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Federal Communications Commission.

James D. Bradshaw,

Deputy Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[WC Docket No. 02-60, FCC 07-198]

Rural Health Care Support Mechanism

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Announcement of effective date.

SUMMARY: On November 16, 2007, in the *Universal Service Rural Health Care Pilot Program Selection Order*, 22 FCC Rcd 20,360 (2007 RHC Selection Order), the Commission selected 69 participants for the Universal Service Rural Health Care (RHC) Pilot Program established by the Commission in the *2006 Pilot Program Order*, 71 FR 65517, November 8, 2006, pursuant to section 254(h)(2)(A) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (1996 Act). As a result, selected participants will be eligible to receive funding for up to 85 percent of the costs associated with: (1) The construction of a state or regional broadband networks and the advanced telecommunications and information services provided over those networks; (2) connecting to Internet 2 or National LambdaRail (NLR); and (3) connecting to the public Internet. The information collection requirements in the *2007 RHC Selection Order* required Office of Management and Budget approval. This document announces the effective date of these information collection requirements.

DATES: The information collection requirements became effective on January 17, 2008.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Thomas Buckley, Senior Deputy Chief

or Jennifer Prime, Attorney, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, (202) 418-7400, TTY (202) 418-0484.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The *2007 RHC Selection Order* stated that the Commission would publish a notice announcing the effective date of the information collection requirements. On January 17, 2008, OMB approved the information collection requirements contained in the *2007 RHC Selection Order* pursuant to OMB Control No. 3060-0804, Universal Service—Rural Health Care Program/Rural Health Care Pilot Program. Accordingly, the information collection requirements contained in the *2007 RHC Selection Order* became effective on January 17, 2008. The expiration date for the information collection is July 31, 2008.

Pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13), an agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, no person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a valid control number. Questions concerning this information collection, 3060-0804, should be directed to Leslie F. Smith, Federal Communications Commission, and (202) 418-0217 or via the Internet at Leslie.Smith@fcc.gov.

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 applications 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 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 February 19, 2008.

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

1. *HOTC, Inc.*, to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Wray State Bank, both of Wray, Colorado.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, January 18, 2008.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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