.g., methods validation, standards, and harmonization).
- 6. Prioritization of characterization data and data gaps.

In addition, EPA is requesting information on characterization or methodology currently used for nanoscale materials. The Agency is also seeking comment on characterization or methodology that could potentially be used for nanoscale materials in the basic or the in-depth phases of the NMSP that were described in the "Concept Paper for the Nanoscale Materials Program

under TSCA," including the rationale for such use and any relevant issues (Ref. 4).

# IV. How Can I Request to Participate in this Meeting?

You may register for the meeting electronically through EPA's website at http://www.epa.gov/oppt/nano on or before August 31, 2007. Advance requests will assist in planning adequate seating; however, members of the public may attend without prior registration.

You may submit a request to present oral comments in this meeting to the technical person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT. Do not submit any information in your request that is considered CBI. Requests to present oral comments, identified by docket ID number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2004-0122, must be received on or before August 31, 2007.

### V. References

The following references have been placed in the public docket that was established under docket ID number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2004-0122 for this action as indicated under ADDRESSES.

- 1. NPPTAC. November 22, 2005. Overview of Issues for Consideration byNPPTAC.
- 2. Discussion paper for public meeting on material characterization of nanoscale materials.
- 3. Agenda for public meeting on material characterization of nanoscale materials.
- 4. Concept Paper for the Nanoscale Materials Stewardship Program under TSCA.

## **List of Subjects**

Environmental protection, Chemicals, Hazardous substances, Nanoscale materials.

Dated: August 2, 2007.

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# EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION

### **Sunshine Act Meeting**

FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: 72 FR 43273, Friday, August 3, 2007.

**PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF MEETING:** Friday, August 10, 2007, 10 a.m. (Eastern Time).

**CHANGE IN THE MEETING:** The meeting has been cancelled.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Stephen Llewellyn, Acting Executive Officer on (202) 663–4070.

Dated: August 9, 2007.

### Stephen Llewellyn,

Acting Executive Officer, Executive Secretariat.

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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 Web site at 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 September 6, 2007.

## A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (David Tatum, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30309:

1. BancTenn Corporation, Kingsport, Tennessee; to acquire 20 percent of the voting shares of Paragon Commercial Corporation, and thereby acquire voting shares of Paragon Commercial Bank, both of Raleigh, North Carolina.