applications for licenses as ocean freight forwarders pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 (46 U.S.C. app. 1718 and 46 CFR 510).

Persons knowing of any reason why any of the following applicants should not receive a license are requested to contact the Office of Freight Forwarders, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573. S.A.T. Sea & Air Transport Inc., 1200 South 192nd Street, Suite 200, Seattle, WA 98148, Officers: Peter J. Beckett, President, George M. Goodwin, Secretary/Treasurer.

Dated: May 3, 1999.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of Banks or Bank Holding Companies

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 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 May 20, 1999.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Lois Berthaume, Vice President) 104 Marietta Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30303-2713:

1. Lepago Enterprises, Inc., Tampa, Florida, and Constantino Gonzalez, Rosa Gonzales, Anthony F. Gonzalez, and Silvia Martinez, all of Tampa, Florida, as shareholders; to acquire voting shares of Manufacturers Bancshares, Inc., Tampa, Florida (in organization), and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Manufacturers Bank of Florida, Tampa, Florida.

2. Llaneza Enterprises, Inc., Tampa, Florida, and Frank A. Llaneza and Diana Llaneza, all of Tampa, Florida, as shareholders; to acquire voting shares of Manufacturers Bancshares, Inc., Tampa, Florida (in organization), and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of

Manufacturers Bank of Florida, Tampa, Florida.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (D. Michael Manies, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. Edward J. Snyder, Cedar Vale, Kansas and Caroline S. Blakeslee, Boise, Idaho, as Co-Trustees of the M.F. Jarvis Trust, to acquire voting shares of Cornerstone Alliance, Ltd., Winfield, Kansas; and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of First National Bank of Winfield, Winfield, Kansas, and Cornerstone Credit Company, Winfield, Kansas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, April 30, 1999.

Robert deV. Frierson.

Associate Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 99–11313 Filed 5–5–99; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6210–01–F

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 application 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. 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 May 31, 1999.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Lois Berthaume, Vice President) 104

Marietta Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30303-2713:

1. Manufacturers Bancshares, Inc., Tampa, Florida; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Manufacturers Bank of Florida.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (Randall C. Sumner, Vice President) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63102-2034:

1. Delta Bancshares of Louisiana, Inc., Oak Grove, Louisiana; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of West Carroll Community Bank, Oak Grove, Louisiana (in organization).

In connection with this application, Applicant also has applied to merge with Delta Bancshares, Inc., Eudora, Arkansas, and thereby indirectly acquire The Eudora Bank, Eudora, Arkansas.

2. Central Bancompany, Inc., Jefferson City, Missouri; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Mid-Continent Bancshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire Bank of Jacomo, Blue Springs, Missouri.

3. First Premier Financial Corporation, St. Louis, Missouri; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Premier Bancshares, Inc., Jefferson City, Missouri, and thereby indirectly acquire Premier Bank, Jefferson City, Missouri.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (D. Michael Manies, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

I. Bank Capital Corporation, Strasburg, Colorado; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Citizens Holding Corporation, Keensburg, Colorado, and thereby indirectly acquire Citizens State Bank, Keensburg, Colorado.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System,

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 99–11314 Filed 5–5–99; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6210–01–F

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.

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 May 20, 1999.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Maria Villanueva, Manager of Analytical Support, Consumer Regulation Group) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105-1579:

1. Philippine National Bank Metro Manila, The Philippines, and Century Holding Corporation, Beverly Hills, California; to acquire PNB Remittance Centers, Inc., Los Angeles, California, and thereby engage in money remittance activities, as previously approved by Board order; See Philippine Commercial International Bank, 77 Fed. Res. Bull. 270, (1991); Bergen Bank A/S. 76 Fed. Res. Bull. 457 (1990); and Norwest Corporation, 81 Fed. Res. Bull. 974 (1995).

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, April 30, 1999.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 99–11315 Filed 5–5–99; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6210–01–F

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

President's Commission on the Celebration of Women in American History

AGENCY: General Services Administration.

ACTION: Meeting notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the President's Commission on the Celebration of Women in American History will hold an open meeting from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday, May 20, 1999, at the Kennedy Space Center (KSC), Florida, Visitor Complex, Center

for Space Education, Pad-A. The telephone number for the KSC Visitors Center if 407–452–2121. Inquiries may be emailed to www.ksc.nasa.gov..

PURPOSE: To discuss the report to the President, the recommendation related to the "How to Guide", and to solicit input from the community on implementation plans for this and other recommendations for celebrating women in American history.

Under 41 CFR 101–6.1015(b)(2) less than 15 days notice of the meeting is provided due to delays in organizing schedules.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Martha Davis (202) 501–0705, Assistant to the Associate Administrator for Communications, General Services Administration. Also, inquiries may be sent to martha.davis@gsa.gov.

Dated: April 30, 1999.

Beth Newburger,

Associate Administrator for Communications. [FR Doc. 99–11420 Filed 5–5–99; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6820–34–M

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[INFO-99-16]

Proposed Data Collections Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork reduction Act of 1995, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention is providing opportunity for public comment on proposed data collection projects. To request more information on the proposed projects or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, call the CDC Reports Clearance Officer on (404) 639–7090.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques for other forms of information technology. Send comments to Seleda Perryman, CDC Assistant Reports

Clearance Officer, 1600 Clifton Road, MS-D24, Atlanta, GA 30333. Written comments should be received with 60 days of this notice.

Proposed Projects

1. Diffusion of Needle-stick
Prevention Strategies—NEW—National
Institute for Occupational Safety and
Health (NIOSH)—Occupational
exposure to bloodborne pathogens
(including the hepatitis B and C viruses
and the human immunodeficiency
virus) poses a risk to workers in the
health care industry and related
occupations. The primary route of
exposure to bloodborne pathogens is
accidental percutaneous injury by a
needle or similar sharp object.

In 1991 the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) enacted the final Bloodborne Pathogen Standard. Although the OSHA standard has increased compliance and awareness of needle-stick injury prevention strategies, needle-stick injuries are still occurring.

Studies have demonstrated that the use of safer needle-stick prevention devices can reduce the incidence of needle-stick injuries and resulting costs. Little is known however, about how many hospitals have adopted devices such as, safer blood collection needles (SBCN) designed to prevent percutaneous injuries, and the variables that can influence their adoption by hospitals.

This study will conduct a random sample national survey of 960 infection control practitioners to evaluate how widespread the adoption of SBCN and other needle-stick prevention devices is in hospitals; and some of the internal and external environmental variables that can influence their adoption. The survey data may be used to indicate a hospital's readiness to adopt SBCN, to assess the extent of the diffusion of SBCN, and to cluster hospitals according to their stage of adoption for SBCN.

The goal of this study is to (1) inform future NIOSH communication/dissemination strategies to promote safer blood collection and related medical devices in hospitals, (2) inform policy makers about variables that can influence the adoption of safer blood collection devices, and (3) provide data that reveals national trends for the adoption of safer needles-tick prevention devices in hospitals. There cost to the respondents is \$0.00.