

BNS COMMON SHARES - AVERAGE MARKET PRICES FOR THE SHAREHOLDER DIVIDEND AND SHARE PURCHASE PLAN			
DATE	AVERAGE MARKET PRICES		SPECIAL COMMENTS
	Dividend Reinvestment ("DRS") 95%	Optional Cash Payments ("OCP") 100%	
January 28, 1983	\$31.255000	\$32.900000	
April 28, 1983	\$42.963800	\$45.225000	
July 28, 1983	\$39.472500	\$41.550000	
October 28, 1983	\$40.778800	\$42.925000	
January 28, 1984	\$13.893700	\$14.625000	January 28, 1984 - 3 for 1 Stock Split; (\$44.75 - before split; \$14.625 after split)
April 27, 1984	\$10.901200	\$11.475000	
July 27, 1984	\$9.737500	\$10.250000	
October 29, 1984	\$11.993750	\$12.625000	
January 29, 1985	\$13.418750	\$14.125000	
April 26, 1985	\$12.112500	\$12.750000	
July 29, 1985	\$13.062500	\$13.750000	
October 29, 1985	\$12.468750	\$13.125000	
January 29, 1986	\$12.350000	\$13.000000	
April 28, 1986	\$13.798750	\$14.525000	
July 29, 1986	\$14.630000	\$15.400000	
October 29, 1986	\$15.342500	\$16.150000	
January 28, 1987	\$18.097500	\$19.050000	
April 28, 1987	\$17.622500	\$18.550000	
July 29, 1987	\$16.945300	\$17.837200	
October 28, 1987	\$12.580400	\$13.242600	
January 27, 1988	\$12.010200	\$12.642300	
April 27, 1988	\$12.052900	\$12.687300	
July 27, 1988	\$13.141900	\$13.833600	
October 27, 1988	\$14.639000	\$15.409500	
January 27, 1989	\$14.039700	\$14.778600	
April 26, 1989	\$14.402000	\$15.160000	
July 27, 1989	\$17.362400	\$18.276200	
October 27, 1989	\$16.079700	\$16.926000	
January 29, 1990	\$14.459000	\$15.220000	
April 26, 1990	\$12.113400	\$12.750900	
July 27, 1990	\$13.945905	\$14.679900	
October 29, 1990	\$10.892035	\$11.465300	
January 29, 1991	\$12.022725	\$12.655500	
April 26, 1991	\$15.221850	\$16.023000	
July 29, 1991	\$16.812720	\$17.697600	
October 29, 1991	\$17.879855	\$18.820900	
January 29, 1992	\$20.880905	\$21.979900	
April 28, 1992	\$18.759080	\$19.746400	
July 29, 1992	\$21.543245	\$22.677100	
October 28, 1992	\$22.158845	\$23.325100	
January 27, 1993	\$21.191840	\$22.307200	
April 28, 1993	\$23.295995	\$24.522100	
July 28, 1993	\$24.414145	\$25.699100	
October 27, 1993	\$27.147105	\$28.575900	
January 27, 1994	\$30.252655	\$31.844900	
April 27, 1994	\$25.735975	\$27.090500	
July 27, 1994	\$23.562090	\$24.802200	
October 27, 1994	\$25.295745	\$26.627100	
January 27, 1995	\$23.739550	\$24.989000	
April 26, 1995	\$25.876575	\$27.238500	
July 27, 1995	\$27.015340	\$28.437200	
October 27, 1995	\$26.041210	\$27.411800	
January 29, 1996	\$29.930605	\$31.505900	
April 26, 1996	\$29.166235	\$30.701300	
July 29, 1996	\$31.826710	\$33.501800	
October 29, 1996	\$39.598565	\$41.682700	