

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. 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 the applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than April 16, 2001.

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

1. *Jefferson County Bancshares, Inc.*, Festus, Missouri; to acquire Perry County Financial Corporation, Perryville, Missouri, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Perry County Savings Bank, FSB, Perryville, Missouri, and thereby engage in operating a savings association, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(4)(ii) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 16, 2001.

Robert deV. Frierson

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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A. Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland (Paul Kaboth, Banking Supervision) 1455 East Sixth Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44101-2566:

1. *Charter One Financial, Inc.*, Cleveland, Ohio; to acquire Alliance Bancorp, Hinsdale, Illinois, and thereby indirectly acquire Liberty Federal Bank, Hinsdale, Illinois, and thereby engage in permissible savings association activities, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(4)(ii) of Regulation Y; Liberty Financial Services, Inc., Hinsdale, Illinois, and thereby engage in permissible financial advice and securities brokerage activities, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(7)(i) of Regulation Y; LFB Operations LLC, and LFB Compliance LLC, both of Hinsdale, Illinois, and thereby engage in holding mortgage loans and operating a real estate investment trust, pursuant to §§ 228.25(b)(1) and (4)(ii) of Regulation Y; Churchview Limited Partnership, and Kedzie Limited Partnership, both of Hinsdale, Illinois, and thereby engage in permissible community development

activities, pursuant to §§ 225.28(b)(4)(ii) and (b)(12) of Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 19, 2001.

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Associate Secretary of the Board.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION**Travel and Transportation Policy; Request for Comments on Eliminating the Use of Standard Form (SF) 1169, U.S. Government Transportation Request (GTR)**

AGENCY: Office of Governmentwide Policy, General Services Administration.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The General Services Administration (GSA) is proposing to eliminate usage of SF 1169, U.S. Government Transportation Request (GTR). Federal transition to an alternative payment mechanism to involve use of the Government issued travel charge card and centrally billed accounts does, in part, support GTR elimination. An initial review by GSA, however, indicates that elimination of the GTR in its entirety may not be possible.

DATES: Send your written comments by April 23, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Send your written comments to Ms. Jane Groat, Office of Governmentwide Policy (MTT), General Services Administration, 1800 F Street, NW., Room G-219, Washington, DC 20405. Send e-mail comments to: jane.groat@gsa.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jane Groat, Program Analyst, Travel Management Division, Office of Governmentwide Policy, General Services Administration, at 202-501-4318, or Internet e-mail at jane.groat@gsa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**A. Background**

GSA published GSA Bulletin FPMR G-202 dated June 22, 1999, Eliminating the Use of Standard Form (SF) 1169, U.S. Government Transportation Request (GTR), in the **Federal Register** on July 2, 1999 (64 FR 36018). The bulletin gave notification of the proposed elimination of SF 1169 with