accommodations for people with disabilities are available upon request. Include a description of the accommodation you will need with as much detail as possible. Also include a way we can contact you if we need more information. Please allow at least 5 days advance notice; last minute requests will be accepted, but may be impossible to fill. Send an e-mail to fcc504@fcc.gov or call the Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau at 202–418–0530 (voice), 202–418–0432 (tty).

The public may submit written comments before the meeting to: Lisa M. Fowlkes, the FCC's Designated Federal Officer for the Independent Panel by email: lisa.fowlkes@fcc.gov or U.S. Postal Service Mail (Lisa M. Fowlkes, Enforcement Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, Room 7—C737, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554).

Further information regarding the Independent Panel, including publicly available documents, may be found at the Panel's Web site at http://www.fcc.gov/eb/hkip. In addition, publicly available documents related to the Panel are available for inspection and copying at the FCC's Public Reference Information Center, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY–A257, Washington, DC.

Federal Communications Commission.

Marlene H. Dortch,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Notice

Special Executive Session

DATE & TIME: Thursday, February 16, 2006, at 3 p.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC.

STATUS: This meeting will be closed to the public pursuant to 11 CFR 2.4(b)(1) and 2.4(b)(2).

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED: Matters concerning internal personnel rules and procedures or matters affecting a particular employee.

Privileged or confidential information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Robert Biersack, Press Officer, Telephone: (202) 694–1220.

Mary W. Dove,

Secretary of the Commission.

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FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION

Meetings; Sunshine Act

February 8, 2006.

TIME AND DATE: 10 a.m., Thursday, February 16, 2006.

PLACE: The Richard V. Backley Hearing Room, 9th Floor, 601 New Jersey Avenue, NW., Washington, DC.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The

Commission will consider and act upon the following in open session: Secretary of Labor v. Sedgman, Docket Nos. SE 2002-11, SE 2003-69, and SE 2003-189. (Issues include whether the Administrative Law Judge properly concluded that Sedgman violated 30 CFR 77.200; whether the judge properly held that the Secretary of Labor did not abuse her discretion in citing Sedgman for violations of 30 CFR 77.200 and 77.1710(g); whether the judge properly followed the statutory penalty criteria set forth at 30 U.S.C. 820(i) in setting a penalty for the section 77.200 violation; and whether the judge was correct in deciding to vacate the penalty he assessed for the section 77.200 violation because there was an unreasonable delay by the Secretary in proposing the penalty.)

The Commission heard oral argument on this matter on January 26, 2006.

Any person attending this meeting who requires special accessibility features and/or auxiliary aids, such as sign language interpreters, must inform the Commission in advance of those needs, subject to 29 CFR 2706.150(a)(3) and 2706.160(d).

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFO: Jean Ellen, (202) 434–9950/(202) 708–9300 for TDD Relay/1–800–877–8339 for toll free.

Jean H. Ellen,

Chief Docket Clerk.

[FR Doc. 06–1546 Filed 2–15–06; 11:19 am]

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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 Web site at http://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 March 17, 2006.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Donna J. Ward, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. Pinnacle Bancorp, Inc., Central City, Nebraska; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Olathe Bancorporation, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Olathe State Bank, both in Olathe, Colorado

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, February 14, 2006.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. E6–2313 Filed 2–16–06; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6210–01–S

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Granting of Request for Early Termination of the Waiting Period Under the Premerger Notification Rules

Section 7A of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. 18a, as added by Title II of the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, requires persons contemplating certain mergers or acquisitions to give the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General advance notice and to wait designated periods before consummation of such plans. Section 7A(b)(2) of the Act permits the agencies, in individual cases, to terminate this waiting period prior to its expiration and requires that notice of this action be published in the **Federal Register**.

The following transactions were granted early termination of the waiting period provided by law and the premerger notification rules. The grants were made by the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney

General for the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice. Neither agency intends to take any action with respect to these proposed acquisitions during the applicable waiting period.

| Trans No. | Acquiring | Acquired | Entities |
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| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/09/2006 | |
| 20060330 | ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P.ENT≤ADESA, Inc. | Secured Capital Corp | Secured Capital Corp. 2Wire, Inc. 2Wire, Inc. LaSportsac, Inc. |
| 20060425 | Ronald O. Perelman | The Rank Group Plc | Atlab Holdings Pty. Ltd. (Aust), Delux Digital Studios Limited (UK), Deluxe Entertainment Services, Inc. Deluxe Holdings Inc. (US), Deluxe Italia S.P.A. (Italy), Deluxe Laboratories Holdings Espana S.L (Spain), Deluxe Laboratories Inc (US), Deluxe Laboratories Ltd (UK), Deluxe Media Managmeent Inc. (Canada), Delux Toronto Ltd (Canada), Denham Telecine Limited (UK), Rank Leasing Limited (UK), Rank Studio Limited (UK). |
| 20060432 20060439 | Kindred Healthcare, IncSymantec Corporation | Health Care REIT, Inc | Health Care REIT, Inc. |
| 20000409 | ' | d Early Termination—01/10/2006 | initiogic, inc. |
| 0000055 | | - | TOTAL FARLION Is a |
| 20060355 20060371 | Royal Dutch Shell plc | National Imaging Associates, Inc | TOTAL E&P USA, Inc. National Imaging Associates, Inc. |
| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/11/2006 | |
| 20060339 | Babcock & Brown Infrastructure Limited. | Hydro-Quebec | Cross-Sound Cable Company, LLC. |
| 20060352 | The Empire District Electric Company. | Aquila, Inc | Aquila, Inc. |
| 20060367 | Linsalata Capital Partners Fund IV, L.P. | Harden Manufacturing Corporation | Briar Garrett, LLC, Harden Aviation LLC, Harden Shipping, Inc. Harden Transport, Inc., Smith Land Holdings, LLC, Smith Prop- erties, LLC. |
| 20060379 20060409 | | Mowlem plc Collegiate Funding Services, Inc | Mowlem plc. Collegiate Funding Services, Inc. |
| 20060417 20060421 | Apax Europe VI-A, L.P | Contech Holdings Corporation Smith & Nephew plc | Contech Holdings Corporation. BSN medical GmbH & Co. KG, BSN |
| 20000421 | Wonagu III L.F | Зпіш а мертем ріс | medical Management GmbH Smith & Nephew JV (Holding) GmbH. |
| 20060422 | Montagu III L.P | Tchibo Holding AG | BSN medical GmbH & Co. KG, BSN medical Management GmbH Smith & Nephew JV (Holding) GmbH. |
| 20060427 20060445 | | Nixon, Inc | Nixon, Inc. York Insurance Services Group, Inc. |
| 20060446 | III, L.P. Odyssey Investment Partners Fund III, L.P. | Thomas C. MacArthur | York Insurance Services Group, Inc. |
| | , | Larly Termination—01/12/2006 | |
| 20060452 | iPass, Inc | GoRemote Internet Communications, | GoRemote Internet Communications |
| 20060464 | Progress Software Corporation | NEON Systems, Inc | Inc. NEON Systems, Inc. |
| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/13/2006 | |
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| 20060458 20060463 | Fidelity National Financial, Inc | Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc Fun Technologies plc | Sedgwick CMS Holdings, Inc. Fun Technologies plc. |
| 20060465 | International Business Machines Corporation. Gregory S. Daily | Micromuse InciPayment, Inc | Micromuse Inc. iPayment, Inc. |
| 20000402 | 1 | d Early Termination—01/18/2006 | in dymoni, mo. |
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| 20060244 20060307 20060401 20060405 | Encore Medical Corporation Matria Healthcare, Inc Amgen Inc | Phelps Dodge Corporation Compex Technologies, Inc CorSolutions Medical, Inc Abgenix, Inc | Phelps Dodge Industries, Inc. Phelps Dodge wire and Cable Holdings de Mexico, S.A. de C.V. Compex Technologies, Inc. CorSolutions Medical, Inc. Abgenix, Inc. |
| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/20/2006 | |
| 20051356 | Marquee Holdings Inc | LCE Holdings, Inc | LCE Holdings, Inc. |
| 20051577 | Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Limited. | Ivax Corporation | Ivax Corporation. |
| 20060435 | AstraZeneca plc | Targacept, Inc | Targacept, Inc. |
| 20060447 20060459 | Castle Harlan Partners IV, L.P Michael J. Cantanucci | RathGibson, Inc | RathGibson, Inc. G.S.M. of Palm Beach, Ltd., Gul |
| 20000400 | | Tilchard E. Bastin | Stream Motors, Inc. |
| 20060468 20060474 | Doughty Hanson & Co IV | Spirent plc | HellermannTyton Corporation. Universal Express, Inc., Universa |
| 20060476 | Sentinel Capital partners III, L.P | Strategic Partners, Inc | Supply Company, Inc. Strategic Partners, Inc. |
| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/23/2006 | |
| 20060298 | GGC Investment Fund II, L.P | APA Excelsior V L.P | CML Emergency Services, Inc. |
| 20060411 | Lockheed Martin Corporation | Aspen Systems Corporation Em- | Aspen Systems Corporation. |
| 20060442 | ARES Corporate Opportunities Fund, L.P. | ployee Stock Ownership Trust. Samsonite Corporation | Samsonite Corporation. |
| 20060467 20060480 | Ralph Lauren Mercury Interactive Corporation | Jones Apparel Group, Inc | Sun Apparel, Inc. Systinet Corporation. |
| 20060484 | TA IX L.P | Coleman Fung | Open Link Financial, Inc. |
| 20060488 | Mr. William Paulos | Stronach Trust | MEC Pennsylvania Racing, Inc. Mountain Laurel Racing, Inc. Washington Trotting Association Inc. |
| 20060489 | Mr. William Wortman | Stronach Trust | MEC Pennsylvania Racing, Inc. Mountain Laurel Racing, Inc. Washington Trotting Association |
| 20060498 | Audax Private Equity Fund II, L.P | Zurich Financial Services | Inc., BEI Holding Corporation. |
| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/24/2006 | |
| 20060415 | Ameren Corporation | Aquila, Inc | Aquila Piatt County Power, L.L.C. |
| 20060455 20060456 | OCM Opportunities Fund VI, L.P OCM Principal Opportunities Fund III, L.P. | Peter and Liesel Mager Peter and Liesel Mager | MEP Flora Power, LLC. Nordenia International AG. Nordenia International AG. |
| 20060487 | Health Net, Inc | Howard E. Davis | Universal Care, Inc. |
| 20060494 | Bain Capital Integral Investors, LLC | David T. Traitel | SSSI, LLC. |
| 20060505 | Wellspring Capital Partners III, L.P | Save & Buster's, Inc | Dave & Buster's, Inc. |
| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/25/2006 | |
| 20060479 | The Sage Group | Verus Financial Management, Inc | Verus Financial Management, Inc. |
| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/26/2006 | |
| 20060428 20060500 | Joseph D. MansuetoQuad-C Partners VI, L.P | Roger G. Ibbotson BKBII Management, L.L.C | Ibbotson Associates, Inc. KBII Holdings, Inc. |
| | Transactions Granted | d Early Termination—01/27/2006 | |
| 20060436 | AstraZeneca nic | AtheroGenics, Inc | AtheroGenics, Inc. |

| Trans No. | Acquiring | Acquired | Entities |
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| 20060462 | Southern Union Company | SRCG, Ltd | Richardson Energy Marketing, Ltd., Sid Richardson Energy Services, Ltd. |
| 20060473 | FMR Corp | Laird Norton Company LLC | Lanoga Corporation. |
| 20060475 | FMR Corp | Pro-Build Holdings, Inc | Pro-Build Holdings, Inc. |
| 20060486 | ProAssurance Corporation | Physicians Insurance Company of Wisconsin, Inc. | |
| 20060504 20060525 | Danaher Corporation Danaher Corporation | First Technology PLC | First Technology PLC. First Technology PLC. |

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Sandra M. Peay, Contact Representative, or Renee Hallman, Contact Representative, Federal Trade Commission, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau of Competition, Room H–303, Washington, DC 20580, (202) 326–3100.

By direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,

Secretary.

[FR Doc. 06–1503 Filed 2–16–06; 8:45 am]

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Notice of Meeting: Secretary's Advisory Committee on Genetics, Health, and Society

Pursuant to Public Law 92–463, notice is hereby given of the ninth meeting of the Secretary's Advisory Committee on Genetics, Health, and Society (SACGHS), U.S. Public Health Service. The meeting will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on March 27, 2006 and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on March 28, 2006 at the National Institutes of Health, Building 31, C Wing, Conference Room 6, 31 Center Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892. The meeting will be open to the public, with attendance limited to space available. The meeting will be Webcast.

The first day of the meeting will include sessions on pharmacogenomics and large population studies of genetic variation, the environment and common disease. The pharmacogenomics session will include a review of Federal efforts in pharmacogenomics and deliberation on draft recommendations in this area. The large population studies session will involve discussion of a draft report that identifies policy issues associated with mounting a large population study in the United States.

The second day will be devoted to sessions on genetic discrimination and patents and licensing issues. The genetic discrimination session will include an update on the status of Federal genetic non-discrimination legislation. The patents and licensing session will involve a presentation on the findings and conclusions of a National Academy of Sciences' report on intellectual property rights in genomic research and innovation, and a discussion of whether there are other issues in this arena that warrant SACGHS's further attention.

Time will be provided each day for public comments. The Committee would welcome hearing from anyone wishing to provide public comment on any issue related to genetics, health and society. Individuals who would like to provide public comment or who plan to attend the meeting and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should notify the SACGHS Executive Secretary, Ms. Sarah Carr, by telephone at 301–496–9838 or e-mail at sc112c@nih.gov. The SACGHS office is located at 6705 Rockledge Drive, Suite 750, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Under authority of 42 U.S.C. 217a, Section 222 of the Public Health Service Act, as amended, the Department of Health and Human Services established SACGHS to serve as a public forum for deliberations on the broad range of human health and societal issues raised by the development and use of genetic technologies and, as warranted, to provide advice on these issues. The draft meeting agenda and other information about SACGHS, including information about access to the Webcast, will be available at the following Web site: http:// www4.od.nih.gov/oba/sacghs.htm.

Dated: February 9, 2006.

Anna Snouffer,

Acting Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Meeting of the Presidential Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, Office of Public Health and Science, Department of Health and Human Services.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: As stipulated by the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) is hereby giving notice that the Presidential Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS (PACHA) will hold a meeting. This meeting is open to the public. A description of the Council's functions is included also with this notice.

DATE AND TIME: March 16, 2006, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., and March 17, 2006, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20201, in Room 800.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dana Ceasar, Program Assistant, Presidential Advisory Council on HIV/ AIDS, Department of Health and Human Services, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, SW., Room 351F, Washington, DC 20201; (202) 690–2470 or visit the Council's Web site at http://www.pacha.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: PACHA was established by Executive Order 12963, dated June 14, 1995, as amended by Executive Order 13009, dated June 14, 1996. The Council was established to provide advice, information, and recommendations to the Secretary regarding programs and policies intended to (a) promote effective prevention of HIV disease, (b) advance research on HIV and AIDS, and (c) promote quality services to persons living with HIV disease and AIDS. PACHA was established to serve solely as an advisory body to the Secretary of Health and Human Services. The Council is composed of not more than 21 members. Council membership is