

in the **Federal Register** an RFI seeking input regarding potential modernization of its sign and advertising rules to reflect that deposit-taking via physical branch, digital, and mobile banking channels continues to evolve since the FDIC last significantly updated its rules in 2006. The FDIC issued the RFI to inform FDIC efforts to align the policy objectives of its rules and keep pace with how today's banks offer deposit products and services and how consumers connect with banks, including through evolving channels. The FDIC also sought input on how to address potential misrepresentations by nonbanks about deposit insurance. In addition, the FDIC requested information about how technological or other solutions could be leveraged to help consumers better distinguish FDIC-insured banks and savings associations from entities that are not insured by the FDIC (nonbanks), particularly across web and digital channels. The RFI stated that the comment period would close on March 19, 2020. The FDIC has received requests to extend the comment period. An extension of the comment period will provide will allow interested parties additional time to analyze the issues and to prepare comments to address the questions posed by the FDIC. Therefore, the FDIC is extending the end of the comment period for the RFI from March 19, 2020, to April 20, 2020.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Dated at Washington, DC, on March 9, 2020.

Annamarie H. Boyd,

Assistant Executive Secretary.

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FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Sunshine Act Meeting

TIME AND DATE: 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 17, 2020.

PLACE: The meeting is open to the public. Out of an abundance of caution related to current and potential coronavirus developments, the public's means to observe this Board meeting will be via a Webcast live on the internet and subsequently made available on-demand approximately one week after the event. Visit <http://fdic.windrosemedia.com> to view the live event. Visit <http://fdic.windrosemedia.com/index.php?category=FDIC+Board+Meetings> after the meeting. If you need any technical assistance, please visit our Video Help

page at: <https://www.fdic.gov/video.html>.

Observers requiring auxiliary aids (e.g., sign language interpretation) for this meeting should call 703-562-2404 (Voice) or 703-649-4354 (Video Phone) to make necessary arrangements.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Pursuant to the provisions of the "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b), notice is hereby given that the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's Board of Directors will meet in open session to consider the following matters:

Summary Agenda

No substantive discussion of the following items is anticipated. These matters will be resolved with a single vote unless a member of the Board of Directors requests that an item be moved to the discussion agenda.

Disposition of Minutes of a Board of Directors' Meeting Previously Distributed.

Summary reports, status reports, reports of actions taken pursuant to authority delegated by the Board of Directors, and report of the Office of Inspector General.

Discussion Agenda

Memorandum and resolution re: Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, Parent Companies of Industrial Banks and Industrial Loan Companies.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Requests for further information concerning the meeting may be directed to Mr. Robert E. Feldman, Executive Secretary of the Corporation, at 202-898-7043.

Dated at Washington, DC, on March 11, 2020.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Annamarie H. Boyd,

Assistant Executive Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Proposed Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request

AGENCY: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

ACTION: Notice, request for comment.

SUMMARY: The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) invites comment on a proposal to extend for three years, without revision, the Compensation and Salary Surveys (FR 29a and FR 29b; OMB No. 7100-0290).

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before May 12, 2020.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by FR 29a and FR 29b, by any of the following methods:

- **Agency Website:** <https://www.federalreserve.gov/>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/foia/proposedregs.aspx>.

- **Email:** regs.comments@federalreserve.gov. Include the OMB number in the subject line of the message.

- **Fax:** (202) 452-3819 or (202) 452-3102.

- **Mail:** Ann E. Misback, Secretary, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 20th Street and Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20551.

All public comments are available from the Board's website at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/foia/proposedregs.aspx> as submitted, unless modified for technical reasons or to remove personally identifiable information at the commenter's request. Accordingly, comments will not be edited to remove any identifying or contact information. Public comments may also be viewed electronically or in paper in Room 146, 1709 New York Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20006, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays. For security reasons, the Board requires that visitors make an appointment to inspect comments. You may do so by calling (202) 452-3684. Upon arrival, visitors will be required to present valid government-issued photo identification and to submit to security screening in order to inspect and photocopy comments.

Additionally, commenters may send a copy of their comments to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Desk Officer—Shagufta Ahmed—Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, 725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20503, or by fax to (202) 395-6974.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: A copy of the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) OMB submission, including the reporting form and instructions, supporting statement, and other documentation will be placed into OMB's public docket files, if approved. These documents will also be made available on the Board's public website at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/reportforms/review.aspx> or may be requested from the agency clearance officer, whose name appears below.

Federal Reserve Board Clearance Officer—Nuha Elmaghrabi—Office of

the Chief Data Officer, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, DC 20551, (202) 452-3829.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On June 15, 1984, OMB delegated to the Board authority under the PRA to approve and assign OMB control numbers to collections of information conducted or sponsored by the Board. In exercising this delegated authority, the Board is directed to take every reasonable step to solicit comment. In determining whether to approve a collection of information, the Board will consider all comments received from the public and other agencies.

Request for Comment on Information Collection Proposal

The Board invites public comment on the following information collection, which is being reviewed under authority delegated by the OMB under the PRA. Comments are invited on the following:

- a. Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the Board's functions, including whether the information has practical utility;
- b. The accuracy of the Board's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- c. Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;
- d. Ways to minimize the burden of information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and
- e. Estimates of capital or startup costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

At the end of the comment period, the comments and recommendations received will be analyzed to determine the extent to which the Board should modify the proposal.

Proposal Under OMB Delegated Authority To Extend for Three Years, Without Revision, the Following Information Collection

Report title: Compensation and Salary Surveys.

Agency form number: FR 29a, FR 29b.

OMB control number: 7100-0290.

Frequency: FR 29a, annually; FR 29b, on occasion.

Respondents: Employers considered competitors of the Board.

Estimated number of respondents: FR 29a, 35; FR 29b, 10.

Estimated average hours per response: FR 29a, 6 hours; FR 29b, 1 hour.

Estimated annual burden hours: FR 29a, 210 hours; FR 29b, 50 hours.

General description of report: The FR 29a and FR 29b collect information on salaries, employee compensation policies, and other employee programs from employers that are considered competitors of the Board. The data from the surveys primarily are used to determine the appropriate salary structure and salary adjustments for Board employees. The Board, along with other Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989 (FIRREA) agencies,¹ conduct the FR 29a survey jointly. The FR 29b is collected by the Board only.

Legal authorization and confidentiality: The FR 29 is authorized by sections 10(4) and 11(1) of the Federal Reserve Act,² which authorizes the Board to determine employees' compensation. Survey submissions are voluntary. The FR 29a survey is conducted by an outside consultant that only submits to the Board a report of aggregate data. Because the Board does not collect or have access to the individual respondent data, no confidentiality issue arises with respect to the individual responses to the FR 29a. Individual responses to the FR 29b may be kept confidential on a case-by-case basis. The Board will consider whether information collected through these surveys may be kept confidential under exemption 4 of the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), which protects privileged or confidential commercial or financial information,³ exemption 6, which protects information "the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy,"⁴ or any other applicable FOIA exemption.

Consultation outside the agency: Willis Towers Watson and the Board work together to review and update the survey instrument.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 10, 2020.

Michele Taylor Fennell,

Assistant Secretary of the Board.

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¹ For purposes of this proposal, the FIRREA agencies consist of the Federal Reserve Board, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the National Credit Union Administration, the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, the Farm Credit Administration, and the Securities and Exchange Commission.

² 12 U.S.C. 244 and 248(l).

³ 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4).

⁴ 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(6).

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, if any, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The applications will also 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)).

Comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors, Ann E. Misback, Secretary of the Board, 20th and Constitution Avenue NW, Washington DC 20551-0001, not later than April 14, 2020.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Kathryn Haney, Assistant Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30309. Comments can also be sent electronically to Applications.Comments@atl.frb.org:

1. *Anchor Bankshares, Inc., Palm Beach Gardens, Florida*; to become a bank holding company by acquiring Anchor Bank, Juno Beach, Florida.
2. *South State Corporation, Columbia, South Carolina*; to merge with CenterState Bank Corporation, and thereby indirectly acquire CenterState Bank, N.A., both of Winter Haven, Florida.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Dennis Denney, Assistant Vice President) 1 Memorial Drive, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *PBT Bancshares, Inc., McPherson, Kansas*; to acquire Community Bank of the Midwest, Great Bend, Kansas.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Sebastian Astrada, Director, Applications) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105-1579:

1. *Golden Valley Bancshares, Inc., Chico, California*; to become a bank holding company by acquiring Golden Valley Bank, Chico, California.