

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 # 11589 in the State of MISSISSIPPI
Disaster Number MS-00026 .

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

MISSISSIPPI ARKANSAS 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
MISSISSIPPI	11589 S2816	11/26/2008	07/27/2009
ARKANSAS			
LOUISIANA			

The interest rate is 4.000 percent.

Incident: Wind and Rainfall associated with Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike

Incident Period: 08/28/2008 through 09/18/2008

The specific primary and contiguous counties are listed below.

Primary Counties:

ADAMS	AMITE	CARROLL	CHOCTAW
COVINGTON	FRANKLIN	HOLMES	HUMPHREYS
ISSAQUENA	JONES	LEFLORE	LINCOLN
MADISON	PERRY	SHARKEY	SUNFLOWER
WARREN	WEBSTER	WINSTON	YAZOO

Contiguous Counties:

MISSISSIPPI

COPIAH	LAWRENCE	CALHOUN
PIKE	RANKIN	SIMPSON
JEFFERSON DAVIS	WASHINGTON	TALLAHATCHIE
GREENE	COAHOMA	SMITH
WALTHALL	SCOTT	STONE
BOLIVAR	CHICKASAW	CLAY
ATTALA	HINDS	GEORGE
OKTIBBEHA	LAMAR	LEAKE

CLAIBORNE
JASPER
JEFFERSON
MONTGOMERY

ARKANSAS
CHICOT

LOUISIANA

TANGIPAHOA
MADISON
EAST FELICIANA

KEMPER
FORREST
NOXUBEE
GRENADA

CONCORDIA
SAINT HELENA

WAYNE
WILKINSON
NESHOPA

EAST CARROLL
TENSAS