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FDIC APPROVES DEPOSIT ASSUMPTION OF DEC 9 1988 WAUKOMIS STATE BANK, WAUKOMIS, OKLAHOMA

FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

The Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation has approved the assumption of the deposits and fully secured liabilities of Waukomis State Bank, Waukomis, Oklahoma, by Cimarron Bank, Waukomis, Oklahoma, a newly-chartered subsidiary of Bancshares of Woodward, Inc., Woodward, Oklahoma.

The failed bank's sole office will reopen on Friday, December 9, 1988, as Cimarron Bank and its depositors automatically will become depositors of the assuming bank, subject to approval by the appropriate court.

Waukomis State Bank, with total assets of about \$12.3 million, was closed on Thursday, December 8, 1988, by Wayne H. Osborn, Oklahoma Bank Commissioner, and the FDIC was named receiver.

Cimarron Bank will assume about \$12.0 million in 2,200 deposit accounts and will purchase \$11.3 million of the failed bank's assets at a discount of \$1,750,000. The FDIC will retain assets of the failed bank with a book value of about \$1 million.

The Board of Directors approved the deposit assumption under its authority to do so whenever it determines that such a transaction will reduce the potential loss to the FDIC. The transaction will result in a lower cost to the FDIC than if the assets were held and liquidated in receivership. Additionally, because the assets and deposits will be administered by Cimarron Bank, the failed bank's customers will have the benefit of continuous, uninterrupted service.

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