

FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: 62 FR 12200, March 14, 1997.

PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF THE MEETING: 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 19, 1997.

CHANGES IN THE MEETING: THE OPEN MEETING HAS BEEN CANCELED, AND THE SCHEDULED ITEM WAS HANDLED VIA NOTATION VOTING.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Mr. Joseph R. Coyne, Assistant to the Board; (202) 452-3204.

Dated: March 19, 1997.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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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.

TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION BETWEEN: 030397 AND 031497

Name of acquiring person, name of acquired person, name of acquired entity	PMN No.	Date terminated
Michael M. Gray, Rand McNally & Company, Rand McNally Media Services, Inc., Rand McNally Int'l	97-1263	03/03/97
Svedala Industri AB, Habour Group Investments II, L.P., Reedrill Enterprises, Inc	97-1273	03/03/97
NIPSCO Industries, Inc., IWC Resources Corporation, IWC Resources Corporation	97-1277	03/03/97
Land O'Lakes, Inc., Atlantic Dairy Cooperative, Atlantic Dairy Cooperative	97-1281	03/03/97
Anthem Insurance Companies, Inc., Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Connecticut, Inc., Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Connecticut, Inc	97-1284	03/03/97
A. H. Belo Corporation, Walter M. Dear, Gleaner & Journal Publishing Company	97-1285	03/03/97
American Home Products Corporation, Mrs. Susanne Klatten, Byk Gulden Lomberg Chemishe Fabrik GmbH ..	97-1291	03/03/97
Gannett Co., Inc., Patrick E. Stahel, Printed Media Services, Inc	97-1300	03/03/97
Omnicom Group Inc., Integer Group, L.L.C. (The), Integer Group, L.L.C. (The)	97-1303	03/03/97
Charter Oak Partners, Henkel KGaA (a German company), Henkel Corporation; Henkel Canada Limited	97-1308	03/03/97
Richard W. Muzzy, Jr., Fruehauf Trailer Corporation (Debtor-in-Possession), Fruehauf Trailer Corporation (Debtor-in-Possession)	97-1315	03/03/97
Danaher Corporation, Buffton Corporation, Current Technology, Inc	97-1321	03/03/97
American Radio Systems Corporation, Lorna J. Amatore, Amatore Group of Texas, Ltd	97-1324	03/03/97
Hewlett-Packard Company, Symantec Corporation, Symantec Corporation, Networking Business Unit	97-1328	03/03/97
AmeriSource Health Corporation, Walker Drug Company, L.L.C., Walker Drug Company, L.L.C	97-1202	03/04/97
Affiliated Foods Southwest, Inc., Acadia Partners, L.P., Harvest Foods, Inc. (Debtor-in-Possession)	97-1249	03/04/97
Tele-Communications, Inc./Liberty Media Corporation, Liberty Media Corporation/Tele-Communications, Inc., Affiliated Regional Communications (Partnership)	97-1274	03/04/97
Hickory Tech Corporation, Inc., U S West, Inc., U S WEST Communications, Inc	97-1302	03/04/97
National Services Industries, Inc., Enforcer Products, Inc., Enforcer Products, Inc	97-1311	03/04/97
Redland, PLC, David J. Mahar, Frontier Stone, Inc	97-1329	03/04/97
Redland, PLC, Charles J. Loiacano, Frontier Stone, Inc	97-1330	03/04/97
American Radio Systems Corporation, Estate of Willet H. Brown, Deceased, The Brown Organization	97-0103	03/05/97
American Radio Systems Corporation, Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst Equity Fund II, L.P., Chancellor Radio Broadcasting Company	97-0185	03/05/97
Scott K. Ginsburg, EZ Communications, Inc., Professional Broadcasting, Inc	97-0235	03/05/97
Ford Motor Company, NationsBank Corporation, NationsCredit Financial Services, Inc	97-1175	03/06/97
Ms. Lida Urbanek, KLA Instruments Corporation, KLA Instruments Corporation	97-1226	03/06/97
Ashland, Inc., Howard and Donna Weinstein, Weinstein Chemicals, Inc	97-1235	03/06/97
Samuel J. Heyman, Gordon A. Walker, Hollinee Corporation	97-1237	03/06/97
Morgan Stanley Capital Partners III, L.P., IXC Communications, Inc., IXC Communications, Inc	97-1298	03/06/97
HBO & Company, Amisys Managed Care Systems, Inc., Amisys Managed Care Systems, Inc	97-1299	03/06/97
Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc., St. Paul Companies, Inc., Minet Inc., Minet Re North America, Inc., Minet	97-1304	03/06/97
Open Market, Inc., Reed Elsevier p.l.c., Folio Corporation	97-1316	03/06/97
MCN Corporation, KCS Energy, Inc., KCS Pipeline Systems, Inc	97-1265	03/07/97
H.F. Ahmanson & Company, Great Western Financial Corporation, Great Western Financial Corporation	97-1289	03/07/97
John J. Farber, David E. Pace, Pace Industries, Inc	97-1287	03/10/97
Dean Witter, Discover & Co., Morgan Stanley Group, Inc., Morgan Stanley Group, Inc	97-1320	03/10/97
Seneca Foods Corporation, Pro-Fac Cooperative, Inc., Curtice-Burns Foods, Inc	97-1332	03/10/97
Apple South, Inc., David L. Mason, Cypress Coast Construction Corporation, Hops Marketing	97-1333	03/10/97
Apple South, Inc., Thomas A. Schellendorf, Cypress Coast Construction Corp., Hops Marketing, Inc	97-1334	03/10/97
Robert Black, Sr., Players International, Inc., Players Nevada, Inc., Players Mesquite Land, Inc	97-1335	03/10/97
Financial Holding Corporation, B.A.T. Industries p.l.c., The Ohio State Life Insurance Company and	97-1337	03/10/97
Lloyd J. Baretz, Electronic Data Systems Corporation, OAN Services, Inc	97-1340	03/10/97
Stephen M. Ross, Starrett Corporation, Starrett Corporation	97-1341	03/10/97
The 1818 Fund II, L.P., CMSI Holding Corp., CMSI Holdings Corp	97-1342	03/10/97

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AMRESKO, INC., Commercial Lending Corporation, Commerical Lending Corporation	97-1344	03/10/97
DEL 1995 Trust, Peter C. Clark, Revocable Trust dtd. July 10, 1991, Amherst Equipment Corporation	97-1346	03/10/97
The DEL 1995 Trust, David B. Clark, Revocable Trust dtd July 10, 1991, Amherst Equipment Corporation	97-1347	03/10/97
Barney J. Cohen, SV Holdings, Inc., Star Video Entertainment, L.P.	97-1349	03/10/97
McCown, De Leeuw & Co. II, L.P., Calvin Ingram, AmeriComm Direct Marketing, Inc.	97-1352	03/10/97
Baltimore Gas and Electric Company, The Goldman Sachs Group, L.P., Goldman Sachs Power, LLC	97-1356	03/10/97
Silgan Holdings, Inc., Aluminum Company of America, Alcoa Closure Systems International, Inc.	97-1357	03/10/97
Ford Motor Co., Texaco, Inc., Texaco Refining and Marketing, Inc.	97-1360	03/10/97
A.H. Belo Corporation, Sumner M. Redstone, Viacom Broadcasting of Missouri, Inc.	97-1361	03/10/97
Sumner M. Redstone, Gaylord Entertainment Company, Gaylord Broadcasting Company, L.P.	97-1363	03/10/97
Regal-Beloit Corporation, The Wilmington Trust Corporation, Marathon Electric Manufacturing Corporation	97-1364	03/10/97
John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance company, James River Corporation of Virginia, James River Timber Corporation	97-1369	03/10/97
Marriot International, Inc., New World Development Company Ltd. (a Hong Kong Corp), Renaissance Hotel Group N.V. (a Netherlands LLC)	97-1370	03/10/97
Centennial HealthCare Corporation, Health Care Capital Consolidated, Inc., Total Care Consolidated, Inc.	97-1373	03/10/97
Stephen Adams, Camping World, Inc., Camping World, Inc.	97-1377	03/10/97
Northwest Airlines Corporation, Michael J. Brady, Express Airlines, I, Inc.	97-1378	03/10/97
Code, Hennessy & Simmons II, L.P., Roger Benton, Commercial Building Components, Inc.	97-1383	03/10/97
The Estee Lauder Companies Inc., Torkan Holdings Corporation, ACT Investments (Delaware), Inc., ACT Investments, Inc.	97-1385	03/10/97
Harris Corporation, Nasser J. Kazeminy, Quorum Group, Inc.	97-1391	03/10/97
Excite, Inc., America Online, Inc., Global Network Navigator, Inc.	97-1401	03/10/97
America Online, Inc., Excite, Inc., Excite, Inc.	97-1402	03/10/97
Julie N. Brown, United Screw & Bolt Corporation, United Screw & Bolt Corporation	97-1407	03/10/97
Keihin Seiki Mfg. Co., Ltd., Honda Motor Co., Ltd., Denshi Giken, Co., Ltd. and Hadsys Inc.	97-1424	03/10/97
The Walt Disney Company, James and Susan Cargill, Cargill Communications, Inc.	97-1440	03/10/97
British Telecommunications plc (a British company), General Communication, Inc., General Communication, Inc.	97-1245	03/11/97
British Telecommunications plc (a British company), The News Corporation Limited (an Australian company), News Triangle Finance, Inc. & News T Investments, Inc.	97-1246	03/11/97
Fresenius Aktiengesellschaft, Neomedica, Inc., Neomedica, Inc.	97-1250	03/11/97
Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst Equity Fund III, L.P., N.L. Bentson, Madison Radio Group	97-1294	03/11/97
Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst Equity Fund III, L.P., Furman Selz SBIC, L.P., Madison Radio Group	97-1295	03/11/97
Williams Holdings PLC (a British company), Chubb Security PLC (a British company), Chubb Security PLC (a British company)	97-1319	03/11/97
Berjaya Group Berhad, Roasters Corp., Roasters Corp.	97-1351	03/11/97
Lincoln National Corporation, Michael E. Dougherty, Dougherty Financial Group, Inc.	97-1411	03/11/97
OCM Principal Opportunities Fund, L.P., EMCOR Group, Inc., EMCOR Group, Inc.	97-1244	03/12/97
ALZA Corporation, Alkermes, Inc., Alkermes, Inc.	97-1301	03/12/97
Ford Motor Company, Aramco Services Company, Star Enterprise	97-1362	03/12/97
Terex Corporation, Simon Engineering, plc, Simon Telelect Inc., and Simon Aerials Inc.	97-1406	03/12/97
American Radio Systems Corporation, EZ Communications, Inc., EZ Communications, Inc.	97-0221	03/13/97
EZ Communications, Inc., Scott K. Ginsburg, Evergreen Media Corporation of Charlotte, Evergreen	97-0236	03/13/97
American Radio Systems Corporation/ EZ Communications, Scott K. Ginsburg, Evergreen Media Corp. of Charlotte,	97-0244	03/13/97
TPG Partners, L.P., Del Monte Foods Company, Del Monte Foods Company	97-1388	03/13/97
E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Company, First Intercontinental Leasing Trust, TransTexas Transmission Corporation	97-1395	03/13/97
AB Volvo (a Swedish company), Champion Road Machinery Limited (a Canadian company), Champion Road Machinery Limited (a Canadian company)	97-1408	03/13/97
Dr. H.C. Paul Sacher, Hercules Incorporated, Tastemaker Group (Partnership), Hercules Flavor Inc.	97-1279	03/14/97
Dr. H.C. Paul; Sacher, Mallinckrodt Inc., Tastemaker Group (Partnership), Fries & Fries Inc.	97-1280	03/14/97
Talisman Energy Inc. (a Canadian company), Wascana Energy Inc. (a Canadian company), Wascana Energy Inc. (a Canadian company)	97-1389	03/14/97
Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth Health Services Corp, Sisters of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Holy Rosary Hospital	97-1392	03/14/97
McCown De leeuw & Co. III, L.P., James F. Corman, Telnet Systems, Inc.	97-1410	03/14/97
HFS Incorporated, Mitsubishi Motors Corporation, Value Rent-A-Car, Inc.	97-1412	03/14/97
Heritage Media Corporation, Louis J. Appell Residuary Trust, Susquehanna Radio Corp. and WGH License Investment Co.	97-1416	03/14/97
Louis J. Appell Residuary Trust, Heritage Media Corporation, WVAE-FM, Inc.	97-1417	03/14/97
Paul J. Ramsey, Ramsay Health Care, Inc., Ramsay Health Care, Inc.	97-1419	03/14/97
MKJ Family Partners, Ltd., Gary T. Baker, Peterbilt of Nashville, Inc., and Great American	97-1427	03/14/97
Madison Dearborn Capital Partners II, L.P., Bahrain International Bank, (EC) (a Bahrain company), Carrols Holding Corporation	97-1430	03/14/97
Madison Dearborn Capital Partners, L.P., Bahrain International Bank, (EC) (a Bahrain company), Carrols Holding Corporation	97-1431	03/14/97
Applebee's International, Inc., Apple Partners Limited Partnership, Apple Partners Limited Partnership	97-1436	03/14/97
Hoechst Aktiengesellschaft, ARIAD Pharmaceuticals, Inc., ARIAD Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	97-1443	03/14/97
HWH Capital Partners, L.P., Walls Holding Company Inc., Walls Holding Company Inc.	97-1444	03/14/97

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Clear Channel Communications, Inc., Hellman and Friedman Capital Partners III, L.P., Eller Media Corporation	97-1445	03/14/97
Trimin Enterprises Inc., CSR Limited (an Australian company), Beadex Holdings, Inc	97-1446	03/14/97
Ugly Duckling Corporation, E-Z Plan, Inc., E-Z Plan, Inc	97-1455	03/14/97
Russell V. Umphenour, Jr., Triarc Companies, Inc., RTM Operating Company and RTM Development Company	97-1479	03/14/97
Regal Cinemas, Inc., Magic Cinemas, L.L.C., Magic Cinemas, L.L.C	97-1482	03/14/97
American Home Products Corporation, Biomatrix Inc., Biomatrix Inc	97-1497	03/14/97
National-Oilwell, Inc., Finmeccanica S.p.A., Ansaldo Ross Hill Inc	97-1499	03/14/97

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Sandra M. Peay or Parcellena P. Fielding Contact Representatives, Federal Trade Commission, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau of Competition, Room 303, Washington, D.C. 20580, (202) 326-3100.

By Direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,
Secretary.

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[File No. D-9189]**Detroit Auto Dealers Association, Inc.; Analysis To Aid Public Comment**

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Proposed consent agreement.

SUMMARY: In settlement of alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair or deceptive acts or practices and unfair methods of competition, this consent agreement, accepted subject to final Commission approval, would require, among other things, the eleven remaining dealerships in the FTC's case against the Detroit Automobile Dealers Association (DADA) to be bound by the terms and provisions of an existing 1995 Commission order, with certain modifications. The original complaint alleged that DADA and a large number of its member automobile dealers violated federal antitrust laws when they illegally conspired to limit competition in the sale of new cars in the Detroit area by closing dealerships on Saturdays and most week nights.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before May 20, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be directed to: FTC/Office of the Secretary, Room 159, 6th St. and Pa. Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William J. Baer, Federal Trade Commission, H-374, 6th St. and Pa. Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580. (202) 326-2932.

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Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580. (202) 326-2845.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to Section 6(f) of the Federal Trade Commission Act, 38 Stat. 721, 15 U.S.C. 46, and Section 2.34 of the Commission's Rules of Practice (16 CFR 2.34), notice is hereby given that the above-captioned consent agreement containing a consent order to cease and desist, having been filed with and accepted, subject to final approval, by the Commission, has been placed on the public record for a period of sixty (60) days. The following Analysis to Aid Public Comment describes the terms of the consent agreement, and the allegations in the accompanying complaint. An electronic copy of the full text of the consent agreement package can be obtained from the Commission Actions section of the FTC Home Page (for March 14, 1997), on the World Wide Web, at "http://www.ftc.gov/os/actions/htm." A paper copy can be obtained from the FTC Public Reference Room, Room H-130, Sixth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580, either in person or by calling (202) 326-3627. Public comment is invited. Such comments or views will be considered by the Commission and will be available for inspection and copying at its principal office in accordance with Section 4.9(b)(6)(ii) of the Commission's Rules of Practice (16 CFR 4.9(b)(6)(ii)).

Analysis of Proposed Consent Order To Aid Public Comment

The Federal Trade Commission ("Commission") has accepted, subject to final approval, an agreement to a proposed consent order from eleven automobile dealerships and nine owners or managers of dealerships in the Detroit, Michigan Area. The parties to the agreement (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the dealers") are listed at the end of this document. The proposed

order requires the dealers to cease and desist from entering into or carrying out any agreement among themselves or with other dealers to fix the hours of operation of automobile dealerships in the Detroit area.

The proposed consent order will resolve charges against the final group of respondents named in an administrative complaint issued by the Commission in December, 1984, in Detroit Auto Dealers Ass'n, Inc., Dkt. No. 9089. Similar charges against other respondents were resolved through consent orders issued in 1994 after a federal appellate court substantially affirmed the Commission's finding that respondents violated Section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act.

The consent order now proposed will modify a previous order that was entered against the present dealers in 1989 and subsequently modified in 1995. Upon further review, the Commission has determined that the previous order should be further modified in light of changes in the market since the entry of the 1994 consent orders. The 1994 orders required the respondent dealers to maintain extended operating hours for a one year period to restore competition that was lost as a result of the dealers' agreement to keep their stores closed on Saturdays and on several week nights. Recent evidence indicates that the market has changed in response to the previous orders, making it unnecessary to continue the same mandatory hours requirement in the order against the present dealers. The proposed consent order therefore suspends the remainder of that requirement.

The proposed consent order has been placed on the public record for 60 days for reception of comments by interested parties. Comments received during this period will become part of the public record. After 60 days, the Commission will again review the agreement and the comments received and will decide whether it should withdraw from the agreement or make final the agreement's proposed order.