

customers pursuant to §§ 225.28(b)(1) and (b)(3) of the Board's Regulation Y.

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

1. *Regions Financial Corporation*, Birmingham, Alabama; to acquire Griffin Federal Savings Bank, Griffin, Georgia, and thereby engage in operating a savings association pursuant to § 225.28(b)(4) of the Board's Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, August 18, 1997.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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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. 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 September 15, 1997.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Karen L. Grandstrand, Vice President) 250 Marquette Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-2171:

1. *Union Bancshares, Inc.*, Fargo, North Dakota; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 84.56 percent of the voting shares of Union State Bank of Fargo, Fargo, North Dakota.

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FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

Employee Thrift Advisory Council; Open Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), a notice is hereby given of the following committee meeting:

Name: Employee Thrift Advisory Council.
Time: 10:00 a.m.

Date: September 16, 1997.

Place: 4th Floor, Conference Room, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board, 1250 H Street, NW., Washington, D.C.

Status: Open.

Matters to be Considered:

1. Approve minutes of the October 29, 1996, meeting.
2. Report of the Executive Director on Thrift Savings Plan status.
3. May 15-July 31, 1997, Thrift Savings Plan Open Season.
4. Legislation.
5. New Business.

Any interested person may attend, appear before, or file statements with the Council. For further information contact John J. O'Meara, Committee Management Officer, on (202) 942-1660.

Dated: August 19, 1997.

Roger W. Mehle,

Executive Director, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

FEDERAL REGISTER CITATION OF PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT: 62 F.R., Monday, July 21, 1997, Page No. 38996.

PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TIME AND DATE OF THE MEETING: 2:00 p.m., Thursday, August 14, 1997.

CHANGES IN THE AGENDA: The Federal Trade Commission has changed the date of its previously announced Oral

Argument Meeting to September 3, 1997, 2:00 p.m.

Benjamin I. Berman,

Acting Secretary.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Federal Trade Commission.

TIME AND DATE: 10:00 a.m., Thursday, September 4, 1997.

PLACE: Federal Trade Commission Building, Room 532, 6th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

STATUS: Parts of this meeting will be open to the public. The rest of the meeting will be closed to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Portions Open to Public:

- (1) Oral Argument in Brake Guard Products, Inc., Docket 9277
Portions Closed to the Public:
- (2) Executive Session to follow Oral Argument in Brake Guard Products, Inc., Docket 9277

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Victoria Streitfeld, Office of Public Affairs: (202) 326-2180; Recorded Message: (202) 326-2711.

Benjamin I. Berman,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Stake Holder Informational Meeting; Mortality Study

The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the National Cancer Institute (NCI) of the National Institutes of Health announce the following meeting.

Name: Stakeholder informational meeting on the joint NIOSH/NCI study, "A Cohort Mortality Study with a Nested Case-Control Study of Lung Cancer and Diesel Exhaust among Non-metal Miners."

Time And Date: 9 a.m.-12 noon, September 24, 1997.

Location: Ground Floor Auditorium, Hubert Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20201.