

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of a Bank or Bank Holding Company

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire shares of a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notices also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than August 6, 2012.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (Glenda Wilson, Community Affairs Officer) P.O. Box 442, St. Louis, Missouri 63166-2034:

1. *Lynne Deweese and V.J. Hales as co-trustees of The Hales Survivor's Trust, individually and with Randy Deweese, Lynne Deweese, V.J. Hales, Jason Schwartz, Kimberly Schwartz, Andrea Williford, Michael Williford, and Dallas Williford*, all of Clinton, Kentucky; all as members of The Hales Family Control Group; to gain control of First Trust Financial Corporation, and thereby indirectly gain control of First Community Bank of Western Kentucky, Inc., both in Clinton, Kentucky.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, July 17, 2012.

Margaret McCloskey Shanks,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Federal Open Market Committee; Domestic Policy Directive of June 19-20, 2012

In accordance with Section 271.7(d) of its rules regarding availability of information (12 CFR part 271), there is set forth below the domestic policy directive issued by the Federal Open Market Committee at its meeting held on June 19-20, 2012.¹

The Federal Open Market Committee seeks monetary and financial conditions that will foster price stability and promote sustainable growth in output. To further its long-run objectives, the Committee seeks conditions in reserve markets consistent with federal funds trading in a range from 0 to ¼ percent. The Committee directs the Desk to continue the maturity extension program it began in September to purchase, by the end of June 2012, Treasury securities with remaining maturities of 6 years to 30 years with a total face value of \$400 billion, and to sell Treasury securities with remaining maturities of 3 years or less with a total face value of \$400 billion. Following the conclusion of these purchases, the Committee directs the Desk to purchase Treasury securities with remaining maturities of 6 years to 30 years with a total face value of about \$267 billion by the end of December 2012, and to sell or redeem Treasury securities with remaining maturities of approximately 3 years or less with a total face value of about \$267 billion. For the duration of this program, the Committee directs the Desk to suspend its current policy of rolling over maturing Treasury securities into new issues. The Committee directs the Desk to maintain its existing policy of reinvesting principal payments on all agency debt and agency mortgage-backed securities in the System Open Market Account in agency mortgage-backed securities. These actions should maintain the total face value of domestic securities at approximately \$2.6 trillion. The Committee directs the Desk to engage in dollar roll transactions as necessary to

facilitate settlement of the Federal Reserve's agency MBS transactions. The System Open Market Account Manager and the Secretary will keep the Committee informed of ongoing developments regarding the System's balance sheet that could affect the attainment over time of the Committee's objectives of maximum employment and price stability.

By order of the Federal Open Market Committee, July 12, 2012.

William B. English,

Secretary, Federal Open Market Committee.

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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—on the dates indicated—of the waiting period provided by law and the premerger notification rules. The listing for each transaction includes the transaction number and the parties to the transaction. 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.

EARLEY TERMINATIONS GRANTED

[June 1, 2012 Thru June 30, 2012]

06/01/2012

20120841	G	ValueAct Capital Master Fund. L.P.; Willis Group Holdings Public Limited Company; ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P.
20120862	G	Marquard & Bahls AG; GS Maritime Holding LLC; Marquard & Bahls AG.

¹ Copies of the Minutes of the Federal Open Market Committee at its meeting held on June 19-20, 2012, which includes the domestic policy

directive issued at the meeting, are available on the Board's Web site, www.federalreserve.gov. The

minutes are also published in the Federal Reserve Bulletin and in the Board's Annual Report.

EARLEY TERMINATIONS GRANTED—Continued

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06/04/2012

20120808	G	Objet Ltd.; Stratasys, Inc.; Objet Ltd.
20120858	G	America Movil, S.A.B. de CV.; Simple Mobile, LLC; America Movil, S.A.B. de C.V.
20120860	.....	G	Green Equity Investors V, L.P.; Savers, Inc.; Green Equity Investors V, L.P.
20120864	.....	G	The Dow Chemical Company; Dow Kokam LLC; The Dow Chemical Company.
20120865	.....	G	Wolverine World Wide, Inc.; Collective Brands, Inc.; Wolverine World Wide, Inc.
20120869	.....	G	Blum Strategic Partners IV, L.P.; Collective Brands, Inc.; Blum Strategic Partners IV, L.P.
20120870	.....	G	Golden Gate Capital Opportunity Fund, L.P.; Collective Brands, Inc.; Golden Gate Capital Opportunity Fund, L.P.
20120874	.....	G	C&J Energy Services, Inc.; Intervale Capital Fund, L.P.; C&J Energy Services, Inc.
20120875	.....	G	Ray Investment S.a.r.l.; Platt Electric Supply, Inc.; Ray Investment S.a.r.l.
20120876	.....	G	PFB Corporation; International Petroleum Investment Company; PFB Corporation.
20120877	.....	G	Boyd Gaming Corporation; Peninsula Gaming Partners, LLC; Boyd Gaming Corporation.
20120881	.....	G	Sun Capital Partners V, L.P.; Polycom, Inc.; Sun Capital Partners V, L.P.
20120882	.....	G	Nordson Corporation; EDI Holdings, Inc.; Nordson Corporation.
20120883	.....	G	Berkshire Hathaway Inc.; J. Stewart Bryan III; Berkshire Hathaway Inc.
20120885	.....	G	Bed Bath & Beyond Inc.; Cost Plus, Inc.; Bed Bath & Beyond Inc.
20120888	.....	G	Red Ventures, LLC; MasTec, Inc.; Red Ventures, LLC.

06/05/2012

20120823	.....	G	HealthCor Offshore, Ltd.; Allscripts Healthcare Solutions, Inc.; HealthCor Offshore, Ltd.
20120884	.....	G	Picasso Acquisition Holding I, Inc.; TAX L.P.; Picasso Acquisition Holding 1, Inc.
20120895	.....	G	Concho Resources, Inc.; Riverstone/Carlyle Global Energy and Power Fund IV, L.P.; Concho Resources, Inc.

06/06/2012

20120890	.....	G	Blackstone CQP Feeder Fund VI/BEP/BCQPL; Cheniere Energy, Inc.; Blackstone CQP Feeder Fund VI/BEP/BCQPL.
20120891	.....	G	Precision Castparts Corp.; David W. Dickson Family Trust dated October 20, 2009; Precision Castparts Corp.

06/07/2012

20120887	G	Ultra Clean Holdings, Inc.; HLHZ AIT Holdings, L.L.C.; Ultra Clean Holdings, Inc.
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06/08/2012

20120900	G	QUALCOMM Incorporated; Summit Microelectronics, Inc.; QUALCOMM Incorporated.
20120901	.....	G	Graham Partners 111, L.P.; HCO Holding I Corporation; Graham Partners III, L.P.
20120925	.....	G	Deutsche Telekom AG; Leap Wireless International, Inc.; Deutsche Telekom AG.
20120926	.....	G	Leap Wireless International, Inc.; Deutsche Telekom AG; Leap Wireless International, Inc.

06/11/2012

20110971	.....	S	Johnson & Johnson; Synthes, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson.
20120850	.....	G	Abbott Laboratories; Action Pharma A/S; Abbott Laboratories.
20120889	.....	G	Silicon Laboratories Inc.; Ember Corporation; Silicon Laboratories Inc.
20120897	.....	G	UANT Ventures, L.L.P.; Urology Associates of North Texas, L.L.P.; UANT Ventures, L.L.P.
20120919	.....	G	Smart Balance, Inc.; Allan B. Hubbard; Smart Balance, Inc.

06/05/2012

20120886	.....	G	Trim IR Holdco, LLC; Ingersoll-Rand plc; Trim IR Holdco, LLC.
20120908	.....	G	Green Equity Investors V, L.P.; Olympus Growth Fund V, L.P.; Green Equity Investors V, L.P.
20120911	.....	G	Nippon Metal Industry Co., Ltd.; Nisshin Steel Co., Ltd.; Nippon Metal Industry Co., Ltd.
20120912	.....	G	AEA Investors Small Business Fund II LP; David J. Bishop; AEA Investors Small Business Fund II LP.
20120913	.....	G	Porsche Automobil Holding SE; Investindustrial IV L.P.; Porsche Automobil Holding SE.
20120915	.....	G	Sanford; Medcenter One Health Systems; Sanford.
20120917	.....	G	TCV VII, L.P.; ABS Capital Partners V, L.P.; TCV VII, L.P.
20120922	.....	G	Teledyne Technologies, Inc.; LeCroy Corporation; Teledyne Technologies, Inc.
20120929	.....	G	New Enterprise Associates 10, L.P.; Bloom Energy Corporation; New Enterprise Associates 10, L.P.
20120933	.....	Y	LIN TV Corp.; New Vision Television, LLC; LIN TV Corp.
20120942	.....	G	AG Private Equity Partners IV, L.P.; Benihana Inc.; AG Private Equity Partners IV, L.P.

06/13/2012

20120207	.....	G	The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc.; S&P/Dow Jones Indices LLC; The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc.
20120902	.....	G	Delphi Automotive PLC; Bain Capital Fund VIII, L.P.; Delphi Automotive PLC.

06/15/2012

20120787	.....	G	Suburban Propane Partners, L.P.; Inergy, L.P.; Suburban Propane Partners, L.P.
20120932	.....	G	Mr. Jianlin Wang; AMC Entertainment Holdings, Inc.; Mr. Jianlin Wang.
20120934	G	Starbucks Corporation; The Julie Lepinard Alpha Trust; Starbucks Corporation.
20120936	G	Monsanto Company; Gregg A. Sander; Monsanto Company.

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20120937	G	TPG Partners VI, L.P.; Savers, Inc. TPG Partners VI, L.P.
20120939	G	Bain Capital Fund X, L.P.; Vestar Capital Partners III, L.P.; Bain Capital Fund X, L.P.
20120943	G	Nordson Corporation; Industrial Growth Partners III, L.P.; Nordson Corporation.
20120944	G	Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc.; Water Street Healthcare Partners II, L.P.; Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc.
20120949	G	GS Capital Partners VI Fund L.P.; William C. Young; GS Capital Partners VI Fund L.P.
20120950	G	DCP Midstream Partners, LP; Phillips 66; DCP Midstream Partners, LP.
20120951	G	DCP Midstream Partners, LP; Spectra Energy Corp.; DCP Midstream Partners, LP.
20120954	G	WellPoint, Inc.; Fenway Partners Capital Fund III, L.P.; WellPoint, Inc.
20120958	G	Sun Capital Partners V, L.P.; GMHC, LLC; Sun Capital Partners V, L.P.
20120967	G	Serge Godin; Logica PLC; Serge Godin.
20120968	G	Warburg Pincus Private Equity XI, L.P.; M. Brooks Smith; Warburg Pincus Private Equity XI, L.P.

06/18/2012

20120904	G	Oracle Corporation; Vitruve, Inc.; Oracle Corporation.
20120918	G	NYSE Euronext; Alexander F. Brigham; NYSE Euronext.
20120930	G	Blackstone Capital Partners V L.P.; Alex Lee, Inc.; Blackstone Capital Partners V L.P.
20120938	G	Wells Fargo & Company; MobileIron, Inc.; Wells Fargo & Company.
20120948	G	Stefan Kaluzny; The Talbots, Inc.; Stefan Kaluzny.

06/19/2012

20120971	G	Marriott International, Inc.; Gaylord Entertainment Company; Marriott International, Inc.
20120972	G	Roark Capital Partners II, LP; KLH Capital, L.P.; Roark Capital Partners II, LP.

06/20/2012

20120940	G	MHR Institutional Partners III LP; Navistar International Corporation; MHR Institutional Partners III LP.
20120956	G	Berkshire Hathaway Inc.; Meyn Holding B.V.; Berkshire Hathaway Inc.
20120960	G	Oak Hill Capital Partners III, L.P.; Sandler Capital Partners V, L.P.; Oak Hill Capital Partners III, L.P.
20120962	G	Isabelle Holding Company Inc.; Interline Brands, Inc.; Isabelle Holding Company Inc.

06/21/2012

20120898	G	Valline S.r.l.; EKR Holdings, Inc.; Valline S.r.l.
20120941	G	Cameco Corporation; Advent Voltage (Cayman) Limited; Cameco Corporation.
20120985	G	Behrman Capital PEP L.P.; Behrman Capital III L.P.; Behrman Capital PEP L.P.

06/22/2012

20120965	G	Thomas H. Lee Equity Fund VI, L.P.; GP Capital Partners III, L.P.; Thomas H. Lee Equity Fund VI, L.P.
20120973	G	Lipizzaner, Inc.; Ariat International, Inc.; Lipizzaner, Inc.
20120976	G	Thomas H. Lee Equity Fund VI, L.P.; Party City Holdings Inc.; Thomas H. Lee Equity Fund VI, L.P.
20120977	G	Flowers Foods, Inc.; Albert R. Lepage; Flowers Foods, Inc.
20120978	G	Flowers Foods, Inc.; Andrew P. Barowsky; Flowers Foods, Inc.
20120987	G	GENI VAR Inc.; WSP Group plc; GENIVAR Inc.
20120988	G	Snow Phipps II, L.P.; Sentinel Capital Partners III, L.P.; Snow Phipps II, L.P.
20120991	G	H.I.G. Bayside Debt & LBO Fund II, L.P.; Arctic Glacier Income Fund; H.I.G. Bayside Debt & LBO Fund II, L.P.
20120994	G	Odyssey Investment Partners Fund IV, LP; Saw Mill Capital Partners, L.P.; Odyssey Investment Partners Fund IV, LP.
20120997	G	Acosta Holdco, Inc.; Mosaic Parent Holdings, Inc.; Acosta Holdco, Inc.

06/25/2012

20120896	G	General Cable Corporation; Rio Tinto plc; General Cable Corporation.
20120928	G	MultiCare Health System; Allen B. Miller; MultiCare Health System.
20120959	G	Maple Group Acquisition Corporation; TMX Group Inc.; Maple Group Acquisition Corporation.
20120966	G	John F. Mariani, Jr.; Gary B. Heck; John F. Mariani, Jr.
20120984	G	Harry F. Mariani; Gary B. Heck; Harry F. Mariani.
20120986	G	HDS Investment Holding, Inc.; Roark Capital Partners II, LP; HDS Investment Holding, Inc.
20120999	G	RoundTable Healthcare Partners III, L.P.; Deerfield Private Design Fund II, L.P.; RoundTable Healthcare Partners III, L.P.
20121003	G	KKR 2006 Fund, L.P.; Sonos, Inc.; KKR 2006 Fund, L.P.
20121009	G	Windjammer Senior Equity Fund III, L.P.; Riverside Capital Appreciation Fund V, L.P.; Windjammer Senior Equity Fund III, L.P.
20121010	G	Chesapeake Energy Corporation; Sundrop Fuels, Inc.; Chesapeake Energy Corporation.

06/26/2012

20120927	G	Pearson plc; GlobalEnglish Corporation; Pearson plc.
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06/27/2012

20120995	G	General Dynamics Corporation; Jerrold L. Miller; General Dynamics Corporation.
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06/29/2012

20120974	G	Verizon Communications Inc.; Apollo Investment Fund V, L.P.; Verizon Communications Inc.
20121000	G	The Resolute Fund 11 Maritime Partnership, L.P.; Bollinger Shipyards, Inc.; The Resolute Fund II Maritime Partnership, L.P.
20121006	G	Brentwood Associates Private Equity IV, L.P.; ACI Capital America Fund, L.P.; Brentwood Associates Private Equity IV, L.P.
20121008	G	Permira IV Continuing L.P.2; Intelligrated, Inc.; Permira IV Continuing L.P.2.
20121014	G	Holly Energy Partners, L.P.; HollyFrontier Corporation; Holly Energy Partners, L.P.
20121015	G	Francisco Partners III, L.P.; Cross Match Technologies, Inc.; Francisco Partners III, L.P.
20121018	G	Wesco International, Inc.; Caxton-Iseman (Conney), L.P.; Wesco International, Inc.
20121019	G	salesforce.com, inc.; Buddy Media, Inc.; salesforce.com, inc.
20121020	G	ORG Chemical Holdings, LLC; McFerrin Dynasty Trust; ORG Chemical Holdings, LLC.
20121023	G	EQT VI (No.1) Limited Partnership; BSN medical Luxembourg Holding S.a.r.l.; EQT VI (No. 1) Limited Partnership.
20121025	G	WPP plc; General Atlantic Partners 83, LP; WPP plc.
20121031	G	Paul G. Desmarais; IntegraMed America, Inc.; Paul G. Desmarais.
20121034	G	Calumet Specialty Products Partners, L.P.; Royal Purple, Inc.; Calumet Specialty Products Partners, L.P.
20121037	G	J.H. Whitney VII, L.P.; Beecken Petty O'Keefe QP Fund II, L.P.; J.H. Whitney VII, L.P.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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or

Theresa Kingsberry, Legal Assistant.
Federal Trade Commission, Premerger
Notification Office, Bureau of
Competition, Room H-303,
Washington, DC 20580, (202) 326-
3100.

By direction of the Commission.

Richard C. Donohue,

Acting Secretary.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

[File No. 121 0144]

**Novartis AG; Analysis of Agreement
Containing Consent Orders to Aid
Public Comment**

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Proposed consent agreement.

SUMMARY: The consent agreement in this matter settles alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair or deceptive acts or practices or unfair methods of competition. The attached Analysis to Aid Public Comment describes both the allegations in the draft complaint and the terms of the consent order—embodied in the consent agreement—that would settle these allegations.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before August 16, 2012.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties may file a comment online or on paper, by following the instructions in the Request for Comment part of the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section below. Write “Novartis Fougara, File No. 121 0144” on your comment, and

file your comment online at <https://ftcpublic.commentworks.com/ftc/novartisfougara>, by following the instructions on the Web-based form. If you prefer to file your comment on paper, mail or deliver your comment to the following address: Federal Trade Commission, Office of the Secretary, Room H-113 (Annex D), 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20580.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Christine Tasso (202-326-2232), FTC, Bureau of Competition, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20580.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 6(f) of the Federal Trade Commission Act, 38 Stat. 721, 15 U.S.C. 46(f), and 2.34 the Commission Rules of Practice, 16 CFR 2.34, notice is hereby given that the above-captioned consent agreement containing a consent order to cease and desist, having been filed with and accepted, subject to final approval, by the Commission, has been placed on the public record for a period of thirty (30) days. The following Analysis to Aid Public Comment describes the terms of the consent agreement, and the allegations in the complaint. An electronic copy of the full text of the consent agreement package can be obtained from the FTC Home Page (for July 16, 2012), on the World Wide Web, at <http://www.ftc.gov/os/actions.shtm>. A paper copy can be obtained from the FTC Public Reference Room, Room 130-H, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20580, either in person or by calling (202) 326-2222.

You can file a comment online or on paper. For the Commission to consider your comment, we must receive it on or before August 16, 2012. Write “Novartis Fougara, File No. 121 0144” on your comment. Your comment B including

your name and your state B will be placed on the public record of this proceeding, including, to the extent practicable, on the public Commission Web site, at <http://www.ftc.gov/os/publiccomments.shtm>. As a matter of discretion, the Commission tries to remove individuals' home contact information from comments before placing them on the Commission Web site.

Because your comment will be made public, you are solely responsible for making sure that your comment does not include any sensitive personal information, like anyone's Social Security number, date of birth, driver's license number or other state identification number or foreign country equivalent, passport number, financial account number, or credit or debit card number. You are also solely responsible for making sure that your comment does not include any sensitive health information, like medical records or other individually identifiable health information. In addition, do not include any “[t]rade secret or any commercial or financial information which is obtained from any person and which is privileged or confidential,” as provided in Section 6(f) of the FTC Act, 15 U.S.C. 46(f), and FTC Rule 4.10(a)(2), 16 CFR 4.10(a)(2). In particular, do not include competitively sensitive information such as costs, sales statistics, inventories, formulas, patterns, devices, manufacturing processes, or customer names.

If you want the Commission to give your comment confidential treatment, you must file it in paper form, with a request for confidential treatment, and you have to follow the procedure explained in FTC Rule 4.9(c), 16 CFR