

Billing Code 8025-01-P
U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Disaster Declaration # 11464 and # 11465
PUERTO RICO Disaster # PR-00003

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 PUERTO RICO (FEMA - 1798 - DR), dated 10/01/2008.

INCIDENT: Severe Storms and Flooding

INCIDENT PERIOD: 09/21/2008 and continuing

EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/2008

PHYSICAL LOAN APPLICATION DEADLINE DATE: 12/01/2008

ECONOMIC INJURY (EIDL) LOAN APPLICATION DEADLINE DATE: 07/01/2009

ADDRESSES: Submit completed loan applications to :
U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
PROCESSING AND DISBURSEMENT CENTER
14925 KINGSPOUR ROAD
FORT WORTH , TX 76155

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Alan 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 10/01/2008, applications for disaster loans may be filed 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 (Physical Damage and Economic Injury Loans):

GUAYAMA	HUMACAO	MAUNABO
PATILLAS	PONCE	SALINAS
SANTA ISABEL	YABUCOA	

Contiguous Counties (Economic Injury Loans Only):

PUERTO RICO		
ADJUNTAS	AIBONITO	ARROYO
CAYEY	COAMO	JAYUYA
JUANA DIAZ	LAS PIEDRAS	NAGUABO
PENUELAS	SAN LORENZO	UTUADO

The Interest Rates are:

HOMEOWNERS WITH CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	5.750
HOMEOWNERS WITHOUT CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	2.875
BUSINESSES WITH CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	8.000
BUSINESSES & SMALL AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVES WITHOUT CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	4.000
OTHER (INCLUDING NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS) WITH CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	5.250
BUSINESSES AND NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS WITHOUT CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE	4.000

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 114646 and for economic injury is 114650.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers 59002 and 59008)

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