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INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT RELEASES

CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, ET AL.

A notice has been issued giving interested persons until April 9 to request a hearing on an application filed by Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company (CML), C.M. Life Insurance Company (C.M. Life), CML Accumulation Annuity Account E (Account E), Panorama Separate (Panorama Account), Connecticut Mutual Variable Life Separate Account I (CML VLI Account), Panorama Plus Separate Account (Plus Account) and C.M. Life Variable Life Separate Account I (C.M. Life VLI Account) (collectively, Applicants). The application is for an order approving the substitution of securities issued by certain management investment companies and held by Account E, Panorama Account, CML VLI Account, Plus Account and C.M. Life VLI Account to support variable life insurance contracts and/or variable annuity contracts issued by CML or C.M. Life. Applicants also seek an order exempting them and Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company (MassMutual), Connecticut Mutual Financial Services Series Fund I, Inc. (CMFS Series Fund), and Oppenheimer Variable Account Funds (Oppenheimer Series Fund) (together, Funds) from Section 17(a) The order would provide exemptions to the extent of the Act. necessary to permit C.M. Life and either CML or MassMutual to carry out the above-referenced substitution of securities by redeeming securities issued by CMFS Series Fund in kind (or partly in kind) and using the redemption proceeds to purchase securities issued by Oppenheimer Series Fund. (Rel. IC-21827 - March 15)

SELF-REGULATORY ORGANIZATIONS

PROPOSED RULE CHANGES

The <u>National Association of Securities Dealers</u> filed Amendment No. 3 to a proposed rule change (SR-NASD-95-39) relating to application of the Rules of Fair Practice to transactions in exempted securities and an interpretation of its suitability rule for dealings with institutional customers. Publication of the proposal is expected in the <u>Federal Register</u> during the week of March 18. (Rel. 34-36973)

The <u>Philadelphia Stock Exchange</u> filed a proposed rule change (SR-Phlx-96-07) to adopt a market index option hedge exemption. Publication of the notice is expected in the <u>Federal Register</u> during the week of March 18. (Rel. 34-36976)

The <u>National Association of Securities Dealers</u> filed a proposed rule change (SR-NASD-95-63) which would regulate the conduct of broker/dealers operating on the premises of a financial institution. Publication of the notice is expected in the <u>Federal Register</u> during the week of March 18. (Rel. 34-36980)

APPROVAL OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGES

The Commission approved a proposed rule change filed by <u>The Cincinnati Stock Exchange</u> (SR-CSE-96-01) to require that members give up only their own or another CSE member's clearing number. (Rel. 34-36975)

The Commission approved a proposed rule change (SR-CBOE-95-65) and Amendment No. 1 thereto filed by the <u>Chicago Board Options Exchange</u> to revise that provision of the CBOE's policy governing joint account participant trading in equity options that currently prohibits the simultaneous representation in a trading crowd by more than one member of a joint account. Publication of the approval order is expected in the <u>Federal Register</u> during the week of March 18. (Rel. 34-36977)

SECURITIES ACT REGISTRATIONS

The following registration statements have been filed with the SEC under the Securities Act of 1933. The reported information appears as follows: Form, Name, Address and Phone Number (if available) of the issuer of the security; Title and the number and/or face amount of the securities being offered; Name of the managing underwriter or depositor (if applicable); File number and date filed; Assigned Branch; and a designation if the statement is a New Issue.

- S-8 MORRISON FRESH COOKING INC, 4893 RIVERDALE RD, STE 260, ATLANTA, GA 30337 (770) 991-0351 100,000 (\$623,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2088 MAR. 08) (BR. 12)
- S-8 MORRISON FRESH COOKING INC, 4893 RIVERDALE RD, STE 260, ATLANTA, GA 30337 (770) 991-0351 500,000 (\$3,115,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2090 MAR. 08) (BR. 12)
- S-8 MORRISON FRESH COOKING INC, 4893 RIVERDALE RD, STE 260, ATLANTA, GA 30337 (770) 991-0351 - 750,000 (\$3,115,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2092 -MAR. 08) (BR. 12)
- S-8 MORRISON FRESH COOKING INC, 4893 RIVERDALE RD, STE 260, ATLANTA, GA 30337 (770) 991-0351 500,000 (\$3,115,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2094 MAR. 08) (BR. 12)
- S-8 MORRISON FRESH COOKING INC, 4893 RIVERDALE RD, STE 260, ATLANTA, GA 30337 (770) 991-0351 9,000,000 (\$9,000,000)
 OTHER SECURITIES INCLUDING VOTING TRUST. (FILE 333-2096 MAR. 08)
 (BR. 12)
- S-4 FRACTAL DESIGN CORP, 335 SPRECKLES DRIVE, APTOS, CA 95003 (408) 688-5300 - 3,250,000 (\$2,893,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2110 - MAR. 08) (BR. 9)
- S-4 FALCON DRILLING CO INC, 1900 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1910, HOUSTON, TX 77027 (713) 623-8984 120,000,000 (\$120,000,000) STRAIGHT BONDS. (FILE 333-2114 MAR. 08) (BR. 3)
- S-8 EMBRYO DEVELOPMENT CORP, 750 LEXINGTON AVEN, NEW YORK, NY 10022 (212) 693-1222 450,000 (\$3,487,500) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2116 MAR. 08) (BR. 8)
- F-6 CHEUNG KONG HOLDINGS LTD /FI,
 29 QUEENS ROAD CENTRAL 18TH 22ND FLOORS, CHINA BUILDING, HONG KONG, K3 10,000,000 (\$500,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE
 333-2118 MAR. 08) (NEW ISSUE)
- F-6 HONGKONG ELECTRIC HOLDINGS LTD \ADR\, ONE MARINE MIDLAND CENTER, C/O MARINE MIDLAND BANK, BUFFALO, NY 14203 (212) 454-1207 10,000,000 (\$500,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2122 MAR. 08) (BR. 99)
- F-6 ELANDSRAND GOLD MINING CO LTD/ADR/, ONE MARINE MIDLAND CENTER,
 C/O MARINE MIDLAND BANK, BUFFALO, NY 14203 (212) 978-5009 10,000,000
 (\$500,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2126 MAR. 08)
- S-4 TRI STATE 1ST BANK INC, 16924 ST CLAIR AVE, PO BOX 796, EAST LIVERPOOL, OH 43920 (216) 385-9200 205,400 (\$6,367,400) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2132 MAR. 08) (BR. 2 NEW ISSUE)
- S-1 PHYSIOMETRIX INC, FIVE BILLERICA PARK, 101 BILLERICA AVE, NORTH BILLERICA, MA 01862 (508) 670-2422 - 2,875,000 (\$25,875,000) COMMON STOCK. 125,000 (\$125) WARRANTS, OPTIONS OR RIGHTS. 125,000 (\$1,350,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2138 - MAR. 08) (BR. 8 - NEW ISSUE)
- S-1 COLLABORATIVE CLINICAL RESEARCH INC, 20600 CHAGRIN BLVD, STE 1050, CLEVELAND, OH 44122 (216) 491-9930 \$24,840,000 COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2140 MAR. 08) (BR. 8 NEW ISSUE)
- S-1 BIOTRANSPLANT INC, CHARLESTOWN NAVY YARD, BLDG 96 13TH ST, CHARLESTOWN, MA 02129 (617) 241-5200 2,875,000 (\$31,625,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2144 MAR. 08) (BR. 4)
- SB-2 MICROLEAGUE MULTIMEDIA INC, 750 DAWSON DR, NEWAKK, DE 19713 (302) 268-9990 - 977,500 (\$5,865,000) COMMON STOCK. 1,062,500 (\$108,800) WARRANTS, OPTIONS OR RIGHTS. 1,147,500 (\$7,675,500) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2148 - MAR. 08) (BR. 10 - NEW ISSUE)

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- S-1 JAYHAWK ACCEPTANCE CORP, TWO GALLERIA TOWER STE 1800, 13455 NOEL RD, DALLAS, TX 75240 (214) 663-1000 2,875,000 (\$34,500,000) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2150 NAR. 08) (BR. 12)
- SB-2 BIG CITY BAGELS INC, 99 WOODBURY RD, HICKSVILLE, NY 11801 (516) 932-5050 - 3,450,000 (\$15,753,125) COMMON STOCK. 225,000 (\$540,112.50) WARRANTS, OPTIONS OR RIGHTS. (FILE 333-2154 - MAR. 08) (BR. 11 - NEW ISSUE)
- F-6 QUILMES INDUSTRIAL QUINSA SOCIETE ANONYME, 84 GRAND RUE L-1660 LUXEMBOURG, GRAND DUCHY OF LUXEMBOURG, LUXEMBURG, N4 -158,750,000 (\$7,937,500) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2158 - MAR. 08) (BR. 11)
- S-1 PCS DEVELOPMENT CORP, 15 SOUTH MAIN ST, STE 810, GREENVILLE, SC 29601 (864) 235-0940 125,000,000 (\$125,000,000) STRAIGHT BONDS. (FILE 333-2162 MAR. 08) (BR. 7 NEW ISSUE)
- F-8 TRANSCANADA PIPELINES LTD /FI/ 816,000 (\$11,118,326.40) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2164 MAR. 08) (NEW ISSUE)
- F-6 STILFONTEIN GOLD MINING CO LT/ ADR/, 280 PARK AVE, C/O BANKERS TRSUT CO, NEW YORK, NY 10015 (212) 978-5009 10,000,000 (\$500,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2174 MAR. 08) (BR. 0)
- F-6 GROOTVLEI PROPRIETARY MINES LTD/ADR/, 280 PARK AVE,
 C/O BANKERS TRUST CO, NEW YORK, NY 10015 (212) 454-1207 10,000,000
 (\$500,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2176 MAR. 08)
- S-3 LASERSIGHT INC /DE, 12161 LACKLAND RD, ST LOUIS, MO 63146 (314) 469-3220 1,601,095 (\$18,612,729.38) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2198 MAR. 08) (BR. 3)
- S-1 ORPHAN MEDICAL INC, 13911 RIDGEDALE DR SUITE 475, MINNETONKA, NN 55305 (612) 541-1868 2,127,500 (\$18,211,400) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2200 MAR. 11) (BR. 4)
- S-8 AMX CORP, 11995 FORESTGATE DR, DALLAS, TX 75243 (214) 644-3048 2,453,080 (\$16,260,972.54) COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2202 MAR. 11) (BR. 3)
- F-6 FLETCHER CHALLENGE LTD /FI, 87 91 THE TERRACE, FLETCHER CHALLENGER HOUSE PO BOX 1696, WELLINGTON NEW ZEALAND, Q2 - 25,000,000 (\$1,250,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2208 - MAR. 11) (NEW ISSUE)
- F-6 FLETCHER CHALLENGE LTD /FI, 87 91 THE TERRACE, FLETCHER CHALLENGER HOUSE PO BOX 1696, WELLINGTON NEW ZEALAND, Q2 - 25,000,000 (\$1,250,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2210 - MAR. 11)
- F-6 FLETCHER CHALLENGE LTD /FI, 87 91 THE TERRACE, FLETCHER CHALLENGER HOUSE PO BOX 1696, WELLINGTON NEW ZEALAND, Q2 - 25,000,000 (\$1,250,000) DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS FOR COMMON STOCK. (FILE 333-2212 - MAR. 11)