

U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON, DC 20416

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TO: Director

FROM: Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance

SUBJECT: Designation of Economic Injury Disaster # 11441 in the State of LOUISIANA
Disaster Number LA-00022 .

In accordance with the Secretary of Agriculture's designation, the Farm Service Agency (FSA) is accepting emergency loan applications in :

LOUISIANA

As a result of the Secretary's designation, you are authorized to accept and process applications for Economic Injury Disaster Loans from small business concerns and small agricultural cooperatives without credit elsewhere in the designated counties. Please note that "agricultural enterprises" as defined in Section 18(b)(1) of the Small Business Act are not eligible for such loans. However, "nurseries" that are victims of drought disasters are eligible.

This office provides the following information:

| State | Number SBA (FSA) | Authorized by FSA | Termination Date |
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| LOUISIANA | 11441 S2747 | 09/05/2008 | 05/05/2009 |

The interest rate is 4.000 percent.

Incident: Flooding, Excessive Rainfall, High Winds, Hail, Lightning, Tornadoes

Incident Period: 04/06/2008 through 05/16/2008

The specific primary and contiguous counties are listed below.

Primary Counties:

AVOUELLES POINTE COUPEE SAINT MARTIN

Contiguous Counties:

LOUISIANA

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| LA SALLE | RAPIDES | SAINT MARY |
| SAINT LANDRY | CATAHOULA | CONCORDIA |
| LAFAYETTE | IBERIA | WEST BATON ROUGE |
| IBERVILLE | WEST FELICIANA | EVANGELINE |
| ASSUMPTION | | |