of 40 percent, of the voting shares of Wilburton State Bancshares, Inc., Wilburton, Oklahoma, and thereby indirectly acquire Wilburton State Bank, Wilburton, Oklahoma.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, May 6, 1996.
Jennifer J. Johnson,
Deputy Secretary of the Board.
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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 June 4, 1996.

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

1. Carroll County Bancshares, Inc., Carroll, Iowa; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Nevada Community Bancsahres, Inc., Nevada, Iowa, and thereby indirectly acquire Community Bank, Nevada, Iowa (in organization).

In connection with this application, Nevada Community Bancshares, Inc., Nevada, Iowa, has applied to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Community Bank, Nevada, Iowa (in organization).

2. UnionBancorp, Inc., Streator, Illinois; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Prairie Bancorp, Inc., Princeton, Illinois, and thereby indirectly acquire Farmers State Bank of Ferris, Ferris, Illinois; Hanover State Bank, Hanover, Illinois; Bank of Ladd, Ladd, Illinois; First National Bank of Manlius, Manlius, Illinois; Tampico National Bank, Tampico, Illinois; Tiskilwa State Bank, Tiskilwa, Illinois; and and Country Bancshares, Inc., Hull, Illinois, and thereby indirectly acquire Omni Bank, Macomb, Illinois.

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

1. State National Bancshares, Inc., Lubbock, Texas, and State National Bancshares of Delaware, Dover, Delaware; to become bank holding companies by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of State National Bancshares of Delaware, Dover, Delaware, and State National Bank of West Texas, Lubbock, Texas, a de novo bank.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, May 6, 1996. Jennifer J. Johnson, Deputy Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 96–11718 Filed 5–9–96; 8:45 am]

MTB Bank; De Novo Corporation to do Business Under Section 25A of the Federal Reserve Act

An application has been submitted for the Board's approval of the organization of a corporation to do business under Section 25A of the Federal Reserve Act (Edge Corporation) 12 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq*. The Edge Corporation will operate as a subsidiary of the applicant, MTB Bank, New York, New York. The factors that are to be considered in acting on the application are set forth in the Board's Regulation K (12 CFR 211.4).

The application may be inspected at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York or at 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, identify specifically any questions of fact that are in dispute, and summarize the evidence that would be presented at a hearing.

Comments regarding the application must be received by the Reserve Bank indicated or at the offices of the Board of Governors no later than June 7, 1996.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of New York (Christopher J. McCurdy, Senior Vice President) 33 Liberty Street, New York, New York 10045:

1. MTB Bank, New York, New York; to establish MTB International Investment Corporation, New York, New York, a de novo Edge Corporation pursuant to Section 25A of the Federal Reserve Act.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, May 6, 1996.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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Government in the Sunshine; Meeting Notice

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

TIME AND DATE: 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 15, 1996.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, C Street entrance between 20th and 2lst Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20551.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Summary Agenda: Because of their routine nature, no discussion of the following items is anticipated. These matters will be voted on without discussion unless a member of the Board requests that an item be moved to the discussion agenda.

1. Publication for comment of proposed amendments to the Federal Reserve Board's risk-based capital guidelines concerning treatment of collateral transactions.

2. Publication for comment of proposed technical and clarifying amendments to Regulation CC (Availability of Funds and Collection of Checks).

- 3. Publication for comment of proposed amendments to Regulation Z (Truth in Lending) concerning lenders' liability for disclosure errors in real estate-secured loans and new disclosure rules for debt cancellation contracts.
- 4. Any items carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

Discussion Agenda: Please note that no discussion items are scheduled for this meeting.

Note: If an item is moved from the Summary Agenda to the Discussion Agenda, discussion of the item will be recorded. Cassettes will then be available for listening in the Board's Freedom of Information Office, and copies can be ordered for \$5 per cassette by calling (202) 452–3684 or by writing to: Freedom of Information Office, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Mr. Joseph R. Coyne, Assistant to the Board; (202) 452–3204.

Dated: May 8, 1996. Jennifer J. Johnson, *Deputy Secretary of the Board*. [FR Doc. 96–11869 Filed 5–8–96; 12:28 pm]

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Government in the Sunshine; Meeting Notice

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

TIME AND DATE: Approximately 10:15 a.m., Wednesday, May 15, 1996, following a recess at the conclusion of the open meeting.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, C Street entrance between 20th and 2lst Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20551.

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

- 1. Personnel actions (appointments, promotions, assignments, reassignments, and salary actions) involving individual Federal Reserve System employees.
- 2. 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: May 8, 1996.
Jennifer J. Johnson,
Deputy Secretary of the Board.
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority

Under the authority of Section 6 of Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1953 and Section 2 of Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1966, and pursuant to the authorities vested in me as Secretary of Health and Human Services, I hereby make the following changes within the Department of Health and Human Services that affects the U.S. Public Health Service. This Notice amends Part A, Office of the Secretary, Chapter AC, Office of Public Health and Science, as last amended at 60 FR 56605-06. The change is to include the Regional Health Administrator (Regions I–X) and associated staff as part of the Public Health Service. The change follows: Delete paragraph "VI. Continuation of

Delete paragraph "VI. Continuation of the Public Health Service," in its entirety and replace with the following:

VI. Continuation of the Public Health Service. The newly established Operating Divisions, the Office of Public Health and Science, and the Regional Health Administrator (Regions I–X) and associated staff shall constitute the Public Health Service.

Dated: April 30, 1996.

Donna E. Shalala,

Secretary.

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Announcement Number 617]

National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; Occupational Radiation and Energy-Related Health Research Grants; Notice of Availability of Funds for Fiscal Year 1996

Introduction

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), announces that applications are being accepted for research projects relating to occupational safety and health concerns associated with occupational exposures to radiation and other hazardous agents at nuclear

facilities and in other energy-related industries. Studies in the nuclear power industry and deliberate exposure of human subjects in radiation experiments are outside the scope of this announcement.

CDC is committed to achieving the health promotion and disease prevention objectives of "Healthy People 2000," a national activity to reduce morbidity and mortality and improve the quality of life. This announcement is related to the priority area of Occupational Safety and Health. (For ordering a copy of "Healthy People 2000," see the section "Where to Obtain Additional Information.")

Authority

This program is authorized under the Public Health Service Act, as amended, Section 301(a) (42 U.S.C. 241(a)); the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, Section 20 (a) (29 U.S.C. 669(a)). The applicable program regulations include 42 CFR Parts 52 and 74.

Eligible Applicants

Eligible applicants include domestic and foreign non-profit and for-profit organizations, universities, colleges, research institutions, and other public and private organizations, including State and local governments and small, minority and/or woman-owned businesses.

Smoke-Free Workplace

CDC strongly encourages all grant recipients to provide a smoke-free workplace and promote the nonuse of all tobacco products, and Public Law 103–227, the Pro-Children Act of 1994, prohibits smoking in certain facilities that receive Federal funds in which education, library, day care, health care, and early childhood development services are provided to children.

Availability of Funds

Approximately \$500,000 is available in fiscal year (FY) 1996 to fund approximately 3 to 5 research project grants. The amount of funding available may vary and is subject to change. Awards will range from \$25,000 to \$200,000 in total costs (direct and indirect) per year. Awards are expected to begin on or about September 1, 1996. Awards will be made for a 12-month budget period within a project period not to exceed 3 years. Continuation awards within the project period will be made on the basis of satisfactory progress and availability of funds.

Purpose

NIOSH will support hypothesistesting research projects to identify and