be returned either to the retailer or to Monsanto Company. As a consequence of the U.S. phase-out strategy for Bollgard® Cotton, sale, distribution, and/or planting of Bollgard® Cotton is prohibited. All existing stocks must be returned to Monsanto Company or to an authorized retailer.

## List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pests.

Dated: September 7, 2010.

## Richard P. Keigwin, Jr.,

Director, Pesticide Re-evaluation Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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## **FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

# Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisition of Shares of Bank or Bank Holding Companies

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 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 office 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 September 29, 2010.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland (Nadine Wallman, Vice President) 1455 East Sixth Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44101–2566:

1. Clay P. Graham, Bryan H. Graham, both in Zanesville, Ohio, and James F. Graham, Hebron, Ohio; to acquire voting shares of North Valley Bancshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of North Valley Bank, both of Zanesville, Ohio.

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

1. Edward F. and Sharon R. Lueger, both of Seneca, Kansas; Eugene and Janet Lueger, both of St. Marys, Kansas; Galen and Carol A. Lueger, both of Goff, Kansas; Gerald J. and Karla Lueger, both of St. Marys, Kansas; James J. and Joan M. Lueger, both of Seneca, Kansas, individually and as trustees of the James

J. and Joan M. Lueger Revocable Living Trust; Robert and Susan Lueger, both of Shorewood, Wisconsin, individually and as trustees of the Robert J. and Susan A. Lueger Trust; Thomas Lueger, Leslie Lueger, Thomas A. Lueger, and Debra Lueger, all of Plattsmouth, Nebraska; Mary L. and Steven Nelson, both of Parkville, Missouri; Bradley J. and Susan R. Lueger, both of Seneca, Kansas; Brian M. Lueger, Olathe, Kansas; Marissa A. Lueger, Seneca, Kansas; Russell A. Lueger, Beloit, Kansas; Lori A. and Justin F. Lueger, both of Eudora, Kansas; all as members of the Lueger Family Group, to retain control of Community Bancshares, Inc., and thereby indirectly retain control of Community National Bank, both in Seneca, Kansas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, September 9, 2010.

## Jennifer J. Johnson,

Secretary of the Board.

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## **FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

# Federal Open Market Committee; Domestic Policy Directive of August 10, 2010

In accordance with § 271.25 of its rules regarding availability of information (12 CFR part 271), there is set forth below the domestic policy directive issued by the Federal Open Market Committee at its meeting held on August 10, 2010.<sup>1</sup>

The Federal Open Market Committee seeks monetary and financial conditions that will foster price stability and promote sustainable growth in output. To further its long–run objectives, the Committee seeks conditions in reserve markets consistent with federal funds trading in a range from 0 to ½ percent. The Committee directs the Desk to maintain the total face value of domestic securities held in the System Open Market Account at approximately \$2 trillion by reinvesting principal payments from agency debt and agency mortgage-backed securities in longerterm Treasury securities. The Committee directs the Desk to engage in dollar roll and coupon transactions as necessary to facilitate settlement of the Federal Řeserve's agency MBS

transactions. The System Open Market Account Manager and the Secretary will keep the Committee informed of ongoing developments regarding the System's balance sheet that could affect the attainment over time of the Committee's objectives of maximum employment and price stability.

By order of the Federal Open Market Committee, September 7, 2010.

## William B. English,

Secretary, Federal Open Market Committee.
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## **FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

# Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 et seq.) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The applications also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than October 8, 2010.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Boston (Richard Walker, Community Affairs Officer) P.O. Box 55882, Boston, Massachusetts 02106–2204:

1. Sugar River Bancorp, MHC, Newport, New Hampshire; to become a

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Copies of the Minutes of the Federal Open Market Committee at its meeting held on August 10, 2010, which includes the domestic policy directive issued at the meeting, are available upon request to the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551. The minutes are published in the Federal Reserve Bulletin and in the Board's annual report.