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BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

H.2 Applications and Reports Received or Acted on 1970 - No. 45

During the Week Ended November 7, 1970.

District	Date
	To Withdraw from Membership in the Federal Reserve
	System Without a Six Month Notice as Prescribed by
	Section 9 of the Federal Reserve Act
	Approved
5	Security Bank and Trust Company, Danville, Virginia.

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To Establish a Domestic Branch Pursuant to Section 9 of the Federal Reserve Act Received

The Provident Bank, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Branch at 8055 Montgomery Road, Sycamore Township,
Hamilton County.

Denied by State

Depositors Trust Company, Augusta, Maine.

Branch at Main Street Shopping Center, Livermore Falls.

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To Merge Pursuant to Section 18(c) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act

Denied

The Connecticut Bank and Trust Company, Hartford,
Connecticut, for prior approval to merge The Northside
Bank and Trust Company, Bristol, Connecticut, under
the charter of The Connecticut Bank and Trust Company.

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To Form a Bank Holding Company Pursuant to Section 3(a)(1) of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956

Received

- Barclays Bank D.C.O., London, England, for prior approval to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of up to 100 per cent (less directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares of Barclays Bank of New York, New York, New York.
- 8 Mercantile Bancorporation, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri, for prior approval to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of 100 per cent (less directors' qualifying shares) of Mercantile Trust Company National Association, St. Louis, Mercantile-Commerce Trust Company, St. Louis, and The Southern Missouri Trust Company, Springfield, all in Missouri.

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To Expand a Bank Holding Company Pursuant to Section 3(a)(3) of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956

Received

- Barclays Bank Limited, London, England, for prior approval of the acquisition of up to 100 per cent (less directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares of Barclays Bank of New York, New York, New York.
- 2 Security New York State Corporation, Rochester, New York, for prior approval of the acquisition of 100 per cent (less directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares of the successor by merger to First National Bank and Trust Company of Ithaca, Ithaca, New York.

Approved

- 4 BancOhio Corporation, Columbus, Ohio, for prior approval to acquire 80 per cent or more of the voting shares of First National Bank at East Palestine, East Palestine, Ohio.
- 4 Huntington Bancshares Incorporated, Columbus, Ohio, for prior approval of acquisition of 80 per cent or more of the voting shares of First National Bank and Trust Company of Lima, Lima, Ohio.

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- Approved (cont'd)

 Southeast Bancorporation, Inc., Miami, Florida, for prior approval of acquisition of 80 per cent or more of the voting shares of The Bank of Hollywood Hills, H Hollywood, Florida.
- Southeast Bancorporation, Inc., Miami, Florida, for prior approval to acquire 80 per cent or more of the voting shares of The Bank of Miramar, Miramar, Florida.
- The First National Bancorporation, Inc., Denver, Colorado, for prior approval of the acquisition of 80 per cent or more of the voting shares of The Security State Bank of Sterling, Sterling, Colorado.

Denied

Southeast Bancorporation, Inc., Miami, Florida, for prior approval to acquire 80 per cent or more of the voting shares of Hollywood Bank and Trust Company, Hollywood, Florida.

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