

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 May 1, 2009.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Boston (Richard Walker, Community Affairs Officer) P.O. Box 55882, Boston, Massachusetts 02106-2204:

1. *Connecticut Mutual Holding Company*, Winsted, Connecticut; to

acquire through merger Collinsville Savings Mutual Holding Company, Collinsville Stock Holding Company, and thereby acquire Collinsville Savings Society, all of Collinsville, Connecticut.

In connection with the above application, Collinsville Savings Mutual Holding Company, Collinsville, Connecticut, also has applied to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Collinsville Stock Holding Company, Collinsville, Connecticut, which has applied to become a bank holding company by acquiring Collinsville Savings Society, Collinsville, Connecticut.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, April 2, 2009.

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. (Eastern Time) April 20, 2009.

PLACE: 4th Floor Conference Room, 1250 H Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005.

STATUS: Parts will be open to the public and parts closed to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Parts Open to the Public

1. Approval of the minutes of the March 16, 2009 Board member meeting.
2. Thrift Savings Plan activity report by the Executive Director.
 - a. Participant Activity Report.
 - b. Systems Modernization.
 - c. Quarterly Investment Performance Report.
 - d. Legislative Report.
3. Recommendations on Potential Legislative Initiatives.

4. Quarterly Vendor Financial Report.
5. Annual Financial Audit Report.

Parts Closed to the Public

6. Proprietary information.
7. Personnel.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Thomas J. Trabucco, Director, Office of External Affairs, (202) 942-1640.

Dated: April 3, 2009.

Thomas K. Emswiler,

Secretary, 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—02/23/2009			
20090289	Deutsche Lufthansa AG	Sir Michael David Bishop	British Midland PLC
20090290	Texas Health Resources	Community Health Systems, Inc.	TTHR Limited Partnership
20090291	Valero Energy Corporation	VeraSun Energy Corporation	VeraSun Aurora Corporation; VeraSun Charles City, LLC; VeraSun Fort Dodge, LLC; VeraSun Hartley, LLC; VeraSun Marketing, LLC; VeraSun Reynolds, LLC; VeraSun Welcome, LLC
Transactions Granted Early Termination—02/24/2009			
20090292	Bank of America Corporation	Kern Schools Federal Credit Union	FIA Card Services, N.A.