

Trans No.	Acquiring	Acquired	Entities
Transactions Granted Early Termination—06/15/2001			
20011971	DIC Entertainment Holdings, Inc	Golden Books Family Entertainment, Inc., debtor-in-possession.	Golden Books Home Video, Inc., LRM Acquisition Corp. Golden Books Publishing Company, Inc. Shari Lewis Enterprises, Inc., SLE Productions, Inc.
Transactions Granted Early Termination—06/18/2001			
20011898	UPMC Health System	Northwest Health System, Inc	Northwest Health System, Inc.
20011920	J.M. Huber Corporation	Noviant Oy	Noviant Oy
20011921	The News Corporation Limited	Mr. Haim Saban	MTM Enterprises, Inc.
20011922	The News Corporation Limited	The News Corporation Limited	MTM Enterprises, Inc.
20011937	El Paso Corporation	Limestone Electron Trust	Cedar Brakes II LLC
20011939	Limestone Electron Trust	El Paso Corporation	Manschief Power Company LLC.
20011942	Bruce Nelson	Service Stations Partners, LP	Avanti Holdings, Inc.
20011946	First Union Corporation	Wachovia Corporation	Wachovia Corporation
20011948	Vitesse Semiconductor Corporation	Versatile Optical Networks, Inc	Versatile Optical Networks, Inc.
20011949	CorrFlex Graphics, LLC	Chesapeake Corporation	Chesapeake Display and Packaging Company.
20011956	Berkshire Hathaway Inc	Rexam PLC	MiTek, Inc.
20011960	Yellow Pages Investments L.P	British Telecommunications plc	Yellow Book USA, Inc.
20011961	Cypress Semiconductor Corporation	Lara Networks, Inc	Lara Networks, Inc.
20011973	Conseco, Inc	vereniging AEGON	Transamerica Bank N.A. Transamerica Retail Financial Services Corporation
20011976	Alan Cohen	Boca Resorts, Inc	Florida Panthers Hockey Club, Ltd.
20011977	United Business Media plc	Douglas F. Allison	Allison-Fisher International, Inc.
20011981	Goodrich Corporation	Goodrich Corporation	Garlock Bearings LLC
20011985	UAL Corporation	MyPoints.com, Inc	MyPoints.com, Inc.
20011987	Wolseley plc	M. Francois Pinault	Westbunne Supply Inc.
Transactions Granted Early Termination—06/19/2001			
20011941	Building Materials Holding Corporation	Lawrence W. & Beverly A. Knipp	KBI Distribution, LLC Knipp Brothers Industries, LLC
20011984	The Innovation Group, plc	Halifax Capital Partners, L.P	MTW Corporation
Transactions Granted Early Termination—06/20/2001			
20011375	Excellus, Inc	Univera Healthcare Foundation	Univera Healthcare Foundation
20011885	MSC Software Corporation	Advanced Enterprise Solutions, Inc	Advanced Enterprise Solutions, Inc.
Transactions Granted Early Termination—06/22/2001			
20011910	DoveBid, Inc	FastParts, Inc	FastParts, Inc.
20012023	The AES Corporation	Thermo Electron Corporation	Ecotek NewSub Corporation Wooldand Biomass Power Ltd.

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Secretary.

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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.

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TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—06/25/2001			
20011821	Apollo Investment Fund IV, L.P.	1992 Durwood, Inc. Voting Trust	AMC Entertainment, Inc.
20011975	W.C. Bradley Co.	Brunswick Corporation	Zebco Corporation.
20011996	Legg Mason, Inc.	Private Capital Management. L.P.	Private Capital Management, L.P.
20011998	Brafin S.a.p.a.	Acist Medical Systems	Acist Medical Systems.
20012004	EdperPartners Limited	Enterprise Reinsurance Holdings Corporation.	Enterprise Reinsurance Holdings Corporation.
20012011	Grupo Grifols, S.A.	SeraCare, Inc.	SeraCare, Inc.
TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—06/26/2001			
20011958	Credence Systems Corporation	Integrated Measurement Systems, Inc.	Integrated Measurement Systems, Inc.
20011983	N.V. Bekaert S.A.	Material Sciences Corporation	Innovative Specialty Films LLC. MSC Specialty Films, Inc.
TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—06/27/2001			
20011933	Suez	Brambles Industries Limited	EnSCO Caribe, Inc. EnSCO West, Inc. EnSCO, Inc. Environmental Systems Company. MSE Environmental, Inc.
20011952	Dennis M. Langley	Utilicorp United, Inc.	UtiliCorp Pipeline Systems, Inc.
20011955	Inhale Therapeutic Systems, Inc.	Shearwater Corporation	Shearwater Corporation.
20011957	NextMedia Investors LLC	PNE Media Holdings, LLC	Chesapeake Outdoor Enterprises, Inc. Crickett, Ltd. PNE Media, LLC.
20011980	Fiserv, Inc.	EPSIIA Corporation	EPSIIA Corporation.
20011988	Allianz Aktiengesellschaft	Dresdner Bank AG	Dresdner Bank AG.
20011991	Gary C. Wendt	Conseco, Inc.	Conseco, Inc.
20011994	Aventis S.A.	E.ON AG	ASTA Medica AG.
20011997	Deere & Company	Richton International Corporation	Richton International Corporation.
20012007	TMP Worldwide Inc.	Decision Point Data, Inc. d/b/a Unicru, Inc..	Decision Point Data, Inc. d/b/a Unicru, Inc.
TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—06/28/2001			
20011911	Technitrol, Inc.	Frederick J. & Jessica H. Kiko	Excelsus Technology.
20011915	TriQuint Semiconductor, Inc.	Sawtek Inc.	Sawtek Inc.
20011932	Rhodia	Brambles Industries Limited	EnSCO Caribe, Inc. EnSCO West, Inc. EnSCO, Inc. Environmental Systems Company. MSE Environmental, Inc.
20012006	Affiliated Computer Services, Inc.	Systems & Computer Technology Corporation.	Omni-Tech Systems, Ltd.
20012008	Klaus-Michael Kuehne	USCO Contract Logistics, LLC	SGT Government Systems, Inc. SCT Property Inc.
20012009	Klaus-Michael Kuehne	USCO Distribution Services, Inc.	USCO Contract Logistics, LLC.
20012018	McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. (The)	PricewaterhouseCoopers CVC Division	USCO Distribution Services, Inc.
20012019	SCOR U.S. Corporation	Caisse Centrale des Assurances Muteuelles Agricoles.	PricewaterhouseCoopers CVC Division.
20012029	Qwest Communications International Inc.	Enron Corp.	SOREMA N.A. Holding Corporation.
TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—06/29/2001			
20011643	Electronic Data Systems Corporation	Sabre Holdings Corporation	Sabre Inc.
TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—07/02/2001			
20011776	Northrop Grumman Corporation	Gencorp Inc.	Aerojet-General Corporation.
20011974	SPX Corporation	Kendro Holdings, L.P.	Kendro Laboratory Products, L.P., Kendro Corporation.
20011999	Tyco International Ltd.	Home Products International, Inc.	Home Products International-North America, Inc.
20012013	Brian L. Roberts	The News Corporation, Limited	Outdoor Life Network, LLC.
20012030	Albemarle Corporation	Chemfirst Inc.	ChemFirst Fine Chemicals, Inc.
20012032	MCC Acquisition Holdings Corporation	CPI Development Corporation	First Chemical Corporation.
20012035	Cypress Merchant Banking Partners II L.P..	MCC Acquisition Holdings Corporation	Carter-Wallace, Inc. CPI Development Corporation.
			MCC Acquisition Holdings Corporation.

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20012036	Carlyle Partners III, L.P.	MCC Acquisition Holdings corporation ..	MCC Acquisition Holdings Corporation.
20012037	Warburg, Pincus Equity Partners, L.P. ..	Micro Therapeutics, Inc	Micro Therapeutics, Inc.
20012043	Cheung Kong (Holdings) Limited	priceline.com. Incorporated	priceline.com. Incorporated.
20012044	Hutchison Whampoa Limited	priceline.com Incorporated	priceline.com Incorporated.
20012054	Warburg, Pincus Equity Partners, L.P. ..	The Cobalt Group, Inc.	The Cobalt Group, Inc.
20012058	The St. Paul Companies	Barra, Inc.	Symphony asset Management LLC.
20012059	The St. Paul Companies, Inc.	Maestro, LLC	Symphony asset Management LLC.
20012065	Craig O. McCaw	Nextel Communications, Inc.	Nextel Communications, Inc.

TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—07/03/2001

20011944	Universal Compression Holdings, Inc. ...	KCI, Inc.	KCI Compression Company, LP.
20012047	Verizon Communications Inc.	Carolina PCS I Limited Partnership	Carolina PCS I Limited Partnership.
20012052	Federated Department Stores, Inc.	Liberty House, Inc.	Liberty House, Inc.
20012063	The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	Epoch Partners, Inc.	Epoch Partners, Inc.

TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—07/05/2001

20012033	Church & Dwight Co., Inc.	CPI Development Corporation	Carter-Wallace, Inc.
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TRANSACTIONS GRANTED EARLY TERMINATION—07/06/2001

20012051	AdvancePCS	Dresing-Lieman, Inc.	Dresing-Lieman, Inc.
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By Direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,
Secretary.

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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 Privacy and Confidentiality.

Time and Date:

1:00 p.m.–5:30 p.m. August 21, 2001

8:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m. August 22, 2001

8:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. August 23, 2001

Place: Hubert H. Humphrey Building, Room 705A, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20201.

Status: Open.

Background: The National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics is the statutory advisory body to the Secretary of Health and Human Services in the area of health data, statistics, and health information policy. It is established by section 306(k) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 242k(k)), and its mandate includes advising the Secretary on the implementation of the Administrative

Simplification provisions of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), Pub. L. No. 104-191).

Its Subcommittee on Privacy and Confidentiality monitors major developments in health information privacy and confidentiality on behalf of the full Committee and makes recommendations to the full Committee and assists the Department on implementation of the health information privacy provisions of HIPAA.

Purpose: This meeting of the Subcommittee on Privacy and Confidentiality will be conducted as a hearing to receive information from the public on the implementation of the regulation "Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information" (45 CFR parts 160 and 164), promulgated under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.

The regulation and further information about it can be found on the web site of the Office for Civil Rights, at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/hipaa/>. The regulation has been in effect since April 14, 2001. Most entities covered by the regulation must come into compliance by April 14, 2003, and many are beginning the process of implementing it.

At this hearing those who provide health care, those who pay for it (such as health plans), and those who use health information (such as the research and public health communities) and members of the public will have an opportunity to address specific issues pertaining to the implementation of the regulation.

The hearing will seek information about practical issues in implementation of the regulation, and suggestions about possible solutions for such issues. The Subcommittee particularly seeks detailed information about the following four issues: (1) The regulation's requirements for consent in order to use information for treatment, payment, and health care operations, (2) the regulation's requirements that those covered by it must make reasonable efforts to limit use and disclosure of, and requests for, protected

health information to the minimum necessary to accomplish the intended purpose of the use, disclosure, or request; (3) the effects of the regulation on research (both research in which treatment is given and records-based research), and (4) the regulation's provisions for use and disclosure of health information for marketing.

The format will include one or more invited panels on each of the issues and time for questions and discussion. The Subcommittee particularly seeks focused, detailed analyses and description, with examples, of the effect the regulation is expected to have, based on early implementation efforts and preliminary assessments of impact.

In addition to the panels that will be invited to address these issues, members of the public who would like to make a brief (3 minutes or less) oral comment on one or more of the specified issues during the hearing will be placed on the agenda as time permits. To be included on the agenda, please contact Marietta Rawlinson (301) 458-4524, by e-mail at mrawlinson@cdc.gov, or postal address at NCHS, Presidential Building, Room 1100, 6525 Belcrest Road, Hyattsville, Maryland 20782 by August 7, 2001. Persons wishing to submit written testimony only (no more than 4-5 double-spaced typewritten pages) should endeavor to submit it by that date. Unfilled slots for oral testimony will also be filled on-site as time permits. Please consult Ms. Rawlinson for further information about these arrangements. Additional information about the hearing will be provided on the NCVHS website at <http://www.ncvhs.hhs.gov> shortly before the hearing date.

Contact Person For More Information: Substantive program information may be obtained from Gail Horlick, M.S.W., J.D., Lead Staff Person for the NCVHS Subcommittee on Privacy and Confidentiality, Office of Research and Demonstrations, Program Analyst, National Immunization Program, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road,