

Act, P.L. 93-288, as amended ("the Stafford Act"). I, therefore, declare that such a major disaster exists in the State of Washington.

In order to provide Federal assistance, you are hereby authorized to allocate from funds available for these purposes, such amounts as you find necessary for Federal disaster assistance and administrative expenses.

You are authorized to provide Public Assistance and Hazard Mitigation in the designated areas. Consistent with the requirement that Federal assistance be supplemental, any Federal funds provided under the Stafford Act for Public Assistance or Hazard Mitigation will be limited to 75 percent of the total eligible costs.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the authority vested in the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency under Executive Order 12148, I hereby appoint Mark R. Ekman of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to act as the Federal Coordinating Officer for this declared disaster.

I do hereby determine the following areas of the State of Washington to have been affected adversely by this declared major disaster:

Ferry and Stevens Counties for Public Assistance.

All counties within the State of Washington are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

(The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program)

**James L. Witt,**

*Director.*

[FR Doc. 98-29423 Filed 11-2-98; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6718-02-P

## FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1255-DR]

### Washington; Major Disaster and Related Determinations

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This is a notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for the State of Washington (FEMA-1255-DR), dated October 16, 1998, and related determinations.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 16, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Madge Dale, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3260.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that, in a letter dated October 16, 1998, the President declared a major disaster under the authority of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*), as follows:

I have determined that the damage in certain areas of the State of Washington, resulting from a landslide in the City of Kelso (Cowlitz County), specifically the Aldercrest-Banyon subdivision, on March 6, 1998, and continuing is of sufficient severity and magnitude to warrant a major disaster declaration under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, P.L. 93-288, as amended ("the Stafford Act"). I, therefore, declare that such a major disaster exists in the State of Washington.

In order to provide Federal assistance, you are hereby authorized to allocate from funds available for these purposes, such amounts as you find necessary for Federal disaster assistance and administrative expenses.

You are authorized to provide Individual Assistance, Public Assistance, and Hazard Mitigation in the designated areas. Consistent with the requirement that Federal assistance be supplemental, any Federal funds provided under the Stafford Act for Public Assistance or Hazard Mitigation will be limited to 75 percent of the total eligible costs.

The time period prescribed for the implementation of section 310(a), Priority to Certain Applications for Public Facility and Public Housing Assistance, 42 U.S.C. 5153, shall be for a period not to exceed six months after the date of this declaration.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the authority vested in the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency under Executive Order 12148, I hereby appoint Nellie Ann Mills of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to act as the Federal Coordinating Officer for this declared disaster.

I do hereby determine the following areas of the State of Washington to have been affected adversely by this declared major disaster:

City of Kelso (Cowlitz County), specifically the Aldercrest-Banyon subdivision for Individual Assistance and Public Assistance.

All counties within the State of Washington are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

(The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment

Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.)

**James L. Witt,**

*Director.*

[FR Doc. 98-29427 Filed 11-2-98; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6718-02-P

## FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE BOARD

### Sunshine Act Meeting

**FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS NOTICE:** 63 FR 57125, October 26, 1998.

**PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF THE MEETING:** 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, October 28, 1998.

**CHANGE IN THE MEETING:** The following topic was moved from the open portion to the closed portion of the meeting:

- Supervisory Determination—Tahquitz Court

The above matter was moved to the closed portion of the meeting, pursuant to section 906.5(b) of the Finance Board regulations and exempt under section 552b(c)(8) of title 5 of the United States Code.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Elaine L. Baker, Secretary to the Board, (202) 408-2837.

**William W. Ginsberg,**

*Managing Director.*

[FR Doc. 98-29542 Filed 10-30-98; 3:25 pm]

BILLING CODE 6725-01-U

## FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

### Ocean Freight Forwarder License Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission 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 part 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.

Horizon International Co., 1310 E.

Ocean Blvd., #603, Long Beach, CA 90802, Benjamin N.K. Ho, Sole Proprietor

Boston Logistics, Inc., 186 Lee Burbank Highway, Revere, MA 02151, Officers: Edward S. Kaplan, President; Glenn J. Calvino, Vice President

ISCO 1 (International Service Company 1), 7322 Onyx Street, New Orleans,

LA 70124, Officer: Patricia S. McKinnon, President

Dated: October 29, 1998.

**Joseph C. Polking,**

*Secretary.*

[FR Doc. 98-29399 Filed 11-2-98; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6730-01-M

## 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 November 17, 1998.

**A. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis** (JoAnne F. Lewellen, Assistant Vice President) 90 Hennepin Avenue, P.O. Box 291, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. *Michael P. Finbraaten, Connie S. Hoff, and Curtis R. Sheely*, all of Adams, Minnesota; to acquire voting shares of Adams Bancshares, Inc., Adams, Minnesota, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Farmers State Bank of Adams, Adams, Minnesota.

**B. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas** (W. Arthur Tribble, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *Knox Company FBO Harry Newlon, Individual IRA Account*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Knox Company FBO Nancy Newlon, Individual IRA Account*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Ronald K. Humphreys*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Knox Company FBO Ronald K. Humphreys, Individual IRA, Account*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Knox Company FBO W. Everett Crawford, Individual IRA, Account*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Knox Company FBO Belen Herrera, Individual IRA Account*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Knox Company FBO Sylvian Gillespie, Individual IRA Account*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Kenneth B. and Sharon E. Berry*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Susan K.*

and *George E. Holmes*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Greg and Elizabeth Marrs, Hobbs*, New Mexico; *George M. and Marie E. Casabonne, Hope*, New Mexico; *Mike G. and Dewanna Casabonne, Hope*, New Mexico; *H. Crawford and M. Kay Culp, Hobbs*, New Mexico; *Russell Edward Guy*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Raye P. and Mary K. Miller*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Tom and Mary Jo Vandiver*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Brooks Holladay Trust B, Hobbs*, New Mexico; *Gilbert Gomez, Hagerman*, New Mexico; *Paul or Roetta Hudson*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Myco Industries, Inc.*, Artesia, New Mexico; *William and Marilyn Mershon*, Mayhill, New Mexico; *James A. Ellett, Hope*, New Mexico; *The First National Bank of Artesia as Trustee for the J.B. and Bereneice Runyan Trust, Bereneice Runyan, Trustee and Susan Holmes, Trustee*, Artesia, New Mexico; *Jackolin Runyan Jordan*, Carlsbad, New Mexico; *Clyde Guy Estate, Mary Jo Guy, Personal Representative*, Artesia, New Mexico; and *GenCon Corporation Profit Sharing Plan and Trust FBO Michael P. Clute, Mesilla*, New Mexico; all to retain voting shares of *First Artesia Bancshares, Inc.*, Artesia, New Mexico, and thereby indirectly acquire *The First National Bank of Artesia*, Artesia, New Mexico.

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

1. *Franklin Mutual Series Fund, Inc.*, Short Hills, New Jersey ("the Fund"); to acquire additional voting shares of *Western Bancorp*, Newport Beach, California, and thereby indirectly acquire additional voting shares of *Santa Monica Bank*, Santa Monica, California, and *Southern California Bank*, Newport Beach, California. Subsidiaries of *Franklin Resources, Inc.*, San Mateo, California, including *Franklin Mutual Advisers, Inc.*, *Franklin Templeton Services, Inc.*, and *Franklin/Templeton Distributors, Inc.*, serve as investment adviser, administrator, and principal underwriter/distributor for the Fund, and provide additional services to the Fund.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, October 28, 1998.

**Robert deV. Frierson,**

*Associate Secretary of the Board.*

[FR Doc. 98-29324 Filed 11-2-98; 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 November 27, 1998.

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

1. *SUM Financial Corporation*, Pearson, Georgia; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of *The Citizens Exchange Bank*, Pearson, Georgia.

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

1. *Warren County Bancshares, Inc.* Warrenton, Missouri; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of the *Central Missouri Bancshares, Inc.*, Sedalia, Missouri, and thereby indirectly acquire *Central Bank of Missouri*, Sedalia, Missouri.

**C. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis** (JoAnne F. Lewellen, Assistant Vice President) 90 Hennepin Avenue, P.O. Box 291, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291: