

**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION****[Declaration of Disaster #3424, Amdt. 1]****State of Colorado**

In accordance with information received from the Federal Emergency Management Agency dated July 29, 2002, the above numbered declaration is hereby amended to include Larimer, Jackson and Weld Counties in the State of Colorado as disaster areas due to damages caused by wildfires occurring on April 23, 2002 and continuing.

In addition, applications for economic injury loans from small businesses located in the following contiguous counties may be filed until the specified date at the previously designated location: Albany and Laramie Counties in Wyoming; and Kimball County in Nebraska. All other counties contiguous to the above named primary counties have been previously declared.

All other information remains the same, *i.e.*, the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is August 18, 2002, and for economic injury the deadline is March 19, 2003.

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

Dated: August 2, 2002.

**Herbert L. Mitchell,**

*Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.*

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**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION****[Declaration of Disaster #3436]****Federated States of Micronesia**

As a result of the President's major disaster declaration for Public Assistance on July 11, 2002, and Amendment 1 adding Individual Assistance on July 26, 2002, I find that the Federated States of Micronesia constitute a disaster area due to damages caused by Tropical Storm Chata'an, including flooding, mudslides and landslides occurring on July 2-4, 2002. Applications for loans for physical damage as a result of this disaster may be filed until the close of business on September 24, 2002 and for economic injury until the close of business on April 28, 2003 at the address listed below or other locally announced locations: Small Business Administration, Disaster Area 4 Office, PO Box 13795, Sacramento, CA 95853-4795.

The interest rates are:

	Percent
For Physical Damage:	
Homeowners with Credit Available Elsewhere .....	6.750
Homeowners without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	3.375
Businesses with Credit Available Elsewhere .....	7.000
Businesses and Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	3.500
Others (Including Non-Profit Organizations) with Credit Available Elsewhere .....	6.375
For Economic Injury:	
Businesses and Small Agricultural Cooperatives without Credit Available Elsewhere ...	3.500

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 343611 and for economic injury the number is 9Q8700.

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

Dated: August 1, 2002.

**Herbert L. Mitchell,**

*Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.*

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**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION****[Declaration of Disaster #3428, Amdt. 7]****State of Texas**

In accordance with a notice received from the Federal Emergency Management Agency dated July 29, 2002, the above numbered declaration is hereby amended to include Calhoun County in the State of Texas as a disaster area due to damages caused by severe storms and flooding occurring on June 29, 2002 and continuing.

All other counties contiguous to the above named primary counties have been previously declared.

All other information remains the same, *i.e.*, the deadline for filing applications for physical damage is September 2, 2002, and for economic injury the deadline is April 4, 2003.

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

Dated: August 2, 2002.

**Herbert L. Mitchell,**

*Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF STATE****[Public Notice 4043]****Overseas Buildings Operations; Industry Advisory Panel: Meeting Notice**

The Industry Advisory Panel of Overseas Buildings Operations will meet on Thursday, September 12, 2002 from 9:45 until 11:45 a.m. and 1 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time. The meeting will be held in conference room 1105 at the Department of State, 2201 C Street NW. (entrance on 23rd Street), Washington, DC. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss new technologies and successful management practices for design, construction, security, property management, emergency operations, the environment, and planning and development. An agenda will be available prior to the meeting.

The meeting will be open to the public, however, seating is limited. Prior notification and a valid photo ID are mandatory for entry into the building. Members of the public who plan to attend must notify Luigina (Gina) Pinzino at 703/875-7109 before Wednesday, September 4th, to provide date of birth, Social Security number, and telephone number.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Luigina (Gina) Pinzino 703/875-7109.

Dated: July 30, 2002.

**Charles E. Williams,**

*Director/Chief Operating Officer, Overseas Buildings Operations, Department of State.*

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**OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE****2002-2003 Allocations of the Tariff-rate Quotas for Raw Cane Sugar, Refined Sugar, and Sugar-Containing Products**

**AGENCY:** Office of the United States Trade Representative.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) is providing notice of the country-by-country allocations of the in-quota quantity of the tariff-rate quotas for imported raw cane sugar, refined sugar, and sugar-containing products for the period that begins October 1, 2002 and ends September 30, 2003. The allocation for Mexico provided for under the North American Free Trade Agreement will be made at a later date.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 1, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** Inquiries may be mailed or delivered to Sharon Sydow, Director of Agricultural Trade Policy, Office of Agricultural Affairs, Office of the United States Trade Representative, 600 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20508.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sharon Sydow, Office of Agricultural Affairs, 202-395-6127.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to Additional U.S. Note 5 to chapter 17 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTS), the United States maintains tariff-rate quotas for imports of raw cane and refined sugar. Pursuant to additional U.S. Note 8 to chapter 17 of the HTS, the United States also maintains a tariff-rate quota for certain sugar-containing products.

Section 404(d)(3) of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (19 U.S.C. 3601(d)(3)) authorizes the President to allocate the in-quota quantity of a tariff-rate quota for any agricultural product among supplying countries or customs areas. The President delegated this authority to the United States Trade Representative under paragraph (3) of Presidential Proclamation No. 6763 (60 FR 1007).

The in-quota quantity of the tariff-rate quota for raw cane sugar for the period October 1, 2002–September 30, 2003, has been established by the Secretary of Agriculture at 1,117,195 metric tons, raw value (1,231,497 short tons), the minimum to which the United States is committed under the Uruguay Round Agreement. The quantity of 1,117,195 metric tons, raw value is being allocated to the following countries:

Country	FY 2003 Allocation
Argentina .....	45,281
Australia .....	87,402
Barbados .....	7,371
Belize .....	11,583
Bolivia .....	8,424
Brazil .....	152,691
Colombia .....	25,273
Congo .....	7,258
Cote d' Ivoire .....	7,258
Costa Rica .....	15,796
Dominican Republic .....	185,335
Ecuador .....	11,583
El Salvador .....	27,379
Fiji .....	9,477
Gabon .....	7,258
Guatemala .....	50,546
Guyana .....	12,636
Haiti .....	7,258
Honduras .....	10,530
India .....	8,424
Jamaica .....	11,583
Madagascar .....	7,258
Malawi .....	10,530
Mauritius .....	12,636
Mexico .....	7,258
Mozambique .....	13,690

Country	FY 2003 Allocation
Nicaragua .....	22,114
Panama .....	30,538
Papua New Guinea .....	7,258
Paraguay .....	7,258
Peru .....	43,175
Philippines .....	142,160
South Africa .....	24,220
St. Kitts & Nevis .....	7,258
Swaziland .....	16,849
Taiwan .....	12,636
Thailand .....	14,743
Trinidad-Tobago .....	7,371
Uruguay .....	7,258
Zimbabwe .....	12,636

These allocations are based on the countries' historical trade to the United States. The allocations of the raw cane sugar tariff-rate quota to countries that are net importers of sugar are conditioned on receipt of the appropriate verifications of origin.

This allocation includes the following minimum quota-holding countries: Congo, Cote d' Ivoire, Gabon, Haiti, Madagascar, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, St. Kitts & Nevis, and Uruguay.

The in-quota quantity of the tariff-rate quota for refined sugar for the period October 1, 2002–September 30, 2003, has been established by the Secretary of Agriculture at 37,000 metric tons, raw value (40,786 short tons), of which the Secretary has reserved 16,656 metric tons (18,360 short tons) for specialty sugars. Of the quantity not reserved for specialty sugars, a total of 10,300 metric tons (11,354 short tons) is being allocated to Canada and 2,954 metric tons (3,256 short tons) is being allocated to Mexico. The remaining 7,090 metric tons (7,815 short tons) of the in-quota quantity not reserved for specialty sugars may be supplied by any country on a first-come, first-served basis, subject to any other provision of law. The 16,656 metric tons (18,360 short tons) reserved for specialty sugars is also not being allocated among supplying countries and is available on a first-come, first-served basis, subject to any other provision of law.

With respect to the tariff-rate quota for certain sugar-containing products maintained pursuant to additional U.S. Note 8 to chapter 17 of the HTS, 59,250 metric tons (65,312 short tons) of sugar-containing products is being allocated to Canada. The remaining in-quota quantity for this tariff-rate quota is available to other countries on a first-come, first-served basis.

Conversion factor: 1 metric ton = 1.10231125 short tons.

**Allen F. Johnson,**

*Chief Agriculture Negotiator.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

**[STB Finance Docket No. 34216]**

### South Dakota Railroad Authority– Acquisition Exemption–Rutland Line, Inc.

South Dakota Railroad Authority (SDRA), a noncarrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1150.31 to acquire approximately 22.40 miles of track from Rutland Line, Inc. in Sargent County, ND. The line to be acquired is located between milepost 65.57 at the South Dakota/North Dakota border and milepost 43.17, including approximately 275 feet of track <sup>1</sup> at Geneseo Junction, ND. SDRA states that an operator for the line has not yet been determined. SDRA certifies that its projected annual revenues will not exceed those that would qualify it as a Class III rail carrier.

SDRA reports that an agreement for the transaction was reached and the transaction was consummated on June 4, 2002. The effective date of the exemption was July 16, 2002 (7 days after the exemption was filed).

If the notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*. Petitions to revoke the exemption under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d) may be filed at any time. The filing of a petition to revoke will not automatically stay the transaction.

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to STB Finance Docket No. 34216, must be filed with the Surface Transportation Board, 1925 K Street NW., Washington, DC 20423-0001. In addition, a copy of each pleading must be served on Bruce E. Lindholm, Program Manager, 700 East Broadway Avenue, Pierre, SD 57501.

Board decisions and notices are available on our website at "<http://www.stb.dot.gov>."

Decided: July 30, 2002.

<sup>1</sup> By letter filed July 22, 2002, SDRA requested modification of the notice of the exemption to include an additional 275 feet of track beyond milepost 43.17 (Geneseo Joint Section), so that a future operator of the line may be able to interchange with another carrier. SDRA indicates that an amendment to the purchase agreement will be executed to effect the change.