SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3045]

State of Florida

As a result of the President's major disaster declaration on January 6, 1998, I find that Hernando, Hillsborough, Osceola, and Polk Counties in the State of Florida constitute a disaster area due to damages caused by severe storms, high winds, tornadoes, and flooding beginning on December 25, 1997 and continuing. Applications for loans for physical damages may be filed until the close of business on March 7, 1998, and for loans for economic injury until the close of business on October 6, 1998 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 2 Office, One Baltimore Place, Suite 300, Atlanta, GA 30308.

In addition, applications for economic injury loans from small businesses located in the contiguous counties of Brevard, Citrus, Hardee, Highlands, Indian River, Lake, Manatee, Okeechobee, Orange, Pasco, Pinellas, and Sumter in the State of Florida may be filed until the specified date at the above location.

The interest rates are:

	Percent
For physical damage:	
Homeowners with credit available elsewhere	7.625
Homeowners without credit available elsewhere	3.812
Businesses with credit available elsewhere	8.000
Businesses and non-profit organizations without credit available elsewhere	4.000
Others (including non-profit organizations) with credit available elsewhere	7.125
For economic injury:	
Businesses and small agricultural cooperatives without credit available elsewhere	4.000

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 304506 and for economic injury the number is 970500.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008)

Dated: January 9, 1998.

Bernard Kulik,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3048]

State of Florida

Broward County and the contiguous Counties of Collier, Dade, Hendry, and Palm Beach in the State of Florida constitute a disaster area as a result of damages caused by a fire that occurred on December 18, 1997 in the Kings Court Condominium Development in Oakland Park. Applications for loans for physical damage as a result of this disaster may be filed until the close of business on March 16, 1998 and for economic injury until the close of business on October 14, 1998 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 2 Office, One Baltimore Place, Suite 300, Atlanta, GA 30308.

The interest rates are:

	Percent
For physical damage:	
Homeowners with credit available elsewhere	7.625
Homeowners without credit available elsewhere	3.812
Businesses with credit available elsewhere	8.000
Businesses and non-profit organizations without credit available elsewhere	4.000
Others (including non-profit organizations) with credit available elsewhere	7.125
For economic injury:	
Businesses and small agricultural cooperatives without credit available elsewhere	4.000

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 304805 and for economic injury the number is 971500.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008)

Dated: January 14, 1998.

Aida Alvarez,

Administrator.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3041]

Northern Mariana Islands; Amendment #1

In accordance with a notice from the Federal Emergency Management Agency dated January 2, 1998, the above-numbered Declaration is hereby amended to establish the incident period for this disaster as beginning on December 16, 1997 and continuing through December 17, 1997.

All other information remains the same, i.e., the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is February 26, 1998 and for economic injury the termination date is September 24, 1998.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008)

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Bernard Kulik,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice No. 2714]

International Telecommunications Advisory Committee (ITAC) U.S. Study Group A of the Telecommunications Standardization Sector (ITAC–T); Meeting Notice

The Department of State announces a meeting, under the International Telecommunications Advisory Committee (ITAC), of Study Group A of the Telecommunications Standardization Sector (ITAC–T). The meeting will be held Wednesday, February 18, 1998, beginning at 9:30 a.m. and scheduled for all day, in Room 1207 of the Department of State, 22nd and C Street, NW, Washington, D.C.

The purpose of ITAC is to advise the Department on policy, technical and operational matters and to provide strategic planning recommendations, with respect to international telecommunications and information issues. The purpose of this meeting is to develop United States positions for upcoming ITU–T meetings dealing with standards activities of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU). In particular, the meeting agenda will include preparation for planned ITU–T meetings of (1) Study Group 3 (Tariff and Accounting Principles including related telecommunications economic and policy issues) scheduled for June 3–12, 1998; and (2) Study Group 2 (Numbering and Routing) to be held March 3–13, 1998. Questions regarding the agenda or ITAC–T Sector activities in general may be directed to William Kirsch, Department of State (202 647–0197), fax number (202 647–7407).

All participants may join in discussions, subject to instructions of the chair. In this regard, entry to the building is controlled. If you wish to attend, please send a fax to (202) 647–7407 at least 24 hours before the