

ANNOUNCEMENT BY

BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Applications and Reports Received or Acted on

H.2

1973 No. 18

During the Week Ending May 5, 1973

District

Date

Registration Statement Filed Pursuant to  
Section 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act

Received

7	First Michigan Bank and Trust Company, Zeeland, Michigan	4-27-73
11	Citizens State Bank of Corpus Christi, Corpus Christi, Texas	4-30-73

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Current Report Filed Pursuant to Section 13  
of the Securities Exchange Act

Received

4	The Sylvania Savings Bank Company, Sylvania, Ohio	5-2-73
5	Mountain Trust Bank, Roanoke, Virginia	5-2-73

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

Received

- 3 Girard Trust Bank, Bala Cynwyd, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.  
Branch to be established at the Southeast corner  
of Easton Road, U. S. Route 611 and Almshouse Road,  
Doylestown Township, Bucks County.
- 4 The Dollar Savings & Trust Company, Youngstown, Ohio.  
Branch to be established at 3720 Mahoning Avenue,  
Austine Township, Mahoning County.
- 5 Commercial and Farmers Bank, Ellicott City, Maryland.  
Branch to be established at the Southwest corner of Routes  
103 and 29, Columbia Pike, Howard County.
- 5 First Virginia Bank of Colonial Heights, Colonial Heights,  
Virginia. Branch to be established at 12700 Jefferson  
Davis Highway, Chester, Chesterfield County.
- 7 The Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Logansport, Indiana.  
Branch to be established at 408-412 E. Market Street,  
Logansport.
- 7 The Fidelity Savings Bank of Antigo, Wisconsin, Antigo, Wisconsin.  
Branch to be established at the intersection of State Highway  
64 and U. S. Highway 45-47-52, Antigo.

Approved

- 3 \*The Bank of New Jersey, Camden, Camden County, New Jersey.  
Branch to be established at Cinnaminson Mall, U. S. Route  
130 and Cinnaminson Avenue, Cinnaminson Township, Burlington  
County.
- 7 \*Genesee Merchants Bank & Trust Company, Flint, Michigan.  
Branch to be established in the vicinity of Genesee and  
Hill Roads, Grand Blanc Township, Genesee County.
- 8 \*First State Bank of St. Charles, St. Charles, Missouri. Branch  
to be established on the Southwest side of Old Highway 94  
at Sheerman Drive, St. Charles.

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\*Application processed by the Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of  
Governors under delegated authority.

Approved Continued

- 8            \*Lemay Bank & Trust Company, Lemay, Missouri. Branch to be established at the intersection of Kington Drive, Telegraph Road and Sigsbee Avenue, St. Louis County.
- 12           \*Bank of Utah, Ogden, Utah. Branch to be established in the vicinity of 7400, East 200, South Huntsville, Weber County.

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To Establish an Overseas Branch of a Member Bank  
Pursuant to Section 25 of the Federal Reserve Act

Received

- 2            Marine Midland Bank-New York, New York City. To establish a branch in Panama City, Panama.
- 7            America National Bank and Trust Company of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois. To establish a branch in Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands.

Approved

- 7            \*Seattle-First National Bank, Seattle, Washington. To establish a branch in London, England.

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To Organize, or Invest in, a Corporation Doing  
Foreign Banking and Other Foreign Financing Pursuant  
To Section 25 or 25(a) of the Federal Reserve Act

Approved

- 12           \*First National Bank of Oregon, Portland, Oregon. To organize a corporation to be known as First National Bank of Oregon International Corporation, Portland, Oregon.
- 12           \*Pacific National Bank of Washington, Seattle, Washington. To organize a corporation to be known as Pacific Bank International, Seattle, Washington.

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\*Application processed by the Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of  
Governors under delegated authority.

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

Received

- 5           Piedmont Carolina Financial Services, Inc., Davidson,  
            North Carolina, for prior approval to acquire  
            100 per cent (less directors' qualifying shares)  
            of the voting shares of the successor by merger  
            to Piedmont Bank and Trust Company, Davidson,  
            North Carolina.

Delayed

- 10           \*\*Saratoga Bankshares, Saratoga, Wyoming, for prior           5-3-73  
            approval to acquire 100 per cent of the voting  
            shares of Saratoga State Bank, Saratoga, Wyoming.

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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

- 5           \*\*United Virginia Bankshares Incorporated, Richmond,           5-1-73  
            Virginia, for prior approval to acquire 100 per  
            cent of the voting shares of the successor by  
            merger to Citizens Bank of South Boston, South  
            Boston, Virginia.
- 6           First Alabama Bancshares, Inc., Birmingham, Alabama,  
            for prior approval to acquire 80 per cent of the  
            voting shares of the successor by merger to Citizens  
            Bank of Guntersville, Guntersville, Alabama.
- 6           \*\*United Alabama Bancshares, Inc., Dothan, Alabama,           4-30-73  
            for prior approval to acquire at least 80 per  
            cent or more of the voting shares of The Bank  
            of Huntsville, Huntsville, Alabama.
- 6           \*\*United Alabama Bancshares, Inc., Dothan, Alabama,           4-30-73  
            for prior approval to acquire at least 80 per  
            cent or more of the voting shares of First National  
            Bank of Eufaula, Eufaula, Alabama.

\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under  
delegated authority.

Received Continued

- 6           \*\*United Alabama Bancshares, Inc., Dothan, Alabama,           4-30-73  
for prior approval to acquire at least 80 per  
cent or more of the voting shares of First Western  
Bank, Bessemer, Alabama.
- 7           Central National Bancshares, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa,  
for prior approval to acquire 80 per cent or more  
of the voting shares of United Home Bank & Trust  
Co., Mason City, Iowa, through the acquisition  
of 90 per cent or more of the voting shares of  
Unibank, Inc., Mason City, Iowa, and through the  
execution of tender offers with minority shareholders  
of United Home Bank & Trust Co.
- 7           Central National Bancshares, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa,  
for prior approval to acquire 80 per cent or more  
of the voting shares of First State Bank, Britt,  
Iowa, through the acquisition of 90 per cent or  
more of the voting shares of United American  
Investment Company, Mason City, Iowa, and through  
the execution of tender offers with minority  
shareholders of First State Bank.
- 7           Central National Bancshares, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa,  
for prior approval to acquire 80 per cent or  
more of the voting shares of The Security State  
Bank, Algona, Iowa, through the acquisition of  
90 per cent or more of the voting shares of Kossuth  
Security Investment Company, Mason City, Iowa,  
and through the execution of tender offers with  
minority shareholders of The Security State Bank.
- 11          First International Bancshares, Inc., Dallas, Texas,  
for prior approval to acquire 100 per cent (less  
directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares  
of the successor by merger to The First National  
Bank of Harlingen, Harlingen, Texas.
- 11          First International Bancshares, Inc., Dallas, Texas,  
for prior approval to acquire 100 per cent (less  
directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares  
of the successor by merger to The First National  
Bank of Odessa, Odessa, Texas.

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delegated authority.

Approved

- 1 New England Merchants Company, Inc., Boston,  
Massachusetts, for prior approval to acquire  
100 per cent (less directors' qualifying shares)  
of the voting shares of the successor by merger  
to The Barnstable County National Bank of Hyannis,  
Hyannis, Massachusetts.
- 2 The Chase Manhattan Corporation, New York, New York,  
for prior approval to acquire 100 per cent (less  
directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares  
of Chase Manhattan Bank of Eastern New York (National  
Association), Albany, New York, a proposed new bank.
- 2 The Chase Manhattan Corporation, New York, New York,  
for prior approval to acquire 100 per cent (less  
directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares  
of Chase Manhattan Bank of Western New York (National  
Association), Buffalo, New York, the successor  
by merger to Lincoln National Bank, Buffalo, New York.
- 4 Union Commerce Corporation, Washington, D. C., for  
prior approval to acquire 100 per cent (less directors'  
qualifying shares) of the voting shares of The  
Southern Ohio Bank, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- 7 First National Financial Corporation, Kalamazoo,  
Michigan, for prior approval to acquire 100 per  
cent of the voting shares of the successor by merger  
to The Commercial Bank of Menominee, Menominee,  
Michigan.
- 8 First Tennessee National Corporation, Memphis,  
Tennessee, for prior approval to acquire 100  
per cent of the voting shares of the successor  
by merger to The Fountain City Bank, Knoxville,  
Tennessee.
- 10 Central Mortgage Co., Inc., Springfield, Missouri,  
for prior approval to acquire 50 per cent or  
more of the voting shares of Farmer's Bank of  
Stover, Stover, Missouri.
- 10 Central Mortgage Co., Inc., Springfield, Missouri,  
for prior approval to acquire 50 per cent or  
more of the voting shares of Jackson County  
State Bank, Kansas City, Missouri.

Approved Continued

- 11 First City Bancorporation of Texas, Inc., Houston, Texas, for prior approval to acquire 100 per cent (less directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares of the successor by merger to Corpus Christi Bank and Trust, Corpus Christi, Texas.
- 11 First United Bancorporation, Inc., Fort Worth, Texas, for prior approval to acquire 100 per cent (less directors' qualifying shares) of the voting shares of Cleburne National Bank, Cleburne, Texas.
- 11 \*\*Pan National Group, Inc., El Paso, Texas, for prior approval to acquire 1,124 shares through a rights offering of Citizens State Bank of Ysleta, El Paso, Texas. 5-4-73

Suspended

- 1 On H.2 No. 4, the Board reported receipt of an application from State Street Boston Financial Corporation, Boston, Massachusetts, for prior approval to acquire 100 per cent of the voting shares of the successor by merger to Union National Bank, Lowell, Massachusetts. This application is now in suspense awaiting receipt of Applicant's reply to a Department of Justice letter to the Board dated April 25, 1973.

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To Expand a Bank Holding Company Pursuant to Section 3(a)(5) of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956

Received

- 6 Consolidated Bankshares of Florida, Inc., Fort Lauderdale, Florida, for prior approval to acquire at least 80 per cent of the voting shares of North American Mortgage Corporation, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Approved

- 10 Central Mortgage Co., Inc., Springfield, Missouri, for prior approval to merge with Harmon Oil Co., Inc., Warrensburg, Missouri.

\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under delegated authority.

To Expand a Bank Holding Company Pursuant to Section  
4(c)(8) of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956

Received

- 1      \*\*Industrial National Corporation, Providence, Rhode      5-1-73  
Island, notification of intent to engage in a  
de novo activity (leasing personal property and  
equipment, or acting as agent, broker, or adviser  
in leasing of such property, and other activities  
commonly engaged in by equipment leasing companies)  
through subsidiaries to be known as Industrial  
Leasing Corporation of Springfield, Inc., Industrial  
Leasing Corporation of Fitchburg, Inc., and  
Industrial Leasing Corporation, Providence, Rhode  
Island.
- 1      \*\*Industrial National Corporation, Providence, Rhode      4-30-73  
Island, notification of intent to engage in de novo  
activities ((1) consumer finance; and (2) insurance  
underwriting of credit life insurance, and credit  
accident and health insurance, and insurance agency  
or brokerage in connection with selling to consumer  
finance borrowers credit life insurance, credit  
accident and health insurance, and property damage  
insurance for collateral securing loans made to  
borrowers) through a subsidiary known as Southern  
Discount Company, Chiefland, Florida.
- 1      \*\*Northeast Bancorp, Inc., New Haven, Connecticut,      5-1-73  
notification of intent to engage in a de novo  
activity (the conduct of a general mortgage banking  
business) through a subsidiary to be known as N.B.I.  
Mortgage Investment Corporation, in New Haven,  
Connecticut, and Stamford, Connecticut.
- 5      \*\*First & Merchants Corporation, Richmond, Virginia,      5-1-73  
notification of intent to engage in de novo  
activities (making mortgage loans principally secured  
by second mortgages on residential and commercial  
real estate and such other incidental activities as  
may be necessary to the business of making such  
loans, including acting as agent for the sale of  
credit life, credit disability, mortgage redemp-  
tion and mortgage cancellation insurance in con-  
nection with the making of such loans) through its  
subsidiary, First & Merchants Mortgage Corporation,  
in Cleveland, Ohio.

\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under  
delegated authority.



Received Continued

- 5           Piedmont Carolina Financial Services, Inc., Davidson, North Carolina, for prior approval to acquire the shares of B. & M. Finance Company, Inc., d.b.a. Salem Finance Company, Winston-Salem; Carolina Finance Company of Charlotte, Inc., d.b.a. Carolina Finance Company, Charlotte; and Credit Loan and Finance Company, Inc., Greensboro, all in North Carolina.
- 6           \*\*American Bancshares, Incorporated, North Miami, Florida, notification of intent to engage in de novo activities (making or acquiring, for its own account or for the account of others, loans and other extensions of credit (including issuing letters of credit and accepting drafts), such as would be made by a mortgage company; servicing loans and other extensions of credit for any person; and acting as insurance agent with respect to insurance which is directly related to an extension of credit by said mortgage company) in North Miami and St. Petersburg, Florida, through a subsidiary known as American Bancshares Mortgage Company, Incorporated. 4-30-73
- 6           \*\*Central Bankshares Corporation, Jonesboro, Georgia, notification of intent to engage in de novo activities (making loans, principally secured by first and second mortgages on single family residences; and servicing loans, principally secured by first and second mortgages on single family residences) in Jonesboro and Forest Park, Georgia. 5-3-73
- 6           \*\*Citizens and Southern Holding Company, Atlanta, Georgia, notification of intent to engage in de novo activities ((1) making or acquiring, for its own account or for the account of others, loans and other extensions of credit (including issuing letters of credit and accepting drafts), such as would be made by a mortgage company; (2) servicing loans and other extensions of credit for any person; and (3) acting as investment or financial adviser, including (i) serving as the advisory company for a mortgage or real estate investment trust; and (ii) furnishing economic or financial information) in Greensboro, North Carolina, through a subsidiary known as Citizens and Southern Mortgage Company. 4-30-73

\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under delegated authority.

Received Continued

- 6           \*\*Citizens and Southern Holding Company, Atlanta, Georgia, notification of intent to engage in de novo activities ((1) making or acquiring, for its own account or for the account of others, loans and other extensions of credit (including issuing letters of credit and accepting drafts), such as would be made by a mortgage company; (2) servicing loans and other extensions of credit for any person; and (3) acting as investment or financial adviser, including (i) serving as the advisory company for a mortgage or real estate investment trust; and (ii) furnishing economic or financial information) in Mobile, Alabama, through a subsidiary known as Citizens and Southern Mortgage Company. 5-2-73
- 6           \*\*Trust Company of Georgia, Atlanta, Georgia, and its wholly-owned subsidiary, Trust Company of Georgia Associates, Atlanta, Georgia, notification of intent to engage in a de novo activity (conducting a mortgage banking business) in Jacksonville, Florida, through a subsidiary known as Adair Mortgage Company. 4-30-73
- 7           Central National Bancshares, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa, for prior approval to acquire the shares of Britt Insurance Agency, Britt, Iowa.
- 7           Central National Bancshares, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa, for prior approval to acquire the shares of LuVerne Insurance Agency, LuVerne, Iowa.
- 12          \*\*Security Pacific Corporation, Los Angeles, California, notification of intent to engage in a de novo activity (acting as investment or financial adviser to the extent of providing portfolio investment advice to Security Pacific Corporation and its affiliated companies and to any other person) through a subsidiary known as Security Pacific Venture Capital Advisory Corporation, Los Angeles, California. 4-30-73

\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under delegated authority.

Approved

- 2 Fidelity Union Bancorporation, Newark, New Jersey, for prior approval to acquire all of the voting shares of Suburban Finance Company of Newark, Newark, New Jersey.
- 2 First Jersey National Corporation, Jersey City, New Jersey, for prior approval to acquire the assets of Atlantic City Loan Company, Atlantic City, New Jersey, through a subsidiary, Guardian Loan Company, Inc.
- 5 Virginia National Bankshares, Inc., Norfolk, Virginia, for prior approval to acquire 100 per cent of the voting shares of the successor by reorganization to Atlantic Discount Corporation, Elizabeth City, North Carolina.
- 6 First National Holding Corp., Atlanta, Georgia, for prior approval to acquire substantially all the assets of Fairlane Finance Co., Inc., Easley, South Carolina.

Delayed

- 5 \*\*First & Merchants Corporation, Richmond, Virginia, to retain a de novo activity (acting as financial adviser to Tri-South Mortgage Investors, a Massachusetts business trust operating as a real estate investment trust) through a subsidiary known as F & M Tri-South Corporation, Richmond, Virginia, a general partner along with NCNB Tri-South Corporation and First Atlanta Tri-South Corporation, subsidiaries respectively of NCNB Corporation, Charlotte, North Carolina, and First National Holding Corporation, Atlanta, Georgia, both bank holding companies, in a partnership known as Tri-South Management Associates which serves as the investment adviser to Tri-South Mortgage Investors in Atlanta, Georgia. 5-4-73

Denied

- 7 Security National Corporation, Sioux City, Iowa, for prior approval, to acquire all of the voting shares of Siouxland Credit Corp., Sioux City, Iowa.

\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under delegated authority.

- Permitted
- 2           \*\*First Jersey National Corporation, Jersey City, New Jersey, to engage in de novo activities (making secured and unsecured loans and in connection therewith the sale of credit life insurance) through its subsidiary, Guardian Loan Company, Inc., in Roslyn Heights, New York, and Wallingford, Connecticut. 5-5-73
- 2           \*\*J. P. Morgan and Company, Incorporated, New York, New York, to engage in de novo activities (making or acquiring, for its own account or for the account of others, loans and other extensions of credit; and leasing personal property and equipment, with the expectation of being compensated for not less than its full investment in the property, to borrowers or lessees, as the case may be, located anywhere in the United States and foreign countries and acting as agent, broker, or adviser in such leasing of personal property and equipment) through a subsidiary known as J. P. Morgan Interfunding Corporation, New York, New York. 5-4-73
- 5           \*\*The Citizens and Southern Corporation, Charleston, South Carolina, to engage in de novo activities (making and acquiring, for its own account, loans and other extensions of credit such as would be made by a mortgage or finance company, and offering credit life insurance in connection with such activities) through its subsidiary, CN Mortgages, Inc., in Greenville, South Carolina. 4-29-73
- 5           \*\*The Citizens and Southern Corporation, Charleston, South Carolina, to engage in de novo activities (servicing loans and other extensions of credit; making or acquiring, for its own account, loans and other extensions of credit such as would be made by a mortgage or finance company; and offering credit life insurance for the convenience of its borrowing customers) through a subsidiary to be known as Carolina National Mortgage Investment Company, Inc., in Greensboro, North Carolina. 5-5-73

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\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under delegated authority.

Permitted Continued

- 6           \*\*Citibanc Group, Inc., Alexander City, Alabama, to engage in a de novo activity (making or acquiring, for its own account or for the account of others, loans and other extensions of credit, including issuing letters of credit and accepting drafts, such as would be made, for example, by a mortgage, finance, credit card, or factoring company) in Alexander City, Alabama, through a subsidiary to be known as The Citibanc Money Store, Inc.           4-30-73
- 7           \*\*American National Holding Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan, to engage in a de novo activity (leasing personal property and equipment, or acting as agent, broker, or adviser in leasing such property, where at the inception of the initial lease the expectation is that the effect of the transaction and reasonably anticipated future transactions with the same lessee as to the same property will be to compensate the lessor for not less than the lessor's full investment in the property) in Kalamazoo, Portage, Plainwell, Allegan, Lawrence, Athens, Mendon, Richland, Three Rivers, and Niles, all located in Michigan, through a subsidiary known as ANB Leasing Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan.           4-29-73
- 7           \*\*American Fletcher Corporation, Indianapolis, Indiana, to engage in de novo activities (originating, closing, servicing, warehousing, and selling loans secured by real estate mortgages, including but not necessarily limited to FHA, VA and conventional residential mortgage loans and mortgage loans made to finance costs of land acquisition, development, and construction in connection with residential and commercial real estate development) in San Diego, California, through a subsidiary known as American Fletcher Mortgage Company, Indianapolis, Indiana.           5-4-73
- 7           \*\*American National Holding Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan, to engage in de novo activities (making, warehousing, selling, and servicing real estate mortgages) in Portage, Three Rivers, and Niles, all located in Michigan, through a subsidiary known as American National Mortgage Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan.           4-29-73

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\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under delegated authority.

Permitted Continued

- 7           \*\*American National Holding Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan, 4-29-73  
to engage in a de novo activity (making or acquiring  
loans such as commercial, real estate mortgage and  
consumer installment loans, or other such extensions  
of credit for itself or for others; the only in-  
surance offered will be credit life insurance on  
consumer installment loans through the blanket in-  
surance policy of the holding company's banking sub-  
sidiary, The American National Bank and Trust Company  
of Michigan) in Portage, Niles, and Three Rivers, all  
located in Michigan, through a subsidiary known as  
American National Service Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan.
- 7           \*\*American National Holding Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan, 4-29-73  
to engage in a de novo activity (making or acquiring,  
for its own account or for the account of others,  
loans and other extensions of credit such as would  
be made by a commercial finance company or factoring  
company; no insurance will be offered on such loans)  
in Portage, Three Rivers, and Niles, all located in  
Michigan, through a subsidiary known as American  
National Discount Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan.
- 7           \*\*The Indiana National Corporation, Indianapolis, 4-29-73  
Indiana, to engage in a de novo activity (acquiring,  
for its own account and for the account of others,  
direct loans made pursuant to the Mortgage Loan Act  
(commonly referred to as second mortgage loans)  
Revised Code of Ohio Sections (other than first lien)  
1321.51 to 1321.99 inclusive) in Columbus, Ohio,  
through a subsidiary known as Tower Finance and  
Acceptance Corporation, Indianapolis, Indiana.
- 12          \*\*Coast Bancorp, Long Beach, California, to engage in 5-3-73  
de novo activities (loans as permitted by Personal  
Property Brokers license) through a subsidiary to  
be known as Coast Finance, Long Beach, California.

\*\*Processed by Reserve Bank on behalf of the Board of Governors under  
delegated authority.

Withdrawn

- 6           \*\*Citizens and Southern Holding Company, Atlanta, Georgia, notification of intent to engage in de novo activities (to conduct a general trust company business, offering a full range of corporate and personal trust services, including without limitation estate and trust administration, investment management services, corporate and institutional trusteeships and investment counseling services) through a subsidiary known as Coastal and Southern Corporation, Hilton Head Island, South Carolina.           4-18-73

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To Expand a Bank Holding Company Pursuant to Section 4(c)(12) of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956

Received

- 2           \*\*The Sperry and Hutchinson Company, New York, New York, notification of intent to acquire directly or indirectly Buck Creek Industrial, Inc., Atlanta, Georgia.           5-4-73
- 2           \*\*Warner Communications, Inc., New York, New York, notification of intent to acquire Protector Security Center, Inc., Orlando, Florida, through National Kinney Corporation, New York, New York.           5-1-73
- 4           \*\*Midwestern Fidelity Corporation, Milford, Ohio, notification of intent to acquire Brock Insurance Agency, Inc., Loveland, Ohio, a general insurance agency, through its subsidiary, Land-Del Corporation, Cincinnati, Ohio.           5-3-73
- 7           \*\*General American Transportation Corporation, Chicago, Illinois, notification of intent to acquire American Steamship Company, Buffalo, New York, which is engaged largely in transporting iron ore, coal, and limestone.           5-2-73
- 9           \*\*Gamble-Skogmo, Inc., Minneapolis, Minnesota, notification of intent to acquire all of the issued and outstanding capital stock of Women's World Finance Corporation, in California, Washington, and Alabama.           5-4-73

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