

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3045; Amendment #3]

State of Florida

In accordance with a notice from the Federal Emergency Management Agency dated February 25, 1998, the above-numbered Declaration is hereby amended to include the Counties of Alachua, DeSoto, Dixie, Gilchrist, Lafayette, Pinellas, Taylor, and Union in the State of Florida as a disaster area due to damages caused by severe storms, high winds, tornadoes, and flooding beginning on December 25, 1997 and continuing.

In addition, applications for economic injury loans from small businesses located in the contiguous counties of Charlotte (which was inadvertently omitted from Amendment #2) and Jefferson in the State of Florida may be filed until the specified date at the previously designated location. Any counties contiguous to the above-named primary counties and not listed herein have been previously declared.

All other information remains the same, i.e., the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is March 7, 1998 and for economic injury the termination date is October 6, 1998.

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

Dated: February 25, 1998.

Herbert L. Mitchell,

Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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[Declaration of Disaster #3045; Amendment #2]

State of Florida

In accordance with notices from the Federal Emergency Management Agency dated February 20 and 23, 1998, the above-numbered Declaration is hereby amended to include the following counties in the State of Florida as a disaster area: Baker, Bradford, Brevard, Clay, Columbia, Duval, Hamilton, Hardee, Highlands, Marion, Manatee, Seminole, Suwannee, and Volusia. This declaration is further amended to reopen the incident period to allow for additional damage resulting from continuing severe storms, high winds, tornadoes, and flooding. The incident period for this disaster is established as beginning on December 25, 1997 and continuing.

In addition, applications for economic injury loans from small businesses located in the following contiguous counties may be filed until the specified date at the previously designated location: Alachua, DeSoto, Flagler, Gilchrist, Glades, Lafayette, Madison, Nassau, Putnam, St. Johns, Sarasota, and Union Counties in Florida, and Charlton, Clinch, Echols, Lowndes, and Ware Counties in Georgia.

All other information remains the same, i.e., the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is March 7, 1998 and for economic injury the termination date is October 6, 1998.

The economic injury number for the State of Georgia is 975700.

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

Dated: February 24, 1998.

Bernard Kulik,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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[Declaration of Disaster #3061]

Massachusetts

Barnstable County and the contiguous County of Plymouth in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts constitute a disaster area as a result of damages caused by a fire on February 10, 1998 in Provincetown. Applications for loans for physical damage may be filed until the close of business on April 27, 1998 and for economic injury until the close of business on November 24, 1998 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 1 Office, 360 Rainbow Boulevard South, 3rd Floor, Niagara Falls, NY 14303.

The interest rates are:

	Percent
For Physical Damage:	
HOMEOWNERS WITH CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	7.250
HOMEOWNERS WITHOUT CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	3.625
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:	

	Percent
BUSINESSES AND SMALL AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVES WITHOUT CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	4.000

The numbers assigned to this disaster are 306105 for physical damage and 975400 for economic injury.

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

Dated: February 24, 1998.

Aida Alvarez,

Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Meeting Notice #2758]

Advisory Committee on Religious Freedom Abroad

The Department of State announces a meeting of the Secretary of State's Advisory Committee on Religious Freedom Abroad (AC) on Thursday, March 12, 1998 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Room 1105 at the U.S. Department of State, 2201 C Street, N.W., Washington D.C. The purpose of the AC meeting will be to discuss recent work of Advisory Committee members to advocate religious freedom and to develop the work of the AC Task Forces over the next few months, including steps to facilitate implementation of the AC Interim Report recommendations. Members of the public will have an opportunity to present information formally to the Advisory Committee.

Advisory Committee members will also participate in a briefing organized by the Congressional Human Rights Caucus at 2:30 p.m. in Room 2200 of the Rayburn House Office Building, U.S. House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. The purpose of the CHRC meeting is to discuss the Interim Report of the Advisory Committee with members of Congress and their staff.

These meetings are open to the public up to the seating capacity of the rooms.

For the morning meeting, admittance to the State Department building is only by means of a pre-arranged clearance list, in accordance with routine security purposes. In order to be placed on the pre-clearance list, please provide your name, title, organization, social security number, date of birth, and citizenship to Mr. Cecil Grandy by fax at (202) 647-9519 or by telephone at (202) 647-1451. All attendees must use the "C" Street entrance. One of the following valid ID's will be required for admittance: U.S.