

A. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (Randall C. Sumner, Vice President) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63166:

1. *Farmers Bancshares, Inc.*, Hardinsburg, Kentucky; thru its subsidiary, Farmers Bancshares Finance Corp., Inc., Hardinsburg, Kentucky, to acquire the assets and assume the liabilities of Breckinridge Loan, Inc., Hardinsburg, Kentucky, an existing consumer finance company, and thereby engage in consumer finance activities, pursuant to § 225.25(b)(1) of the Board's Regulation Y.

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

1. *Banque Nationale de Paris*, Paris, France, and BancWest Corporation, San Francisco, California; to acquire Northbay Savings Bank, F.S.B., Petaluma, California; and thereby engage in owning, controlling or operating a savings association, pursuant to § 225.25(b)(9) of the Board's Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, January 22, 1996.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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**Patapsco Bancorp, Inc., et al.;
Formations of; Acquisitions by; and
Mergers of Bank Holding Companies**

The companies listed in this notice have applied for the Board's approval under section 3 of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1842) and § 225.14 of the Board's Regulation Y (12

CFR 225.14) to become a bank holding company or to acquire a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the applications are set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

Each application is 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 to the Reserve Bank or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Any comment on an application that requests a hearing must include a statement of why a written presentation would not suffice in lieu of a hearing, identifying specifically any questions of fact that are in dispute and summarizing the evidence that would be presented at a hearing.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received not later than February 20, 1996.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond (Lloyd W. Bostian, Jr., Senior Vice President) 701 East Byrd Street, Richmond, Virginia 23261:

1. *Patapsco Bancorp, Inc.*, Dundalk, Maryland; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of The Patapsco Bank, Dundalk, Maryland. The Patapsco Bank is the proposed successor by charter conversion of Patapsco Federal Savings and Loan Association.

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

1. *NBE Bancshares, Inc.*, Earlville, Illinois; to acquire 100 percent of the

voting shares of Pinnacle Bancshares, Incorporated, Paw Paw, Illinois, and thereby indirectly acquire State Bank of Paw Paw, Illinois, Paw Paw, Illinois.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (Genie D. Short, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *West Texas Bancshares, Inc.*, Kermit, Texas; to merge with Monahans Bancshares, Inc., Monahans, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire First State Bank, Monahans, Texas.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
HUMAN SERVICES**

**Administration for Children and
Families**

**Proposed Information Collection
Activity; Comment Request**

Proposed Project(s)

Title: Report on Claims of Good Cause for Refusing to Cooperate in Establishing Paternity and Security Child support.

OMB No.: 0970-0073.

Description: This report enables the Secretary, of HHS to comply with section 452(a)(10) of the Social Security Act which requires the Secretary to provide an annual report to Congress on the Child Support Enforcement program.

Respondents: State governments

ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours
ACF-4680	54	2	8	432

**Estimated Total Annual Burden
Hours: 432.**

In compliance with the requirements of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Administration for Children and Families is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described below. Copies of the proposed collection of information can be obtained and comments may be forwarded by writing to The Administration for Children and

Families, Office of Information Services, Division of Information Resource Management Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20447, Atten: ACF Reports Clearance Officer. All requests should be identified by title. Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file without special characters or encryption.

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 or other forms of information technology. Consideration will be given

to comments and suggestions submitted within 60 days of this publication.

Dated: January 22, 1996.

Roberta Katson,

Director, Division of Information, Resource Management Services.

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Proposed Information Collection Activity; Comment Request

Proposed Project(s)

Title: Welfare Reform Demonstration: Special Application Form.

OMB No.: 0970-0134.

Description: The form will be used by State welfare agencies to apply for federal waivers for certain welfare reform demonstrations under section

115(a) of the Social Security Act. Requests for waivers of federal law for demonstration projects falling within any of 5 broad policy areas outlined by the President in his 7/31/95 speech to the National Governors' association and submitted with the information requested on this form will be approved by the federal government within 30 days of receipt of the request.

Respondents: State governments

ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours
Special Form	54	1	0.75	40.5.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 40.5

In compliance with the requirements of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Administration for Children and Families is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described below. Copies of the proposed collection of information can be obtained and comments may be forwarded by writing to The Administration for Children and Families, Office of Information Services, Division of Information Resource Management Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer. All requests should be identified by title. Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file without special characters or encryption.

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Dated: January 22, 1996.

Roberta Katson,

Director, Division of Information, Resource Management Services.

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Proposed Information Collection Activity; Comment Request

Proposed Project(s)

Title: Statistical Report on Recipients Under Public Assistance.

OMB No.: 0970-0003.

Description: This report is basic to the proper administration and monitoring of the AFDC program. It provides quarterly information on applications, disposition of applications and reasons for discontinuances. The information is aggregated, analyzed and published in "Quarterly Public Assistance Statistics" by the Office of Family Assistance.

Respondents: State governments.

ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours
AFC-3800	54	4	4	864

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 864.

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