

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). Serra Capital (SBIC) III, L.P. provides convertible debt financing to SERIONX, INC. 14301 N 87th Street, Suite 116, Scottsdale, Arizona 85260.

The financing is brought within the purview of § 107.730(a) of the Regulations because Serra Capital III, L.P. has previously invested \$400,000 of convertible debt in SERIONX, INC. As this entity is considered an associate of Serra Capital (SBIC) III, L.P., this transaction Requires a prior SBA exemption.

Notice is hereby given that any interested person may submit written comments on the transaction, within fifteen days of the date of this publication, to the Associate Administrator for Investment, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 Third Street SW, Washington, DC 20416.

A. Joseph Shepard,
Associate Administrator, Office of Investment and Innovation.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Disaster Declaration #15975 and #15976; LOUISIANA Disaster Number LA–00092]

Presidential Declaration of a Major Disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of Louisiana

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 Louisiana (FEMA–4439–DR), dated 06/03/2019.

Incident: Severe Storms and Tornadoes.

Incident Period: 04/24/2019 through 04/25/2019.

DATES: Issued on 06/03/2019.

Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: 08/02/2019.

Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date: 03/03/2020.

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, (202) 205–6734.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that as a result of the President’s major disaster declaration on 06/03/2019, Private Non-Profit organizations that provide essential services of a 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 Parishes: Lincoln, Morehouse, Union

The Interest Rates are:

	Percent
<i>For Physical Damage:</i>	
Non-Profit Organizations with Credit Available Elsewhere ...	2.750
Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere	2.750
<i>For Economic Injury:</i>	
Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere	2.750

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 15975B and for economic injury is 159760.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 59008)

Rafaela Monchek,
Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 10789]

Notice and Request for Comments on the Implications of Access and Benefit-Sharing (ABS) Regimes on Global Health and Biomedical Research

AGENCY: Department of State.

SUMMARY: In order to inform U.S. Government policy and international engagement, the U.S. Department of State (DOS) invites submission of comments from the public, academia, relevant industries, and other interested stakeholders on the implications of Access and Benefit-Sharing (ABS) regimes on global health and biomedical research. In particular, DOS invites comments related to the effects of Nagoya Protocol and other ABS implementation on public health systems. The Department will hold at least two public meetings to discuss

these issues, on June 25 and September 20, 2019. Any future Meetings will be announced at <https://www.state.gov/bureaus-offices/under-secretary-for-economic-growth-energy-and-the-environment/bureau-of-oceans-and-international-environmental-and-scientific-affairs/office-of-international-health-and-biodefense/>.

DATES: Written comments are welcome before each of the two planned public meetings referenced above and will be reviewed periodically beginning July 10, 2019.

ADDRESSES: One submission per meeting is welcome, with no more than 10 pages of single-spaced text including relevant examples with no more than one page per example. Submissions should be made via the internet at www.regulations.gov docket number DOS–2019–0016. For alternatives to online submissions, please contact Dr. Jennifer Seedorff at (202) 647–3017 or seedorffe@state.gov. Note that relevant comments submitted to regulations.gov will be posted without editing and will be available to the public; therefore, business-confidential information should be clearly identified as such and submitted by email. The public is strongly encouraged to file submissions electronically rather than by facsimile or mail.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Questions regarding the submission of comments should be directed to Dr. Jennifer Seedorff (202) 647–3017, seedorffe@state.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Representatives from the Department of State will review written submissions and share them, as appropriate, with staff from other Federal Agencies to inform U.S. Government policy and our international engagements on these issues. U.S. officials may contact individuals making submissions for further information or explanation. In particular, we seek comments on and specific examples of the impacts of other countries’ implementation of the Nagoya Protocol or other ABS measures on such issues as: International research collaborations, international pathogen sample sharing, infectious disease research, including influenza, Zika and other diseases, pandemic and epidemic preparedness and response, medical countermeasure product development efforts, investor interest in vaccine development, and other aspects. We would also welcome views on what the World Health Organization (WHO), other UN bodies, and non-governmental organizations can do to effectively protect public health equities in the context of the Nagoya Protocol and