

No. 90-66, RM-7139, RM-7368,
RM-7369)

Number of Petitions Filed: 1

Subject: Reorganization and Revision of
Parts 1, 2, 21 and 94 of the Rules
to Establish a New Part 101
Governing Terrestrial Microwave
Fixed Radio Services. (WT Docket
No. 94-148)

Number of Petitions Filed: 6

Subject: Amendment of Part 95 of the
Commission's Rules to Establish a
Very Short Distance Two-way Voice
Radio Service (WT Docket No. 95-
102, RM-8499)

Number of Petitions Filed: 2

Subject: Amendment to the
Commission's Rules Regarding a
Plan for Sharing the Costs of
Microwave Relocation. (WT Docket
No. 95-157, RM-8643)

Number of Petitions Filed: 9

Subject: Definition of Markets for
Purposes of the Cable Television
Mandatory Television Broadcast
Signal Carriage Rules. (CS Docket
No. 95-178)

Number of Petitions Filed: 2

Subject: Implementation of Section 302
of the Telecommunications Act of
1996 (CS Docket No. 96-46)

Number of Petitions Filed: 19

Federal Communications Commission.

William F. Caton,

Acting Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Security for the Protection of the Public, Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation; Notice of Issuance of Certificate (Performance)

Notice is hereby given that the
following have been issued a Certificate
of Financial Responsibility for
Indemnification of Passengers for
Nonperformance of Transportation
pursuant to the provisions of Section 3,
Public Law 89-777 (46 U.S.C. 817(e))
and the Federal Maritime Commission's
implementing regulations at 46 CFR Part
540, as amended:

Seabourn Cruise Line Limited and Seabourn
Maritime Management A/S, 55 Francisco
Street, San Francisco, California 94133
Vessel: SEABOURN LEGEND

Dated: July 18, 1996.

Joseph C. Polking,

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. Once the application has
been accepted for processing, it 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)). 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,
including whether the acquisition of the
nonbanking company can "reasonably
be expected to produce benefits to the
public, such as greater convenience,
increased competition, or gains in
efficiency, that outweigh possible
adverse effects, such as undue
concentration of resources, decreased or
unfair competition, conflicts of
interests, or unsound banking practices"
(12 U.S.C. 1843). Any request for
a hearing must be accompanied by a
statement of the reasons a written
presentation would not suffice in lieu of
a hearing, identifying specifically any
questions of fact that are in dispute,
summarizing the evidence that would
be presented at a hearing, and indicating
how the party commenting would be
aggrieved by approval of the proposal.
Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking
activities will be conducted throughout
the United States.

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 August 16,
1996.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago
(James A. Bluemle, Vice President) 230
South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois
60690:

1. *First Midwest Financial, Inc.*, Storm
Lake, Iowa; to become a bank holding
company by acquiring 100 percent of
the voting shares of Central West
Bancorporation, Casey, Iowa, and
thereby indirectly acquire Security State
Bank, Stuart, Iowa.

In connection with this application
First Midwest Financial, Inc., also has
applied to acquire First Federal Savings
Bank of the Midwest, Storm Lake, Iowa,
and its subsidiaries, First Services
Financial Limited, Storm Lake, Iowa,
Brookings Service Corporation,
Brookings, South Dakota, and First
Midwest Financial, Inc., Storm Lake,
Iowa, and thereby engage in operating a
savings association, pursuant to §
225.25(b)(9) of the Board's Regulation Y,
in trust activities, pursuant to §
225.25(b)(3) of the Board's Regulation Y,
the sale of credit-related insurance,
pursuant to § 225.25(b)(8)(i) of the
Board's Regulation Y, insurance agency
activities in small towns, pursuant to §
225.25(b)(8)(iii) of the Board's
Regulation Y, in securities brokerage
activities, pursuant to § 225.25(b)(15) of
the Board's Regulation Y, investment
advice, pursuant to § 225.25(b)(4)(iii) of
the Board's Regulation Y, and in making
and servicing loans, pursuant to §
225.25(b)(1) of the Board's Regulation Y.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas
City (John E. Yorke, Senior Vice
President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas
City, Missouri 64198:

1. *DFC Acquisition Corporation Two*,
Kansas City, Missouri; to acquire 58.18
percent of the voting shares of Air
Academy National Bancorp, Colorado
Springs, Colorado, and thereby
indirectly acquire Air Academy
National Bank, Colorado Springs,
Colorado.

2. *FirstBank Holding Company of
Colorado Employee Stock Ownership
Plan*, Lakewood, Colorado; and its
subsidiary FirstBank Holding Company
of Colorado, Lakewood, Colorado, to
acquire 100 percent of the voting shares
of FirstBank of Greeley, Greeley,
Colorado.

3. *Premier Bancorp, Inc.*, Denver,
Colorado; to become a bank holding
company by acquiring 100 percent of
the voting shares of Premier Bank,
Lenexa, Kansas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve
System, July 18, 1996.

Jennifer J. Johnson

Deputy Secretary of the Board

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

The company listed in this notice has 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 that engages either directly or through a subsidiary or other company, in a nonbanking activity that is listed in § 225.25 of Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.25) 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.

The notice is available for inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. Once the notice has been accepted for processing, it will also 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, including whether consummation of the proposal can "reasonably be expected to produce benefits to the public, such as greater convenience, increased competition, or gains in efficiency, that outweigh possible adverse effects, such as undue concentration of resources, decreased or unfair competition, conflicts of interests, or unsound banking practices" (12 U.S.C. 1843). Any request for a hearing on this question must be accompanied by a statement of the reasons a written presentation would not suffice in lieu of a hearing, identifying specifically any questions of fact that are in dispute, summarizing the evidence that would be presented at a hearing, and indicating how the party commenting would be aggrieved by approval of the proposal.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding the application must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than August 7, 1996.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Kenneth R. Binning, Director, Bank Holding Company) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105:

1. *The Tokai Bank, Limited*, Nagoya, Japan; to engage *de novo* through its subsidiary, Tokai Financial Services, Inc., Berwyn, Pennsylvania, in higher-residual-value leasing activities pursuant to § 225.25(b)(5)(ii) of the

Board's Regulation Y. This activity will be conducted worldwide.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, July 18, 1996.

Jennifer J. Johnson

Deputy Secretary of the Board

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Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

TIME AND DATE: 11:00 a.m., Monday, July 29, 1996.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, C Street entrance between 20th and 21st Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20551.

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Proposals relating to Federal Reserve System benefits.
2. Personnel actions (appointments, promotions, assignments, reassignments, and salary actions) involving individual Federal Reserve System employees.
3. Any items carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Mr. Joseph R. Coyne, Assistant to the Board; (202) 452-3204. You may call (202) 452-3207, beginning at approximately 5 p.m. two business days before this meeting, for a recorded announcement of bank and bank holding company applications scheduled for the meeting.

Dated: July 22, 1996.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

Federal Information Resources Management Regulation Abolishment

AGENCY: Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, GSA.

ACTION: Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Federal Information Resources Management Regulation (FIRMR) will be abolished pursuant to the Information Technology Management Reform Act of 1996 (ITMRA) effective August 8, 1996 at 12:00 a.m. (midnight). The abolishment of the FIRMR will give effect to the Information Technology Management Reform Act of 1996 by eliminating GSA's Governmentwide

information technology (IT) regulations at the time ITMRA becomes effective. Of particular concern to agencies involved in an IT acquisition is that portion of the FIRMR setting forth the delegation of procurement authority process. The timing of the FIRMR's abolishment is to ensure that those agencies operating under a Brooks Act delegation of procurement authority are not deprived of acquisition authority before the agencies' independent procurement authority under section 5124 of ITMRA becomes effective on August 8, 1996.

All contracts established under Brooks Act delegations of procurement authority will remain in effect until modified or terminated by an authorized party under ITMRA. All Brooks Act delegations of procurement authority are superseded by agencies' independent procurement authority under ITMRA. Any procurements for Governmentwide Agency Contracts authorized under a specific Brooks Act delegations of procurement authority may proceed to award. All reporting requirements, established in specific Brooks Act delegations of procurement authority are canceled effective August 8, 1996 at 12:00 a.m. (midnight). All conditions and limitations established in specific Brooks Act delegations of procurement authority may be modified or terminated by agencies effective August 8, 1996 at 12:00 a.m. (midnight).

Agencies should note that although the FIRMR will be abolished, agencies are still required to use the FTS2000 program since its use is predicated on a statutory mandate. Public Law 104-52, at section 629, prohibits the expenditures of funds outside the FTS2000 unless there is an exception granted by the Administrator of General Services. Agencies should contact GSA's FTS Service at (703) 285-1020 with any questions concerning the use of FTS2000.

Agencies also are advised that certain portions of the FIRMR may be reissued as part of the Federal Acquisition Regulation and Federal Property Management Regulation. Additional information on this issue will be forthcoming.

Dated: July 16, 1996.

Fred L. Sims,

Deputy Associate Administrator for Information Technology.

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