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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), 44 U.S.C. chapter 35, SBA is seeking public comments on the reporting and recordkeeping requirements that will affect small businesses that are seeking to maintain 8(a) Business Development program eligibility. Each such Participant firm will be required to submit certain information to SBA along with its business financials that evidences how participation in the 8(a) program has benefited the respective communities. Currently, such Participant firms submit business financials as part of the “8(a) Annual Update”. The “8(a) Annual Update” will be amended to include potential benefits relating to funding cultural programs, employment assistance, jobs, scholarships, internships, subsistence activities, and other services to the affected community. This amendment to the “8(a) Annual Update” will be “Attachment C: 8(a) Participant Benefits Report.” As required by the 8(a) BD Program regulations, SBA will use the information to identify and track the benefits of participation that flow to Tribal, Alaskan Native, Native Hawaiian, and Community Development Corporation communities.

Title: “8(a) Annual Update”.

Description of Respondents: Firms that are currently certified as Participant firms in the 8(a) Business Development program and are owned by one of the following entities: Tribe, Alaska Native Corporation (ANC), Native Hawaiian Organization (NHO), or Community Development Corporation (CDC).

Form Number: 1450.

Annual Responses: 360.

Annual Burden: 540.

Jacqueline White,

Chief, Administrative Information Branch.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Disaster Declaration #12871; Disaster #ZZ–00007; The Entire United States and U.S. Territories

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a notice of the Military Reservist Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program (MREIDL), dated 10/01/2011.

Effective Date: 10/01/2011.

MREIDL Loan Application Deadline Date: 1 year after the essential employees is discharged or released from active duty.

ADDRESSES: Submit completed loan applications to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: A. Escobar, Office of Disaster Assistance, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, Suite 6050, Washington, DC 20416.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that as a result of Public Law 106–50, the Veterans Entrepreneurship and Small Business Development Act of 1999, and the Military Reservist and Veteran Small Business Reauthorization Act of 2008, this notice establishes the application filing period for the Military Reservist Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program (MREIDL).

Effective 10/01/2011, small businesses employing military reservists may apply for economic injury disaster loans if those employees are called up to active duty during a period of military conflict or have received notice of an expected call-up, and those employees are essential to the success of the small business daily operations.

The purpose of the MREIDL program is to provide funds to an eligible small business to meet its ordinary and necessary operating expenses that it could have met, but is unable to meet, because an essential employee was called up or expects to be called up to active duty in his or her role as a military reservist. These loans are intended only to provide the amount of working capital needed by a small business to pay its necessary obligations as they mature until operations return to normal after the essential employee is released from active duty. For information/applications contact 1–800–659–2955 or visit <http://www.sba.gov>.

Applications for the Military Reservist Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program may be filed at the above address.

The Interest Rate for eligible small businesses is 4.000.

The number assigned is 12871 0.

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James E. Rivera,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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North Florida District Advisory Council

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice of open Federal advisory committee meeting.

SUMMARY: The SBA is issuing this notice to announce the location, date, time, and agenda for the next meeting of the North Florida District Advisory Council. The meeting will be open to the public.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Thursday, November 3, 2011 from approximately 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. Eastern Standard Time.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the North Florida District Office, 7825 Baymeadows Way, Suite 100–B, Jacksonville, FL 32256.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C., Appendix 2), SBA announces the meeting of the North Florida District Advisory Council. The North Florida District Advisory Council is tasked with providing advice and opinions to SBA regarding the effectiveness of and need for SBA programs, particularly within North Florida and for listening to what is currently happening in the Florida small business community.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the current economic condition for small businesses in the North Florida District area. The agenda will include: luncheon/meeting to hear from the members of the council from the Jacksonville area, and to hear from the SBA staff on SBA updates for the District.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The meeting is open to the public however advance notice of attendance is requested. Anyone wishing to attend and/or make a presentation to the North Florida District Advisory Council must contact Nayana Sen by October 21, 2011 by fax or e-mail in order to be placed on the agenda. Nayana Sen, Business Development Specialist, 7825 Baymeadows Way, Suite 100–B, Jacksonville, FL 32256, (904) 443–1933, (904) 443–1980 (fax), or Nayana.sen@sba.gov.