

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.

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 July 30, 1999.

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

1. *Premier Bancshares, Inc.*, Atlanta, Georgia; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Bank Atlanta, Decatur, Georgia.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 30, 1999.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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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.

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 July 20, 1999.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of New York (Betsy Buttrill White, Senior Vice President) 33 Liberty Street, New York, New York 10045-0001:

1. *Doral Financial Corporation*, San Juan, Puerto Rico; to engage *de novo* through its subsidiary, Doral Bank, FSB, New York, New York, in the operation of a savings association, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(4)(ii) of Regulation Y. Comments regarding this application must be received not later than July 30, 1999.

2. *National Westminster Bank Plc*, London, England; to engage *de novo* through its subsidiary, Greenwich Capital Markets, Inc., Greenwich, Connecticut, in underwriting and dealing to a limited extent in all types of debt securities, see *J.P. Morgan & Co., Incorporated*, 75 Fed. Res. Bull. 192 (1989).

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 30, 1999.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request Entitled American Customer Satisfaction Index Under Emergency Review by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)

AGENCY: General Services Administration (GSA).

ACTION: Notice of request for approval of a new information collection entitled American Customer Satisfaction Index.

SUMMARY: The General Services Administration has submitted an emergency processing information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). OMB approval has been requested by July 6, 1999. The proposed information collection activity is designed to support the customer satisfaction policies outlined in Executive Order 12862, "Setting Customer Service Standards", and to establish a means to consistently measure and compare customer satisfaction among high-impact agencies within the Executive Branch. GSA serves as the Executive Agent for this initiative and has selected the American Customer Satisfaction Index (ACSI) through a competitive procurement process as the vehicle for obtaining the required information. The ACSI is a cross-industry, cross-agency methodology for obtaining comparable measures of customer satisfaction. Along with other economic objectives—such as employment and growth—the

quality of output (goods and services) is a part of living standards. Like other objectives, it is subjected to systematic and uniform measurement.

DATES: Submit comments on or before September 7, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Comments concerning this notice should be submitted to: Edward Springer, GSA Desk Officer, Room 3235, NEOB, Washington, DC 20503, and may also be submitted to James L. Dean, Director, Committee Management Secretariat, Room 5228, 1800 F Street, NW, Washington, DC 20405, or e-mail to James.Dean@gsa.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

James Dean, Director, Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration at (202)273-3563, or by e-mail to James.Dean@gsa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Purpose

The purpose of this Notice is to consult with and solicit comments from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information under the ACSI to help improve the quality of goods and services available to the American people.

B. Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 8,060; annual responses: 8,060; average hours per response: .17; burden hours: 2,284.

Copy of Proposal

A copy of this proposal may be obtained by contacting James Dean at the above address.

Dated: June 30, 1999.

J. Les Davison,

Acting Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collections; Comment Request

The Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Secretary will periodically publish summaries of proposed information collections projects and solicit public comments in compliance with the requirements of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. To request more information on the project or to obtain

a copy of the information collection plans and instruments, call the OS Reports Clearance Officer on (202) 690-6207.

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.

1. HHS Acquisition Regulations—HHSAR Part 352 Solicitation Provisions and Contract Clauses—0990-0130—Extension—The Key Personnel clause in HHSAR 352.27-5 requires contractors to obtain approval before substituting key personnel which are specified in the contract. Respondents: State or local governments, Businesses or other for-profit, non-profit institutions, Small businesses; Total Number of Respondents: 1921; Frequency of Response: one time; Average Burden per Response: 2 hours; Estimated Annual Burden: 3842 hours.

2. HHS Acquisition Regulations HHSAR Part 370 Special Programs Affecting Acquisitions—0990-0129—Extension—HHSAR Part 370 establishes requirements for the accessibility of meetings, conferences, and seminars to persons with disabilities; establishes requirements for Indian Preference in employment, training and subcontracting opportunities. Respondents: State or local governments, Businesses or other for-profit, non-profit institutions, Small businesses; Burden Information about Accessibility of Meetings—Annual Number of Respondents: 335; Annual Frequency of Response: one time; Average Burden per Response: 10 hours; Total Annual Burden: 3,350 hours—Burden Information about Indian Preference—Annual Number of Respondents: 932; Annual Frequency of Response: one time; Average Burden per Response: 8 hours; Total Annual Burden: 7,456—Total Burden: 10,806 hours.

3. Application for Waiver of the Two-year Foreign Residence Requirement of the Exchange Visitor Program—0990-0001—Extension—The application is used by institutions (colleges, hospitals, etc.) to request a favorable recommendation to the USIA for waiver of the two-year Foreign Residence

Requirement of the Exchange Visitor Program on behalf of foreign visitors working in areas of interest to HHS. Respondents: Individuals, State or local governments, Businesses or other for-profit, non-profit institutions; Total Number of Respondents: 200; Frequency of Response: one time; Average Burden per Response: 6 hours; Estimated Annual Burden: 1200 hours.

4. Recordkeeping Requirements for Government Owned/Contractor Held Property and Report of Accounting Personal Property (HHS-565)—0990-0015—Extension—The recordkeeping requirements are needed to assure accountability and control for government owned/contractor held property for HHS contracts. Form 565 is used to report all accountable personal property purchased or fabricated by contractors and billed to HHS. Respondents: state or local governments, business or other for-profit, non-profit institutions, small business; Burden Information for Form HHS-565: Annual Number of Respondents: 3,600; Annual Frequency of Response: one time; Average Burden per Response: 30 minutes; Total Annual Burden: 1,800 hours. Burden Information for Recordkeeping Requirements: Annual Number of Responses: 4,500; Average Burden per Response: 30 minutes; Total Annual Burden: 2250 hours. Total Burden: 4050 hours.

Send comments to Cynthia Agens Bauer, OS Reports Clearance Officer, Room 503H, Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington DC 20201. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

Dated: June 30, 1999.

Dennis P. Williams,

Deputy Assistant Secretary, Budget.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

The Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation; Cooperative Agreement With the National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy

The Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (ASPE) announces that it will award a sole source cooperative agreement to the National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy (the National Campaign).

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to assist, collaboratively with the National Campaign in the development of a teen pregnancy

prevention technical assistance guide for states and local communities. This agreement will also assist in supporting a series of technical assistance meetings aimed at teaching state and community representatives how best to use the guide.

Authorizing Legislation

This cooperative agreement is authorized under Section 241 of the Public Health Service Act.

Background

Assistance will be provided to the National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy. No other applications are solicited. ASPE is responsible for coordinating the Department's National Strategy to Prevent Teen Pregnancy. In this role, ASPE convenes and chairs an interdepartmental workgroup on teen pregnancy prevention and completes a yearly Report to Congress on the progress of the National Strategy. ASPE believes that the Campaign is uniquely qualified to work with ASPE to develop teen pregnancy prevention technical assistance for the following reasons:

1. The National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy is a nonpartisan organization dedicated to integrating a broad spectrum of perspectives in addressing the issue of teen pregnancy prevention. The National Campaign was initiated in 1996 as a result of President Clinton's challenge that "parents and leaders across the country join together in a national campaign against teen pregnancy to make a difference." In response to the President's call, a group of private citizens created the National Campaign, a nonprofit effort led by a distinguished board. The National Campaign's work is conducted through four task forces and a small staff. The task forces are comprised of experts in a wide variety of fields related to teen pregnancy prevention. The mission of the National Campaign is to prevent teen pregnancy by supporting values and stimulating actions that are consistent with a pregnancy-free adolescence. Its chief goal is to reduce the teenage pregnancy rate by one-third by the year 2005.

2. The National Campaign staff has been working with states and local communities over the last three years. In the course of their work in states, and during daily phone calls they receive in their Washington office. Staff has fielded hundreds of requests for technical assistance. This has led the National Campaign to identify the need for a "tool kit" to support the implementation of successful teen pregnancy prevention programs. Staff used the questions most often asked by