

hereby amended to establish the incidence period for this disaster as beginning on May 5, 2003 and continuing through May 30, 2003.

All other information remains the same, *i.e.*, the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is July 11, 2003, and for economic injury the deadline is February 12, 2004.

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Herbert L. Mitchell,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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[Declaration of Disaster #3497]

State of Missouri; Amendment #3

In accordance with a notice received from the Department of Homeland Security—Federal Emergency Management Agency, effective May 30, 2003, the above numbered declaration is hereby amended to establish the incidence period for this disaster as beginning on May 4, 2003 and continuing through May 30, 2003.

All other information remains the same, *i.e.*, the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is July 7, 2003, and for economic injury the deadline is February 6, 2004.

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Herbert L. Mitchell,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3499]

State of Oklahoma; Amendment #2

In accordance with a notice received from the Department of Homeland Security—Federal Emergency Management Agency, effective May 30, 2003, the above numbered declaration is hereby amended to establish the incidence period for this disaster as beginning on May 8, 2003 and continuing through May 30, 2003.

All other information remains the same, *i.e.*, the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is July 9, 2003, and for economic injury the deadline is February 10, 2004.

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Herbert L. Mitchell,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Declaration of Disaster #3498]

State of Tennessee; Amendment #4

In accordance with notices received from the Department of Homeland Security—Federal Emergency Management Agency, effective May 30, 2003, the above numbered declaration is hereby amended to establish the incident period for this disaster as beginning on May 4, 2003, and continuing through May 30, 2003. This declaration is also amended to include Anderson, Cumberland, Knox, Loudon and Roane Counties in the State of Tennessee as disaster areas due to damages caused by severe storms, tornadoes and flooding occurring on May 4, 2003 and continuing through May 30, 2003.

In addition, applications for economic injury loans from small businesses located in the contiguous counties of Campbell, Grainger, Jefferson, Sevier and Union in the State of Tennessee may be filed until the specified date at the previously designated location. All other counties contiguous to the above named primary counties have been previously declared.

All other information remains the same, *i.e.*, the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is July 7, 2003, and for economic injury the deadline is February 6, 2004.

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Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Notice Inviting Application for Funding Under the 7(j) Management and Technical Assistance Program

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice of invitation for proposals for 7(j) management and technical assistance awards in FY 2003.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) plans to issue program announcement No. MTA-03-01, to solicit proposals from public or private organizations, to provide business development assistance and training for nationwide 7(j) eligible client executives. The authorizing legislation for this training is section 7(j) of the Small Business Act, U.S.C. 636(j). SBA will select successful proposals using a competitive process.

Awardees will have responsibility for project oversight, design, marketing, management, execution, monitoring and reporting for the training program. Proposals are being solicited from organizations that have experience in Executive Education or similar Programs and have successfully provided executive level training to small business entrepreneurs on at least 3 occasions during the past five (5) years. Colleges and universities that respond to this solicitation, must have American Assembly for Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) accreditation or be a member of the American Indian Higher Education consortium (AIHEC). The applicant must have the qualified faculty, support staff, training and technical materials, equipment and facilities, or access to facilities, as well as an internal financial management system, to provide Executive Education Program (EEP) training services to 7(j) eligible client executives in a classroom environment.

The EEP proposal should present training that will develop and improve the management and business decision skills of the 7(j) eligible clients. The enhancement of these skills should ensure the continued viability and growth of the small business owners in the 21st century. The EEP training curriculum must include the following three core subject matters for small business owners: strategic planning, financial analysis and, e-commerce. Additional subject matters should include some of the following: internal management systems, business alliances, government contracting, information technology, market research, financial reporting, product lines, quality assurance services, human resources, insurance, taxation, legal issues, investments, international business opportunities and etc.

SBA plans to award approximately \$700,000.00, subject to the availability of funds, under this notice. This amount would fund several awards which would provide EEP training to approximately 175 7(j) eligible executives. SBA reserves the right to fund, in whole or in part, any, all, or none of the proposals submitted in