

Options Price Reporting Authority ("OPRA") system capacity to accommodate the reduced strike price intervals.

It is therefore ordered, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act,⁷ that the proposed rule change (SR-Phlx-2003-72) is approved.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.⁸

Margaret H. McFarland,

Deputy Secretary.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Elk Associates Funding Corp., (License No. 02/02-5377); Notice Seeking Exemption Under 312 of the Small Business Investment Act, Conflicts of Interest

Notice is hereby given that Elk Associates Funding Corp., 747 Third Avenue, New York, New York, 10017, a Federal Licensee under the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, as amended ("the Act"), in connection with the financing of a small concern, has sought an exemption under section 312 of the Act and section 107.730, Financings Which Constitute Conflicts of Interest, of the Small Business Administration ("SBA") rules and regulations (13 CFR 107.730 (2003)). Elk Associates Funding Corp. proposes to provide loans to Across the Town Cab Corp., 811 West Evergreen, Chicago, IL 60622. The financings are contemplated for the purchase of taxi medallions and taxi vehicles.

The financings are brought within the purview of Sec. 107.730(a)(1) of the Regulations because Mr. Charles Goodbar III, Esq., an Associate of Elk Associates Funding Corp., currently owns greater than 10 percent of Across the Town Cab Corp. and therefore, Across the Town Cab Corp. is considered an Associate of Elk Associates Funding Corp. as defined in Sec. 105.50 of the regulations.

Notice is hereby given that any interested person may submit written comments on the transaction, within 15 days, to the Associate Administrator for

Investment, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 Third Street, SW., Washington, DC 20416.

Dated: February 17, 2004.

Jeffrey D. Pierson,

Associate Administrator for Investment.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #P021]

State of Oregon

As a result of the President's major disaster declaration for Public Assistance on February 19, 2004, the U.S. Small Business Administration is activating its disaster loan program only for private non-profit organizations that provide essential services of a governmental nature. I find that Baker, Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Deschutes, Douglas, Gilliam, Hood River, Jefferson, Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Multnomah, Polk, Sherman, Tillamook, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wasco, and Yamhill Counties in the State of Oregon constitute a disaster area due to damages caused by severe winter storms occurring on December 26, 2003 and continuing through January 14, 2004. Applications for loans for physical damage as a result of this disaster may be filed until the close of business on April 19, 2004 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: U.S. Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 4 Office, PO Box 419004, Sacramento, CA 95841-9004.

The interest rates are:

For physical damage	Percent
Non-Profit Organizations Without Credit Available Elsewhere	2.900
Non-Profit Organizations With Credit Available Elsewhere	4.875

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is P02111.

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

Dated: February 20, 2004.

Cheri L. Cannon,

Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 4634]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition Determinations: "The Cubist Paintings of Diego Rivera Memory, Politics, Place"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459), Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 (112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et seq.*), Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999, Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999, as amended, and Delegation of Authority No. 257 of April 15, 2003 (68 FR 19875), I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition "The Cubist Paintings of Diego Rivera Memory, Politics, Place," imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. The objects are imported pursuant to loan agreements with the foreign owners. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at the National Gallery of Art, Washington, DC, from on or about April 4, 2004, to on or about July 25, 2004, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public notice of these determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of the exhibit objects, contact Julianne Simpson, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State, (telephone: 202/619-6529). The address is U.S. Department of State, SA-44, 301 4th Street, SW., Room 700, Washington, DC 20547-0001.

Dated: February 19, 2004.

C. Miller Crouch,

Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

⁸ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).