

regulated equipment must comply with the Commission's technical standards before it is approved for marketing. Rules governing certain equipment operating in the licensed service also require equipment authorization under 47 CFR part 2. In ET Docket No. 00-47, the FCC established a Class III "permissive change" to permit manufacturers to make changes that affect the frequency, power, and modulation parameters of software defined radios without having to file a new equipment authorization application. However, new software can not be loaded into radios until the FCC or a designated Telecommunications Certification Body (TCB) approves the manufacturer's software changes and test data showing compliance with FCC technical standards with the new software loaded. The FCC will also allow "electronic labeling" for software defined radio transmitters—a liquid crystal display or similar screen displays the FCC identification number, and since the new technology replaces existing technology, the basic authorization process will not change.

OMB Control Number: 3060-0934.

Title: Application for Equipment Authorization, 47 CFR Sections 2.925, 2.932, 2.944, 2.960, 2.962, 2.1043, 68.160, and 68.162.

Form Number: FCC TCB 731.

Type of Review: Revision of currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for profit.

Number of Respondents: 1,600.

Estimated Time Per Response: 4 hrs.

Total Annual Burden: 6,400 hrs.

Total Annual Cost: \$175,000.

Needs and Uses: Under 47 CFR parts 15 and 18 of FCC Rules, certain equipment must comply with FCC technical standards before it can be marketed. Equipment that operates in the licensed service requires FCC authorization under 47 CFR Parts 2 and 68. In the 1998 R&O, General Docket No. 98-68, the FCC permits a private sector firm, a "Telecommunications Certification Body" or TCB, to approve equipment for marketing and also established guidelines for "Mutual Recognition Agreements" with foreign trade partners. Once approved by the accrediting body and "designated" by the FCC, TCBs may accept Form 731 filings and evaluate the equipment's compliance with FCC Rules and technical standards. The TCB submits this information to the FCC via the Internet. In ET Docket No. 00-47, the FCC established a Class III "permissive change" to permit manufacturers to make changes affecting frequency, power, and modulation parameters of

"software defined radios" without having to file a new equipment authorization application. The manufacturer must submit a description of the software changes to the FCC or a designated TCB. The FCC will also permit "electronic labeling" to be used on software defined radio transmitters.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 92-237; DA 01-2246]

Next Meeting of the North American Numbering Council

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On September 27, 2001, the Commission released a public notice announcing the October 16-17, 2001 meeting and agenda of the North American Numbering Council (NANC). The intended effect of this action is to make the public aware of the NANC's next meeting and its agenda.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Deborah Blue, Special Assistant to the Designated Federal Officer (DFO) at (202) 418-2320 or dblue@fcc.gov. The address is: Network Services Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, The Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW, Suite 6A207, Washington, DC 20554. The fax number is: (202) 418-2345. The TTY number is: (202) 418-0484.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Released: September 27, 2001.

The North American Numbering Council (NANC) has scheduled a meeting to be held Tuesday, October 16, 2001, from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., and on Wednesday, October 17, 2001, from 8:30 a.m., until 12:00 noon (if required). The meeting will be held at the Federal Communications Commission, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW, Room TW-C305, Washington, DC.

This meeting is open to members of the general public. The FCC will attempt to accommodate as many participants as possible.

The public may submit written statements to the NANC, which must be received two business days before the meeting. In addition, oral statements at the meeting by parties or entities not represented on the NANC will be permitted to the extent time permits.

Such statements will be limited to five minutes in length by any one party or entity, and requests to make an oral statement must be received two business days before the meeting. Requests to make an oral statement or provide written comments to the NANC should be sent to Deborah Blue at the address under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**, stated above.

Proposed Agenda

1. Announcements and Recent News
—NANC meeting schedule
2. Approve Minutes
—Conference Call Meeting of September 25, 2001
3. Report of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator
—Response to 2000 Performance Appraisal
—NANP Exhaust Analysis
—Regular NANPA Report
—Unavailable Code project status
—Assessment of August NRUF problems
4. Report of NANPA Oversight Working Group
—NANPA Contract Technical Requirements
—Regular NOWG Report
5. Presentation by National Thousands-Block Pooling Administrator
—Initial projection of pooling rollout schedule
—Access to details of PA-FCC contract terms
6. Report of NANP Expansion/Optimization IMG
7. Status of Industry Numbering Committee activities
—Status of "orphaned code" guidelines
8. Report of the Local Number Portability Administration (LNPA) Working Group
—Wireless Number Portability Operations (WNPO) Subcommittee
9. Report of NAPM LLC
10. Report from NBANC
11. Report of Cost Recovery Working Group
12. Steering Committee
—Table of NANC Projects
13. Report of Steering Committee
14. Action Items
15. Public Participation (5 minutes each, if any)
16. Other Business

Adjourn (5 PM)

Wednesday, October 17, 2001 (if required)

17. Complete any unfinished Agenda Items
18. Other Business

Federal Communications Commission.

Diane Griffin Harmon,

*Acting Chief, Network Services Division,
Common Carrier Bureau.*

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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 October 26, 2001.

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

1. *Greater Community Bancorp.*, Totowa, New Jersey; to acquire 9.9 percent of the voting shares of 1st Constitution Bancorp, Cranbury, New Jersey, and thereby indirectly acquire 1st Constitution Bank, Cranbury, New Jersey.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago (Phillip Jackson, Applications Officer)

230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1414:

1. *Piper Holdings, Inc.*, Covington, Indiana; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Heritage Bancshares, Inc., Darlington, Indiana, and thereby indirectly acquire Heritage Bank & Trust Company, Darlington, Indiana.

2. *Sturgis Bancorp, Inc.*, Sturgis, Michigan; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Sturgis Bank & Trust Company, Sturgis, Michigan.

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

1. *Henderson Bancshares, Inc.*, Lexington, Tennessee; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of First State Bank, Henderson, Tennessee.

D. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Susan Zubradt, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *American National Corporation*, Omaha, Nebraska; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Quick Bancorp, Inc., Council Bluffs, Iowa, and thereby indirectly acquire Peoples National Bank, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, September 26, 2001.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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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 elicit 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.

Proposed Project 1. Applicant Background Survey—0990-0208—Extension—This form will be used to ask applicants for employment how they learned about a vacancy, to make sure that recruitment sources yield qualified women, minority and handicapped applicants in compliance with EEOC Management Directives. Respondents: Individuals; Annual Number of Respondents: 310,000; Annual Frequency of Response: one time; Average Burden per Response: 2 minutes; Total Annual Burden: 10,333 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: September 21, 2001.

Kerry Weems,

Acting, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Budget.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Health and Human Services announces the following advisory committee meeting.

Name: National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS), Subcommittee on Standards and Security.

Time and Date: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., October 9, 2001; 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., October 10, 2001.

Place: Hubert H. Humphrey Building, Room 705A, 200 Independence Avenue S.W., Washington, DC.

Status: Open.

Purpose: The Subcommittee is evaluating Patient Medical Record Information (PMRI) message format standards from ASTM, DICOM, HL7, IEEE, NCPDP Script, and Object Management Group. The Subcommittee will be receiving testimony from vendors, consultants and users of these standards with a possible outcome being the formulation of recommendations to the HHS Secretary about their use as HIPAA standards.