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STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION BUREAU OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

WEEKLY INFORMATION BULLETIN

December 11, 2009

SECTION I

Section I of the bulletin is a record, for the preceding week, of the receipt of, and actions on all applications by Virginia state chartered banks, out-of-state banks operating in Virginia, bank holding companies, savings institutions, credit unions, industrial loan associations and other entities or persons for: (1) certificates of authority to begin business, (2) acquisitions, (3) branches, (4) trust powers, (5) chartered conversions, (6) names changes, (7) changes of location, (8) EFT facilities, and (9) mergers or consolidations. In addition, it lists structural changes of state chartered banks and savings institutions, such as opening and closing of offices and the effective date of mergers, acquisitions and relocations.

This bulletin constitutes the only notice of such activities that you will receive from the Bureau of Financial Institutions. If you desire a public hearing on an application, a written request for such a hearing must be received within 15 days from the date of the bulletin. The request should be addressed to:

E. J. Face, Jr.
Commissioner of Financial Institutions
Post Office Box 640
Richmond, VA 23218-0640

Communications other than requests for hearings related to an application will be welcomed and will receive careful consideration. All written communications will be made a part of the application file.

SECTION II

Section II of the bulletin is a record, for your information, of notices received in this office during the preceding week pertaining to various applications by national banks and federal savings institutions filed with the federal agencies shown below:

Comptroller of the Currency Northeastern District Office Director for District Licensing 340 Madison Avenue, Fifth Floor New York, New York 10017-4613 Office of Thrift Supervision 1475 Peachtree Street, N.E. Post Office Box 105217 Atlanta, Georgia 30348-5217

Any comments you may wish to make regarding these applications should be addressed directly to the respective federal agency. A copy of your letter will be appreciated.

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SECTION I

BRANCHES OF VIRGINIA BANKS

DESCRIPTION

Sonabank, McLean, VA, applied for authority, and received approval, on December 3, 2009, to establish five branches by assuming the deposits and acquiring certain assets of Greater Atlantic Bank, Reston, VA which was closed by the Office of Thrift Supervision. The subject branches are located at: (1) 10700 Parkridge Boulevard, Suite 110, Reston, Fairfax County, VA; (2) 43086 Peacock Market Plaza, South Riding, Loudoun County, VA; (3) 9484 Congress Street, New Market, Shenandoah County, VA; (4) 1 South Royal Avenue, Front Royal, Warren County, VA; and (5) 11834 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD

DATE	INSTITUTION	LOCATION	ACTIVITY
12-07-09	Monarch Bank Chesapeake, VA	1635 Laskin Road City of Virginia Beach, VA	Approved
	BRANC	CHES OF OUT-OF-STATE BANKS	
12-10-09	WashingtonFirst Bank Reston, VA	7637 Old Georgetown Road Bethesda, MD	Filed
	CREDI	T UNION SERVICE FACILITIES	
12-07-09	Virginia Credit Union, Inc. Richmond, VA	Goodwill Headquarters 6301 Midlothian Turnpike Richmond, VA 23225	Approved

SECTION II NOTICES RECEIVED OF APPLICATIONS FILED WITH OCC

NONE REPORTED