Family Group; to retain control of Team Financial, Inc., and thereby indirectly retain control of TeamBank, N.A., both in Paola, Kansas.

2. The Schifferdecker Limited Partnership, Girard, Kansas; Mark W. Schifferdecker, Girard, Kansas, in an individual capacity and as managing general partner; Susan B. Friesen, Omaha, Nebraska, Joy L. Shoop, Hiawatha, Kansas, in an individual capacity and as general partners; and John Schifferdecker, Girard, Kansas, to become part of the family group acting in concert and to acquire shares and thereby control of GN Bankshares, Inc., Girard, Kansas, and thereby control The Girard National Bank, Girard, Kansas. In addition, the Neihart Limited Partnership, Kansas City, Missouri; and David Neihart, Prairie Village, Kansas, and Robert Neihart, Overland Park, Kansas, in an individual capacity and as general partners also have applied to become part of the family group acting in concert to control GN Bankshares, Inc., Girard, Kansas.

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Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy 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 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 September 22, 2008

- A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Steve Foley, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30309:
- 1. Citizens Investors, LLC, Savannah, Georgia, to become a bank holding company by acquiring at least 51 percent of the voting shares of First Citizens Bankshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of First Citizens Bank, both of Glennville, Georgia.
- **B. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago** (Burl Thornton, Assistant Vice President) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690–1414:
- 1. SBA Bancorp, Inc., Ashland, Illinois, to merge with First Beardstown Bancorp, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire First State Bank of Beardstown, both of Beardstown, Illinois.
- C. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (Glenda Wilson, Community Affairs Officer) P.O. Box 442, St. Louis, Missouri 63166–2034:
- 1. Springfield Bancshares, Inc., Springfield, Missouri, to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Springfield First Community Bank, Springfield, Missouri (in organization).
- D. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Todd Offenbacker, Assistant Vice President) 1 Memorial Drive, Kansas City, Missouri 64198–0001:
- 1. Everest Bancshares, Inc., Everest, Kansas, to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Gower Bancshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Bank of Gower, both in Gower, Missouri.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Notice of Proposals to Engage in Permissible Nonbanking Activities or to Acquire Companies That are Engaged in Permissible Nonbanking Activities

The companies listed in this notice have given notice under section 4 of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1843) (BHC Act) and Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225) to engage de novo, or to acquire or control voting securities or assets of a company, including the companies listed below, that engages either directly or through a subsidiary or other company, in a nonbanking activity that is listed in § 225.28 of Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.28) or that the Board has determined by Order to be closely related to banking and permissible for bank holding companies. Unless otherwise noted, these activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Each notice is available for inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notice also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the question whether the proposal complies with the standards of section 4 of the BHC Act. 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 the applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than September 12, 2008.

- A. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Kenneth Binning, Director, Regional and Community Bank Group) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105–1579:
- 1. NHB Holdings, Inc., and Proficio Mortgage Ventures, LLC, to engage de novo in a joint venture with Mainsail Capital and Trinity Venture Partners, all of Jacksonville, Florida, in conducting mortgage banking activities, pursuant to section 225.28(b)(1) of Regulation Y.

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