comments received from the public and other agencies.

**Request for Comment on Information Collection Proposal**

The Board invites public comment on the following information collection, which is being reviewed under authority delegated by the OMB under the PRA. Comments are invited on the following:

a. Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the Board’s functions; including whether the information has practical utility;

b. The accuracy of the Board’s estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

c. Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;

d. Ways to minimize the burden of information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology;

e. Estimates of capital or startup costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

At the end of the comment period, the comments and recommendations received will be analyzed to determine the extent to which the Board should modify the proposal prior to giving final approval.

Proposal to approve under OMB delegated authority the extension for three years, without revision, of the following report:

**Report title:** Recordkeeping Requirements Associated with Changes in Foreign Investments (Made Pursuant to Regulation K).

Agency form number: FR 2064.

OMB control number: 7100–0109.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondents: Internationally active U.S. banking organizations (member banks, Edge Act and agreement corporations, and bank holding companies).

Estimated number of respondents: 20.

Estimated average hours per response: 2.

Estimated annual burden hours: 160.

General description of report: Internationally active U.S. banking organizations are required to maintain adequate internal records to demonstrate compliance with the investment provisions contained in Subpart A of International Banking Operations (Regulation K).

**Legal authorization and confidentiality:** This collection of information is authorized pursuant to section 5(c) of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1844(c)); sections 25 and 25A of the FRA (12 U.S.C. 602 and 625). The recordkeeping requirements are mandatory. Because the Federal Reserve does not collect these records, an issue of confidentiality under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) is unlikely to arise. FOIA, however, may be implicated if the Federal Reserve’s examiners retain a copy of the records in their examination or supervision of the institution. Any such records would be exempt from disclosure pursuant to exemption 8 of FOIA (5 U.S.C. 552(b)(b)(6)). Exemption 4 to FOIA, which protects confidential financial information, may also be applicable. (5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4)).


Michele Taylor Fennell, Assistant Secretary of the Board.

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**Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of a Bank or Bank Holding Company**

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board’s Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire shares of a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notices also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than June 5, 2018.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Dennis Donney, Assistant Vice President) 1 Memorial Drive, Kansas City, Missouri 64198–0001:

1. The Merle Wait Trust, Protection, Kansas, and co-trustees Brenda Martin and Candace Murphy, Protection, Kansas, Merle Wait, Jr., Watauga, Texas, and Elaine Philips, Arkansas City, Kansas, individually and as members of the Wait Family Control Group; to acquire The Protection Bank Holding Company, Inc. and thereby indirectly acquire The Bank of Protection, Protection, Kansas. Additionally, Tom Murphy and Hilary Murphy, both of Protection, Kansas, to be approved as members of the Wait Family Control Group.


Yao-Chin Chao, Assistant Secretary of the Board.

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