

(iii) other financial instruments, if any, and the characteristics of such instruments and cash equivalents, and amount of cash held in the Fund's portfolio, if applicable.

Trading in Shares of the Fund will be halted if the circuit breaker parameters in NYSE Arca Rule 7.12-E have been reached or because of market conditions or for reasons that, in the view of the Exchange, make trading in the Shares inadvisable. These may include: (1) the extent to which trading is not occurring in BTC and/or MBT Contracts and the securities and/or the financial instruments composing the daily disclosed portfolio of the Fund; or (2) whether other unusual conditions or circumstances detrimental to the maintenance of a fair and orderly market are present.

The proposed rule change is designed to perfect the mechanism of a free and open market and, in general, to protect investors and the public interest in that it will facilitate the listing and trading of Trust Units based on bitcoin that will enhance competition among market participants, to the benefit of investors and the marketplace. As noted above, the Exchange has in place surveillance procedures that are adequate to properly monitor trading in the Shares in all trading sessions and to deter and detect violations of Exchange rules and applicable federal securities laws.

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

The Exchange does not believe that the proposed rule change will impose any burden on competition that is not necessary or appropriate in furtherance of the purpose of the Act. The Exchange notes that the proposed rule change will facilitate the listing and trading of the Shares, which are Trust Units based on bitcoin and that will enhance competition among market participants, to the benefit of investors and the marketplace.

*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 with respect to the proposed rule change.

**III. 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. Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

*Electronic Comments*

- Use the Commission's internet comment form (<https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>); or
- Send an email to [rule-comments@sec.gov](mailto:rule-comments@sec.gov). Please include file number SR-NYSEARCA-2023-58 on the subject line.

*Paper Comments*

- Send paper comments in triplicate to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549-1090.

All submissions should refer to file number SR-NYSEARCA-2023-58. This file number should be included on the subject line if email is used. To help the Commission process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's internet website (<https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>). 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 website viewing and printing in the Commission's Public Reference Room, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549, on official business days between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Copies of the filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange. Do not include personal identifiable information in submissions; you should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. We may redact in part or withhold entirely from publication submitted material that is obscene or subject to copyright protection. All submissions should refer to file number SR-NYSEARCA-2023-58 and should be submitted on or before February 2, 2024.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>121</sup>

**Sherry R. Haywood,**  
*Assistant Secretary.*

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<sup>121</sup> 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

**[Disaster Declaration #20014 and #20015; RHODE ISLAND Disaster Number RI-20000]**

**Presidential Declaration of a Major Disaster for the State of Rhode Island**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Small Business Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This is a Notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for the State of Rhode Island (FEMA-4753-DR), dated 01/07/2024. *Incident:* Severe Storms, Flooding, and Tornadoes.

*Incident Period:* 09/10/2023 through 09/13/2023.

**DATES:** Issued on 01/07/2024.

*Physical Loan Application Deadline Date:* 03/07/2024.

*Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date:* 10/07/2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Visit the MySBA Loan Portal at <https://lending.sba.gov> to apply for a disaster assistance loan.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Alan Escobar, Office of Disaster Recovery & Resilience, 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 01/07/2024, applications for disaster loans may be submitted online using the MySBA Loan Portal <https://lending.sba.gov> or other locally announced locations. Please contact the SBA disaster assistance customer service center by email at [disastercustomerservice@sba.gov](mailto:disastercustomerservice@sba.gov) or by phone at 1-800-659-2955 for further assistance.

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

*Primary Counties (Physical Damage and Economic Injury Loans):*  
Providence.

*Contiguous Counties (Economic Injury Loans Only):*

Rhode Island: Bristol, Kent  
Connecticut: Windham  
Massachusetts: Worcester, Norfolk,  
Bristol

The Interest Rates are:

	Percent
<i>For Physical Damage:</i>	
Homeowners with Credit Available Elsewhere .....	5.000
Homeowners without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	2.500
Businesses with Credit Available Elsewhere .....	8.000

	Percent
Businesses without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	4.000
Non-Profit Organizations with Credit Available Elsewhere ...	2.375
Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	2.375
<i>For Economic Injury:</i>	
Business and Small Agricultural Cooperatives without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	4.000
Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	2.375

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 200146 and for economic injury is 200150.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 59008)

**Francisco Sánchez, Jr.,**  
Associate Administrator, Office of Disaster Recovery & Resilience.

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**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

[License No. 03/03-0257]

**Multiplier Capital, LP; Surrender of License of Small Business Investment Company**

Pursuant to the authority granted to the United States Small Business Administration under section 309 of the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, as amended, and 13 CFR 107.1900 of the Code of Federal Regulations to function as a small business investment company under the Small Business Investment Company license number 03/03-0257 issued to Multiplier Capital, LP said license is hereby declared null and void.

**Bailey Devries,**  
Associate Administrator, Office of Investment and Innovation, United States Small Business Administration.

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**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

[Disaster Declaration #20058 and #20059; KANSAS Disaster Number KS-20000]

**Presidential Declaration Amendment of a Major Disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of Kansas**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Small Business Administration.

**ACTION:** Amendment 1.

**SUMMARY:** This is an amendment of the Presidential declaration of a major

disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of Kansas (FEMA-4747-DR), dated 10/26/2023.

*Incident:* Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding.  
*Incident Period:* 07/14/2023 through 07/21/2023.

**DATES:** Issued on 12/19/2023.  
*Physical Loan Application Deadline Date:* 12/26/2023.

*Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date:* 07/26/2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Visit the MySBA Loan Portal at <https://lending.sba.gov> to apply for a disaster assistance loan.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Alan Escobar, Office of Disaster Recovery & Resilience, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street SW, Suite 6050, Washington, DC 20416, (202) 205-6734.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The notice of the President's major disaster declaration for Private Non-Profit organizations in the State of Kansas, dated 10/26/2023, is hereby amended to include the following area listed below as adversely affected by the disaster. Applications for disaster loans may be submitted online using the MySBA Loan Portal <https://lending.sba.gov> or other locally announced locations. Please contact the SBA disaster assistance customer service center by email at [disastercustomerservice@sba.gov](mailto:disastercustomerservice@sba.gov) or by phone at 1-800-659-2955 for further assistance.

*Primary Counties:* Phillips.

All other information in the original declaration remains unchanged.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 59008)

**Francisco Sánchez, Jr.,**  
Associate Administrator, Office of Disaster Recovery & Resilience.

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**DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

[Public Notice: 12305]

**Notice of Charter Renewal of the Advisory Committee on International Postal and Delivery Services (IPODS)**

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the renewal of the charter of the Advisory Committee on International Postal and Delivery Services (IPODS).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Stuart Smith, Chief, International Postal Affairs, in the Office of Specialized and Technical Agencies (IO/STA), Bureau of International Organization Affairs, U.S. Department of State, at tel. (202) 663-

3017, by email at [SmithSM7@state.gov](mailto:SmithSM7@state.gov) or by mail at IO/STA, L409 (SA1); Department of State, 2401 E Street NW, Washington, DC 20037.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the provisions of the 2006 Postal Accountability and Enhancement Act (Pub. L. 109-435) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), the Committee's charter has been extended until December 20, 2025.

The Department of State uses the IPODS Committee to remain informed of the interests of users and providers of international postal and delivery services. The Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs appoints members of the committee, including representatives of the Department of Commerce, the Department of Homeland Security, the Office of the United States Trade Representative, the Postal Regulatory Commission, the Military Postal Service Agency, and the United States Postal Service.

(Authority: 5 U.S.C. 1001 *et seq.* and 5 U.S.C. 552)

**Stuart M. Smith,**  
Designated Federal Officer, Advisory Committee on International Postal and Delivery Services, Department of State.

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**SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

[Docket No. FD 36748]

**Pioneer Rail & Transport of Hawthorne, Fla., a Division of Pioneer Storage Company of Florida, LLC—Operation Exemption—Line in Hawthorne, Fla.**

Pioneer Rail & Transport of Hawthorne, Fla., a Division of Pioneer Storage Company of Florida, LLC (PRTF), a noncarrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption pursuant to 49 CFR 1150.31 to operate 5,569 feet of existing railroad trackage inside an existing industrial facility in Hawthorne, Fla. (the Line). The Line contains one milepost, described as S705, Hawthorne, Fla.

According to the verified notice, PRTF currently operates the Line as private track as part of its industrial facility. PRTF states that it plans to convert the Line from private track to a common carrier line of railroad and to provide common carrier switching services for the owner of the facility as well as other customers located or to be located within the facility. PRTF also states that it anticipates entering into an