FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Ocean Transportation Intermediary License Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission an application for license as a Non-Vessel Operating Common Carrier and Ocean Freight Forwarder—Ocean Transportation Intermediary pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 as amended (46 U.S.C. app. 1718 and 46 CFR part 515).

Persons knowing of any reason why the following applicants should not receive a license are requested to contact the Office of Transportation Intermediaries, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573.

- Non-Vessel Operating Common Carrier Ocean Transportation Intermediary Applicants:
 - Alton Container, Inc., 3020 Old Ranch Parkway, Suite 300, Seal Beach, CA 90740. Officers: Sam Yong Ryu, Vice President (Qualifying Individual), Eunice H. Kim, CEO.
 - Kingsmart Express Container, Inc., 219 S. Chandler Avenue, #E, Monterey Park, CA 91754. Officers: Zheng (Robert) Wang, Secretary (Qualifying Individual), Wan-Lan Zhang, CFO.
 - Amerikan Fracht Inc. 368 Sycamore Grove Street, Simi Valley, CA 93065. Officers: Alice Lin, Corporate Secretary (Qualifying Individual), Lan Ju, Director.
 - Concordia Shipping Line Inc., 168 SE 1st Street, Miami, FL 33131. Officer: Vernon St. Anthony Scott, President (Qualifying Individual).
 - Fargo Transportation Service, 9660 Flair Drive, Suite 226, El Monte, CA 91731. Officers: Lucia Y. Babb, Corporate Secretary (Qualifying Individual).
 - Logistics Pan-America Corp., 130–27 59th Avenue, 2nd FL, Flushing, NY 11355. Officers: Yachuan Gu, President (Qualifying Individual), Tian Shen, Vice President.
 - Port Asia-USA Cargo Management LLC, 1231 East 230th Street, Carson, CA 90745. Officer: Jesus C. Domingo, President (Qualifying Individual).
- Non-Vessel Operating Common Carrier and Ocean Freight Forwarder Transportation Intermediary Applicant:
 - Ship Smart, Inc., 640 Dowd Avenue, Elizabeth, NJ 07201. Officers: Mark Smolec, Owner (Qualifying Individual), Bogdan Sokolowski, President.

- Ocean Freight Forwarder—Ocean Transportation Intermediary Applicants:
 - Auto City Center Inc., 15846 W Warren Avenue, Detroit, MI 48228. Officers: Nachaat Mazeh, Manager (Qualifying Individual), Ghassan H. Tarraf, President.
 - Capital Exports, Inc., 21164 Twinridge Square, Sterling, VA 20164. Officer: Said Masrour, President (Qualifying Individual).

Dated: March 5, 2004.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,

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. 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 (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

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 April 5, 2004.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Sue Costello, Vice President) 1000 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30303: 1. BankEast Corporation, Knoxville, Tennessee; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of The Citizens Bank of Gainesboro, Gainesboro, Tennessee.

2. Farmers Bancorp, Inc., Lynchburg, Tennessee; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of The Farmers Bank of Lynchburg, Lynchburg, Tennessee.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago (Patrick M. Wilder, Managing Examiner) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1414:

1. Heartland Financial USA, Inc., Dubuque, Iowa; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Rocky Mountain Bancorporation, Inc., Billings, Montana, and thereby indirectly acquire Rocky Mountain Bank, Billings, Montana.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (Randall C. Sumner, Vice President) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63166-2034:

1. FSB Bancshares, Inc., Henderson, Tennessee; to acquire 35 percent of the voting shares of Merchants and Planters Bancshares, Inc., Toone, Tennessee, and thereby indirectly acquire Merchants and Planters Bank, Toone, Tennessee.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 4, 2004.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 04–5307 Filed 3–9–04; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6210–01–S

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Sunshine Act Meeting

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

TIME AND DATE: 12:00 p.m., Monday, March 15, 2004.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, 20th and C 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.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michelle A. Smith, Director, Office of Board Members; 202–452–2955. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: You may call 202–452–3206 beginning at approximately 5 p.m. two business days before the meeting for a recorded announcement of bank and bank holding company applications