

Exchange must be designed to promote just and equitable principles of trade and to protect the investing public. The NYSE believes that the proposed rule change is also consistent with the rules and regulations of the FRB for the purpose of preventing the excessive use of credit for the purchase or carrying of securities, pursuant to Section 7(a) of the Act.

B. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Burden on Competition

The Exchange believes that the proposed rule change will not impose any burden on competition that is not necessary or appropriate in furthermore of the purposes of the Act.

C. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received From Members, Participants, or Others

No written comments were solicited or received.

III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Change and Timing for Commission Action

Within 35 days of the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register** or within such longer period (i) as the Commission may designate up to 90 days of such date if it finds such longer period to be appropriate and publishes its reasons for so finding or (ii) as to which the self-regulatory organization consents, the Commission will by order approve such proposed rule change, or institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be disapproved.

IV. Solicitation of Comments

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether the proposed rule change is consistent with the Act. Persons making written submissions should file six copies thereof with the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20549. Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room. Copies of such filing will also be available for inspection and copying at

the principal office of the NYSE. All submission should refer to file number SR-NYSE-98-14 and should be submitted by August 26, 1998.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.¹²

Margaret H. McFarland,
Deputy Secretary.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements Under OMB Review

AGENCY: Small Business Administration.
ACTION: Notice of reporting requirements submitted for OMB review.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), agencies are required to submit proposed reporting and recordkeeping requirements to OMB for review and approval, and to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** notifying the public that the agency has made such a submission.

DATES: Submit comments on or before September 4, 1998. If you intend to comment but cannot prepare comments promptly, please advise the OMB Reviewer and the Agency Clearance Officer before the deadline.

COPIES: Request for clearance (OMB 83-1), supporting statement, and other documents submitted to OMB for review may be obtained from the Agency Clearance Officer.

ADDRESSES: Address all comments concerning this notice to: Agency Clearance Officer, Jacqueline White, Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, S.W., 5th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20416; and OMB Reviewer, Victoria Wassmer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jacqueline White, Agency Clearance Officer, (202) 205-6629.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Disclosure Statement.
Form No.: 856.
Frequency: Biannually.
Description of Respondents: Small Business Investment Companies.
Annual Responses: 200.
Annual Burden: 200.

Title: Application for Pool of Guaranteed Interest Certificates.

¹² 17 CFR 200.30-(a)(12).

Form No: 1454.
Frequency: On Occasion.
Description of Respondents: SBA Loan Pool Assemblers.
Annual Responses: 450.
Annual Burden: 1350.

Dated: July 29, 1998.

Jacqueline White,
Chief, Administrative Information Branch.
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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3107]

State of New Hampshire

As a result of the President's major disaster declaration on July 2, 1998 for emergency assistance only, and an amendment thereto on July 14, 1998 adding Individual Assistance, I find that Belknap, Carroll, Grafton, Merrimack, and Rockingham Counties in the State of New Hampshire constitute a disaster area due to damages caused by severe storms and flooding beginning on June 12, 1998, and continuing. Applications for loans for physical damages as a result of this disaster may be filed until the close of business on September 12, 1998, and for loans for economic injury until the close of business on April 14, 1999 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations:

U.S. Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 1 Office, 360 Rainbow Blvd., South, 3rd Floor, Niagara Falls, NY 14303.

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 above location: Coos, Hillsborough, Strafford, and Sullivan Counties in New Hampshire, and Oxford and York Counties in Maine.

Any counties contiguous to the above-named primary counties and not listed herein have been previously declared under a separate declaration for the same occurrence.

The interest rates are:

	Percent
Physical Damage:	
Homeowners With Credit Available Elsewhere	7.000
Homeowners Without Credit Available Elsewhere	3.500
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