1536, that is operated by the FBI's Criminal Justice Information Services Division.

NICS response means a response provided by the FBI as the result of a firearms background check against the NICS. Such a response may be "proceed," "delayed," or "denied."

Standard weapon means any handgun, rifle, shotgun, semi-automatic assault weapon, or large capacity ammunition feeding device. Standard weapons do not include enhanced weapons.

Satisfactory firearms background check means a firearms background check that has resulted in a "proceed" NICS response.

(b) The terms "handgun, rifle, shotgun, short-barreled shotgun, short-barreled rifle, semi-automatic assault weapon, machinegun, ammunition, and large capacity ammunition feeding device" have the same meaning provided for these terms in 18 U.S.C. 921(a).

(c) The terms "proceed," "delayed," and "denied," as used in NICS responses, have the same meaning provided for these terms in the FBI's regulations in 28 CFR part 25.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Disaster Declaration #11868 and #11869]

New York Disaster #NY–00079

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a Notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of New York (FEMA–1857–DR), dated September 1, 2009.
Incident: Severe Storms and Flooding.
Incident Period: August 8, 2009 through August 10, 2009.
Effective Date: September 1, 2009.
Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: November 2, 2009.
Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date: June 1, 2010.

ADDRESSES: Submit completed loan applications to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing And Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: A. Escobar, Office of Disaster Assistance, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, SW., Suite 6050, Washington, DC 20416.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that as a result of the President's major disaster declaration on September 1, 2009, Private Non-Profit organizations that provide essential services of governmental nature may file disaster loan applications at the address listed above or other locally announced locations.

The following areas have been determined to be adversely affected by the disaster:

Primary Counties:
Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie.
The Interest Rates are:

	Percent
Other (Including Non-Profit Organizations) With Credit Available Elsewhere	4.500.
Businesses and Non-Profit Organizations Without Credit Available Elsewhere	4.000.

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 11868B and for economic injury is 11869B.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers 59002 and 59008)

James E. Rivera,
Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Investment Company Act Release No. 28896; File No. 812–13631]

Columbia Funds Series Trust, et al.; Notice of Application

September 4, 2009.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission").

ACTION: Notice of an application under section 6(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 ("Act") for an exemption from rule 12d1–2(a) under the Act.

SUMMARY: *Summary of Application:* Applicants request an order to permit registered open-end investment companies relying on rule 12d1–2 under the Act to invest in certain financial instruments.

Applicants: Columbia Funds Series Trust and Columbia Funds Series Trust II (together, the "Trusts") and Columbia Management Advisors, LLC (the "Adviser").

DATES: *Filing Dates:* The application was filed on February 6, 2009 and amended on August 25, 2009.

Hearing or Notification of Hearing: An order granting the application will be issued unless the Commission orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing by writing to the Commission's Secretary and serving applicants with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the Commission by 5:30 p.m. on September 29, 2009 and should be accompanied by proof of service on applicants, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons who wish to be notified of a hearing may request notification by writing to the Commission's Secretary.

ADDRESSES: Secretary, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE., Washington, DC 20549–1090; Applicants, c/o Peter T. Fariel, Esq., Bank of America, N.A., MA5–515–11–05, One Financial Center, 11th Floor, Boston, Massachusetts 02111.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Deepak Pai, Senior Counsel, at (202) 551–6876, or Marilyn Mann, Branch Chief, at (202) 551–6821 (Division of Investment Management, Office of Investment Company Regulation).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following is a summary of the application. The complete application may be obtained via the Commission's Web site by searching for the file number, or an applicant using the Company name box, at *http://www.sec.gov/search/search.htm*, or by calling (202) 551–8090.

Applicants' Representations

1. The Trusts are organized as Delaware statutory trusts and are registered under the Act as open-end management investment companies. The Adviser, a limited liability company organized under Delaware law and an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Bank of America Corporation, is registered as an investment adviser under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940. The Adviser serves as the investment adviser to each Applicant Fund (as defined below).

2. Applicants request an exemption from rule 12d1–2(a) under the Act to the