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ST. LOUIS - The Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, acting pursuant to delegated authority for the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, today approved the notification by Delta Trust & Banking Corporation, Little Rock, Arkansas, to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of at least 80 percent of the voting shares of SEA Bancshares, Inc., Parkdale, Arkansas, thereby indirectly acquiring its subsidiary bank, Southeast Arkansas Bank, Parkdale, Arkansas.

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