subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change, as amended, that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change, as amended, between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room. Copies of such filing will also be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the PCX. All submissions should refer to file number SR-PCX-2003-35 and should be submitted by November 21, 2003.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.  $^{16}$ 

## Margaret H. McFarland,

Deputy Secretary.

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## **SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

#### [Declaration of Disaster #3550]

## Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Amendment #1)

In accordance with a notice received from the Department of Homeland Security—Federal Emergency Management Agency, effective October 23, 2003, the above numbered declaration is hereby amended to include Blair, Crawford, Lawrence, McKean, Mercer, Potter, Tioga, Venango, Warren, and Wayne Counties as disaster areas due to damages caused by severe storms, tornadoes, and flooding that occurred on July 21, 2003, and continuing through September 12, 2003.

In addition, applications for economic injury loans from small businesses located in the contiguous counties of Bradford, Beaver, Bedford, Butler, Cambria, Cameron, Centre, Clarion, Clearfield, Clinton, Elk, Erie, Forest, Huntingdon, Lycoming, and Pike in Pennsylvania; Allegany, Broome, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Chemung, Delaware, Steuben, and Sullivan in New York; and Ashtabula, Columbiana, Mahoning, and Trumbull in Ohio 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.

The economic injury number assigned to the State of New York is 9X4400 and for the State of Ohio is 9X4500.

All other information remains the same, *i.e.*, the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is November 18, 2003, and for economic injury the deadline is June 21, 2004.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 59002 and 59008).

Dated: October 24, 2003.

#### Cheri L. Cannon,

Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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### SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

## Region 3—Washington Metropolitan Area District Office Advisory Council; Public Meeting

The Washington Metropolitan Area District Office Advisory Council of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) will be conducting a meeting on Thursday, November 13, 2003, from 9 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. at the Washington Metropolitan Area District Office located at 1110 Vermont Avenue, NW., 9th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. The meeting is open to the public. Seating is limited and is available on a first come, first serve basis. The focus of the meeting includes a review of FY 2003 District Office accomplishments, FY 2004 District Office goals, update on new initiatives, and the operations and goals of the District Advisory Council in the coming year.

Anyone wishing further information concerning the meeting or who wishes to submit oral or written comments should contact, Joseph P. Loddo or Sheila D. Thomas, Designated Federal Officials for the SBA's Washington Metropolitan Area District Advisory Council, by phone at (202) 606-4000, ext. 200 or 276, respectively or via email to: joseph.loddo@sba.gov or sheila.thomas@sba.gov. Requests for oral comments must be in writing to: Sheila D. Thomas 1110 Vermont Ave., NW., 9th Fl, Washington, DC 20005 and received no later than November 7, 2003.

## Scott R. Morris,

Deputy Chief of Staff.

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## **SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

# Region 1—Maine District Advisory Council; Public Meeting

The U.S. Small Business
Administration Region 1 Advisory
Council, located in the geographical
area of Augusta, Maine will hold a
public meeting at 1:30 p.m. November
18th, 2003 at the University of Southern
Maine, 68 High Street, Room 118,
Portland, Maine to discuss such matters
as may be presented by members, staff
of the U.S. Small Business
Administration, or others present.

For further information, write or call Mary McAleney, District Director, U.S. Small Business Administration, 68 Sewall Street, Room 512, Augusta, Maine 04330, (207)–622–8386 phone, (207)–622–8277 fax.

## Scott R. Morris,

 $Deputy\ Chief\ of\ Staff.$ 

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#### **SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

## Small Business Investment Companies; Increase in Maximum Leverage Ceiling

13 CFR 107.1150(a) sets forth the maximum amount of Leverage (as defined in 13 CFR 107.50) that a Small Business Investment Company may have outstanding at any time. The maximum Leverage amounts are adjusted annually based on the increase in the Consumer Price Index published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The cited regulation states that SBA will publish the indexed maximum Leverage amounts each year in a Notice in the **Federal Register**.

Accordingly, effective the date of publication of this Notice, and until further notice, the maximum Leverage amounts under 13 CFR 107.1150(a) are as stated in the following table:

| Then your maximum leverage is:  |
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| 300 percent of<br>Leverageable Cap-<br>ital                           |
| \$57,900,000 + [2 ×<br>(Leverageable Cap-<br>ital –<br>\$19,300,000)] |
| \$96,700,000 + (Leverageable Capital – \$38,700,000) \$116,000,000    |
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(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 59.011, small business investment companies)