

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 # 11626 in the State of TENNESSEE
Disaster Number TN-00023 .

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

TENNESSEE NORTH CAROLINA

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
TENNESSEE	11626 S2839	12/31/2008	08/31/2009
NORTH CAROLINA			

The interest rate is 4.000 percent.

Incident: Drought

Incident Period: 01/01/2008 and continuing

The specific primary and contiguous counties are listed below.

Primary Counties:

BEDFORD	COCKE	MARSHALL	MAURY
MOORE	PUTNAM	SEVIER	VAN BUREN
WHITE			

Contiguous Counties:

TENNESSEE		
RUTHERFORD	JEFFERSON	WILLIAMSON
BLED SOE	GREENE	OVERTON
FENTRESS	JACKSON	LINCOLN
HICKMAN	KNOX	WARREN
FRANKLIN	CUMBERLAND	SMITH
COFFEE	HAMBLEN	DEKALB
GILES	SEQUATCHIE	LAWRENCE
LEWIS	BLOUNT	

NORTH CAROLINA

SWAIN

HAYWOOD

MADISON