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 January 22, 1998.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (Maria Villanueva, Manager of Analytical Support, Consumer Regulation Group) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105-1579:

1. Wells Fargo & Company, San Francisco, California; to acquire Mercantile Financial Enterprises, Inc., Brownsville, Texas; and thereby indirectly acquire Mercantile Bank, N.A., Brownsville, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 21, 1998.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate 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 January 22, 1998.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago (Philip Jackson, Applications Officer) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1413:

1. Greenville Community Financial Corporation, Greenville, Michigan; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Greenville Community Bank, Greenville, Michigan (in organization).

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (D. Michael Manies, Assistant Vice
President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas
City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. Durant Bancorp, Inc., Durant, Oklahoma; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Security National Bancshares of Sapulpa, Inc., Sapulpa, Oklahoma; and thereby indirectly acquire Security National Bank of Sapulpa, Sapulpa, Oklahoma.

C. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (W. Arthur Tribble, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. Bauer Management, Inc., and Bauer Investments, Ltd., both of Port Lavaca, Texas; to become bank holding companies by acquiring 60.30 percent of the voting shares of The First National Bank, Port Lavaca, Texas, and 63.5 percent of the voting shares of Seaport Bank, Seadrift, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 22, 1998.

Robert deV. Frierson.

Associate Secretary of the Board.
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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

TIME AND DATE: 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 2, 1999.

PLACE: Federal Trade Commission Building, Room 532, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 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 Trans Union Corporation, Docket 9255 Portions Closed to the Public:
- (2) Executive Session to follow Oral Argument in Trans Union Corporation, Docket 9255

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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Donald S. Clark,

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.