

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 # 12069 in the State of TENNESSEE
Disaster Number TN-00037 .

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

TENNESSEE ALABAMA

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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| TENNESSEE | 12069 S2980 | 03/02/2010 | 11/02/2010 |
| ALABAMA | | | |

The Interest Rates are:

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| BUSINESSES AND SMALL AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVES WITHOUT CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE | 4.000 |
| NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS WITHOUT CREDIT AVAILABLE ELSEWHERE | 4.000 |

Incident: Excessive Rainfall

Incident Period: 05/01/2009 through 12/31/2009

The specific primary and contiguous counties are listed below.

Primary Counties:

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| FENTRESS | GILES | MADISON | MORGAN |
| PUTNAM | VAN BUREN | WHITE | |

Contiguous Counties:

TENNESSEE

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| ANDERSON | BLEDSON | CARROLL |
| CHESTER | CROCKETT | CUMBERLAND |
| DEKALB | GIBSON | HARDEMAN |
| HAYWOOD | HENDERSON | JACKSON |
| LAWRENCE | LINCOLN | MARSHALL |
| MAURY | OVERTON | PICKETT |
| ROANE | SCOTT | SEQUATCHIE |
| SMITH | WARREN | |

ALABAMA

LAUDERDALE

LIMESTONE