which *ex parte* communications are permitted subject to disclosure.

Dated: December 14, 2001.

#### Katherine L. Schroder,

Division Chief, Accounting Policy Division. [FR Doc. 01–31459 Filed 12–20–01; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6712–01–P

# FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[DA 01-2716]

Low Power Television Auction No. 81—Mutually Exclusive Proposals— Additional Settlement Period Announced

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This document provides notice that the Mass Media Bureau has opened an additional settlement window for proposals filed during the limited low power television/television translator/Class A television auction filing window. That settlement window closes January 22, 2002.

**DATES:** Settlements must be submitted by January 22, 2002.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Shaun Maher, Video Services Division, Mass Media Bureau at (202) 418–1600.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of a Public Notice released November 20, 2001. The complete text of the Public Notice, including attachment, is available for public inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center (Room CY-A257), 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC. It may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Services, Inc. (ITS, Inc.) 1231 20th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20035, (202) 857-3800. It is also available on the Commission's web site at http://www.fcc.gov.

In this Public Notice, the Mass Media Bureau announces an additional settlement window for those proposals filed during the limited low power television, television translator, and Class A television auction filing window that are mutually exclusive. Parties have until January 22, 2002, to file a settlement if they desire to avoid going to auction.

Federal Communications Commission.

## Roy J. Stewart,

Chief, Mass Media Bureau.

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# FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

## Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC).

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comment.

SUMMARY: The FDIC, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the public and other Federal agencies to comment on a proposed information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35). Currently, the FDIC is soliciting comments concerning an information collection titled "Deposit Broker Processing Guide."

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before February 19, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties are invited to submit written comments to Thomas E. Nixon, Senior Attorney (Regulatory Analysis), (202) 898-8766, Office of the Executive Secretary, Room 4060, Attention: Comments/OES, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, 550 17th Street NW., Washington, DC 20429. All comments should refer to "Deposit Broker Processing Guide." Comments may be hand-delivered to the guard station at the rear of the 17th Street Building (located on F Street), on business days between 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. [FAX number (202) 898-3838; Internet address: comments@fdic.gov].

A copy of the comments may also be submitted to the OMB desk officer for the FDIC: Alexander Hunt, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 3208, Washington, DC 20503.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Thomas E. Nixon, at the address identified above.

# SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title:* Deposit Broker Processing Guide.

Affected Public: Deposit Brokers with brokered deposits at failed insured depository institutions.

Estimated Number of Respondents (annual): 70.

Frequency of Response: Occasional. Estimated Number of responses (annual): 70.

Estimated Time per Response: 2 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 140 hours.

General Description of Collection: In order to assist the FDIC to pay deposit insurance to persons who had deposited

funds in a failed depository institution through a deposit broker, the FDIC requests deposit brokers who opened a deposit account in a failed institution to provide the FDIC with information about the parties for whom the broker acted as an agent and the amounts of their deposits.

## **Request for Comments**

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the FDIC's functions, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the estimates of the burden of the 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; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

At the end of the comment period, the comments and recommendations received will be analyzed to determine the extent to which the collection should be modified prior to submission to OMB for review and approval. Comments submitted in response to this notice also will be summarized or included in the FDIC's request to OMB for approval of this collection. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Dated at Washington, DC, this 17th day of December, 2001.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

### James D. LaPierre,

Deputy Executive Secretary.

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### **FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

## Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System **SUMMARY:** Background.

On June 15, 1984, the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) delegated to the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) its approval authority under the Paperwork Reduction Act, as per 5 CFR 1320.16, to approve of and assign OMB control numbers to collection of information requests and requirements conducted or sponsored by the Board under conditions set forth in 5 CFR 1320 Appendix A.1. Board—approved