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| Physical Declaration Number  |                         | Fi                                      | ling Deadline Date                             | _                |  |  |  |
| Economic Injury Declaration Number   |                         | Fi                                      | ling Deadline Date                             |                  |  |  |  |
| FEMA Registration Number   |                         | SE                                      | BA Application Number                          |                  |  |  |  |
| (if known)  1. ARE YOU APPLYING FOR:   |                         |   |  |                  |  |  |  |
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| Real Property  | Business Contents       | * Nam                                   | (complete the                                  | •                | -,   |  |  |
| Economic Injury (EIDL)   |                         |   | oloyee's Social Security Nu                    | ımber            |  |  |  |
| PLEASE PROVIDE ALL INFORMATIO  |                         |   | IN THE ATTACHED FII                            | LING REQUIRE     | MENTS.                                       |  |  |
| *For information about these questions, see the attached<br>Apply online at https://disasterloan.sl<br>U.S. Small Business Administration, | ba.gov/ela/ OR send com | pleted applic                           |  | , Fort Worth, Te | exas 76155                                   |  |  |
| <ol><li>ORGANIZATION TYPE *Sole</li></ol>  | Proprietors should o    | omplete fo                              | rm 5C  |                  |  |  |  |
| Partnership  | Limited Partnership     | Lir                                     | nited Liability Entity                         |                  |  |  |  |
| Corporation  | Nonprofit Organization  | Tru                                     |  | Other:           |  |  |  |
| 3. APPLICANT'S LEGAL NAME  |                         | 4.                                      | FEDERAL E.I.N. (if a                           | pplicable)       |  |  |  |
|  |                         |   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| 5. TRADE NAME (if different from leg   | gal name)               | 6.                                      | 6. BUSINESS PHONE NUMBER (including area code) |                  |  |  |  |
|  |                         |   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| 7. MAILING ADDRESS   | Business H              | lome                                    | Temp Other                                     |                  |  |  |  |
| Number, Street, and/or Post Office Box   | City                    |   | County   | State            | Zip  |  |  |
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| <ol> <li>DAMAGED PROPERTY ADDRE<br/>(If you need more space, attach addition</li> </ol>  | · ,                     | Carro oo moil                           | ·· ··  | BUSINESS Owne    | S PROPERTY IS:                               |  |  |
| Number and Street Name   | City                    | Same as mail                            | County   | State            | d Leased                                     |  |  |
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| 9. PROVIDE THE NAME(S) OF T  | HE INDIVIDUAL(S) TO     | CONTACT                                 | FOR:   |                  |  |  |  |
| Loss Verification Insp   | ection                  |   | Information necessary                          | to process the   | Application                                  |  |  |
| Name   |                         | Name                                    |  |                  |  |  |  |
| Telephone Number   | Telephone N             | Telephone Number                        |  |                  |  |  |  |
| 10. ALTERNATE WAY TO CONTAC  | T YOU                   |   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| Cell Number  |                         | E-mail                                  |  |                  |  |  |  |
| Fax Number   |                         | Other                                   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| 11. BUSINESS ACTIVITY:   | 12. N                   | 12. NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES (pre-disaster): |  |                  |  |  |  |
| 13. DATE BUSINESS ESTABLISHED:   | 14. C                   | 14. CURRENT MANAGEMENT SINCE:           |  |                  |  |  |  |
| 15. AMOUNT OF ESTIMATED LOSS:<br>If unknown, enter a question mark   |                         |   | Inventory                                      |                  |  |  |  |
| N  | Machinery & Equipment   |   | Leasehold I                                    | mprovements      |  |  |  |
| 16. INSURANCE COVERAGE (IF ANY)  |                         | T                                       |  |                  |  |  |  |
| (If you need more space, attach additio<br>Name of Insurance Company and Agent   | nal sheets.) Coverag    | је туре:                                |  |                  |  |  |  |
|  |                         |   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| Phone Number of Insurance Agent  |                         |   | Policy Number                                  |                  |  |  |  |

| 17. OWNER  |   | and businesses.)                            |  |               | each: 1) proprie   |             |                     |                |               |             | and each            |
|--|---|---|--|---------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Legal Name   |   | d more space attach add                     | itional sheets.)   | general parti | ner, or 3) stockho |             | w owning 20%  Owned | 1              |               |             |                     |
| ŭ  |   |   |  |               |                    | CC .        |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| SSN/EIN*   |   | Marital Status                              | Date of Birth*   | Place         | of Birth*          |             | Telephone           | Number         | (area code    | ′ 1 —       | S Citizen<br>Yes    |
| Mailing Addres   | SS  |   |  |               | City               |             |                     |                | State         | Zip         |                     |
| Legal Name   |   |   |  |               | Title/Offi         | ce          | % Owned             | E-mail         | Address       |             |                     |
| SSN/EIN*   |   | Marital Status                              | Date of Birth*   | Place         | of Birth*          |             | Telephone           | Number         | (area code    | · I         | S Citizen<br>Yes No |
| Mailing Addres   | ss  |   |  |               | City               |             |                     |                | State         | Zip         |                     |
|  |   | , see the attached Statemen                 | nts Required by Laws and Exe                                 |               |                    |             | <b>T</b> (5         |                |               | 0, 0        | N                   |
| Business Entit<br>Name   |   |   |  | EIN           | N.                 |             | Type of Bus         | siness         |               | % C         | Ownership           |
| Mailing Addres   | SS  |   |  | Cit           | У                  |             |                     | State          | : Zi          | p Code      |                     |
| E-mail Address   | s   |   |  | •             |                    | Pho         | ne                  | •              |               |             |                     |
| 18. For the ap   | plicant busines   | ss and each owner I<br>(Attach an additiona | isted in item 17, pleas<br>al sheet for detailed re          | se respone    | d to the followi   | ing quest   | ions, providi       | ng dates       | and deta      | ails on a   | ny                  |
|  |   |   | ankruptcy in the pas   |               |                    |             |                     |                |               | Yes         | □ No                |
| _  |   |   | ny outstanding judgmer                                       | ,             | , ,                | ,           | 9                   |                | 📋             | Yes         | ☐ No                |
|  |   |   | ed owner been convicte<br>her declared disaster, o           |               |                    |             | •                   | oution of a    | any           |             |                     |
|  |   |   | d to be obscene by a co                                      |               | 0 0                | •           |                     |                | · —           | Yes         | No                  |
|  |   |   | d or guaranteed a Fede<br>t on any Federal taxes,            |               | , ,                |             |                     |                |               | Yes         | No                  |
| studen   | nt, etc.), Federa   | l contracts, Federal g                      | rants, or any child supp                                     | ort payme     | nts?               |             |                     |                |               | Yes         | ☐ No                |
|  | •   | •   | ehold member work for  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               | Yes         | ☐ No                |
| _  |   |   | y suspended or debarro                                       |               | -                  |             | -                   |                |               | Yes         | □ No                |
|  | _   | joint applicant list                        |  |               |                    |             |                     |                | ·             |             |                     |
| a) are you presently subject to an indictment, criminal information, arraignment, or other means by which formal criminal charges are brought in any jurisdiction; b) have you been arrested in the past six months for any criminal offense; c) for any criminal offense - other than a minor vehicle violation - have you ever: 1) been convicted, 2) plead guilty, 3) plead nolo contendere, 4) been placed on pretrial diversion, or 5) been placed on any form of parole or probation (including probation before judgement)?   |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| measures   | 20. PHYSICAL DAMAGE LOANS ONLY. If your application is approved, you may be eligible for additional funds to cover the cost of mitigating measures (real property improvements or devices to minimize or protect against future damage from the same type of disaster event). It is not necessary for you to submit the description and cost estimates with the application. SBA must approve the mitigating measures before any loan |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| increase. I am not interested in learning more about how to increase my loan amount for mitigation measures.   |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| 21. If anyone assisted you in completing this application, whether you pay a fee for this service or not, that person must print and sign their name in the space below.   |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| Name and Address of Representative (please include the individual name and their company)  |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
|  |   | (Signature                                  | of Individual)   |               |                    |             | (P                  | rint Individua | al Name)      |             |                     |
|  |   | (Name of                                    | Company)   |               |                    |             | Phone N             | Number (incl   | lude Area Co  | ode)        |                     |
| Street Address, City, State, Zip  Fee Charged or Agreed Upon  Unless the NO box is checked, I give permission for SBA to discuss any portion of this application with the representative listed above. NO  |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
|  |   | ERTIFICATION                                |  |               | •                  |             | •                   |                |               |             |                     |
|  |   |   | the applicant busines  |               | SBA all records ar | nd informat | ion necessary to    | process th     | nis applicati | ion.        |                     |
| I/We authorize my/our insurance company, bank, financial institution, or other creditors to release to SBA all records and information necessary to process this application.  If my/our loan is approved, additional information may be required prior to loan closing. I/We will be advised in writing what information will be required to obtain my/our loan funds.  I/We hereby authorize the SBA to verify my/our past and present employment information and salary history as needed to process and service a disaster loan. |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| I/We authorize SBA, as required by the Privacy Act, to release any information collected in connection with this application to Federal, state, local, tribal or nonprofit organizations (e.g. Red Cross   |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| Salvation Army, Mennonite Disaster Services, SBA Resource Partners) for the purpose of assisting me with my/our SBA application, evaluating eligibility for additional assistance, or notifying me of the availability of such assistance.   |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| I/We will not exclude from participating in or deny the benefits of, or otherwise subject to discrimination under any program or activity for which I/we receive Federal financial assistance from SBA, any person on grounds of age, color, handicap, marital status, national origin, race, religion, or sex.  |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| I/We will report to the SBA Office of the Inspector General, Washington, DC 20416, any Federal employee who offers, in return for compensation of any kind, to help get this loan approved. I/We have not paid anyone connected with the Federal government for help in getting this loan.   |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| CERTIFICATION AS TO TRUTHFUL INFORMATION: By signing this application, you certify that all information in your application and submitted with your application is true and correct to the best of your knowledge, and that you will submit truthful information in the future.  |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| WARNING: Whoev   | er wrongfully misa  | applies the proceeds of an                  | SBA disaster loan shall be ci<br>lse statement or misreprese |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| fines and imprison   | nment, or both, und   | der 15 U.S.C. 645, 18 U.S.C                 | C. 1001, 18 U.S.C. 1014, 18 U                                | .S.C. 1040, 1 | 8 U.S.C. 3571, and | any other a | pplicable laws;     | 2) treble da   | mages and     | civil penal | lties under the     |
| False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. 3729; 3) double damages and civil penalties under the Program Fraud Civil Remedies Act, 31 U.S.C. 3802; and 4) suspension and/or debarment from all Federal procurement and non-procurement transactions. Statutory fines may increase if amended by the Federal Civil Penalties Inflation Adjustment Act Improvements Act of 2015.  |   |   |  |               |                    |             |                     |                |               |             |                     |
| SIGNATURE  |   |   |  | TITLE         |                    |             |                     | D/             | ATE           |             |                     |

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| 22. Veteran/Ge          | nder/Race/Ethnicity D                                  | ata is collected for program reporting only. Disclos                          | ure is voluntary and has no bearing on the loar | n decision.     |
|-------------------------|--|---|---|-----------------|
|                         | Choose a   | ll that Apply   | Primary Applicant                               | Joint Applicant |
| Veteran 1= Nor          | n-Veteran; 2= Veteran: 3=                              | Service-Disabled Veteran; 4= Spouse of Ve                                     | eteran  |                 |
|                         | le; F= Female; O= Other                                |   |   |                 |
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| Race 1= Amei<br>Hawaiia | rican Indian or Alaska Na<br>n or Pacific Islander; 5= | ative; 2= Asian; 3= Black or African America<br>White (Select all that apply) | n; 4= Native                                    |                 |
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| Ethnicity H=            | Hispanic or Latino; N= N                               | lot Hispanic or Latino  |   |                 |
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| 23. ADDITION            | NAL INFORMATION  | Please refer to Section and Title   |   |                 |
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## U. S. Small Business Administration DISASTER BUSINESS LOAN APPLICATION

This form is for use by Businesses to apply for an SBA physical or economic injury disaster loan as applicable. The requested information is required to obtain a benefit under our SBA Disaster Loan Program and helps the Agency determine whether the applicant is eligible for a disaster loan and has repayment ability.

If you have questions about this application or problems providing the required information, please contact our Customer Service Center at 1-800-659-2955 or disastercustomerservice@sba.gov. If more space is needed for any section of this application, please attach additional sheets. SBA will contact you by phone or email to discuss your loan request.

You may submit the form:

- Online on SBA's secure website www.sba.gov
- In-person at a disaster center,
- By Mail: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement 14925 Kingsport Rd. Ft. Worth, TX 76155-2243

### SBA will contact you by phone or email to discuss your loan request

### Filing Requirements

### FOR ALL APPLICATIONS, EXCLUDING NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, THE FOLLOWING ITEMS MUST BE SUBMITTED.

- This application (SBA Form 5), completed and signed
- Request for Transcript of Tax Returns (IRS Form 4506C), completed and signed by each applicant, each principal owning 20 percent or more of the applicant business, each general partner or managing member; and, for any owner who has greater than 50 percent ownership in an affiliate business. Affiliates include, but are not limited to, business parents, subsidiaries, and/or other businesses with common ownership or management
- Complete copies, including all schedules, of the most recent Federal income tax returns for the applicant business; an explanation if not available
- Personal Financial Statement (SBA Form 413) completed, signed, and dated by the applicant, each principal owning 20 percent or more of the applicant business, and each general partner or managing member
- Schedule of Liabilities listing all fixed debts (SBA Form 2202 may be used)

### NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS (including Houses of Worship, Associations, etc.), THE FOLLOWING ITEMS MUST BE SUBMITTED:

- This application (SBA Form 5), completed and signed
- A complete copy of the organization's most recent tax return <u>OR</u> a copy of the organization's IRS tax-exempt certification and complete copies of the organization's three most recent years' "Statement of Activities"
- Schedule of Liabilities
- Request for Transcript of Tax Returns (IRS Form 4506C), completed and signed by each applicant and for any affiliated entity. Affiliates include, but are not limited to, business parents, subsidiaries, and/or other businesses with common ownership or management

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR MILITARY RESERVIST ECONOMIC INJURY (MREIDL).

- A copy of the essential employee's notice of expected call-up to active service (as defined in 10 U.S.C. 101(d)(3)) for a period of more than 30 consecutive days or official call-up orders, or release/discharge from active service
- A written explanation and financial estimate of how the call-up of the essential employee has or will result in economic injury to your business, and the steps your business is taking to alleviate the economic injury

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION MAY BE NECESSARY TO PROCESS YOUR APPLICATION. IF REQUESTED, PLEASE PROVIDE WITHIN 7 DAYS OF THE INFORMATION REQUEST.

- Complete copy, including all schedules, of the most recent Federal income tax return for each principal owning 20 percent or more, each general partner or managing member, and each affiliate when any owner has more than 50 percent ownership in the affiliate business. Affiliates include, but are not limited to, business parents, subsidiaries, and/or other businesses with common ownership or management
- If the most recent Federal income tax return has not been filed, a year-end profit-and-loss statement and balance sheet for that tax year
- A current year-to-date profit-and-loss statement
- Additional Filing Requirements (SBA Form 1368) providing monthly sales figures for will generally be required when requesting an increase in the amount of economic injury

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### NOTE: PLEASE READ, DETACH AND KEEP FOR YOUR RECORDS STATEMENTS REQUIRED BY LAWS AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS

To comply with legislation passed by the Congress and Executive Orders issued by the President, Federal executive agencies, including the Small Business Administration (SBA), must notify you of certain information. You can find the regulations and policies implementing these laws and Executive Orders in Title 13, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Chapter 1, or our Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs). In order to provide the required notices, the following is a brief summary of the various laws and Executive Orders that affect SBA's Disaster Loan Programs. A glossary of terms can be found at Disasterloanassistance.sba.gov.

#### FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (5 U.S.C. 552)

This law provides, with some exceptions, that we must make records or portions of records contained in our files available to persons requesting them. This generally includes aggregate statistical information on our disaster loan programs and other information such as names of borrowers (and their officers, directors, stockholders or partners), loan amounts at maturity, the collateral pledged, and the general purpose of loans. We do not routinely make available to third parties your proprietary data without first notifying you, required by Executive Order 12600, or confidential business information, information that would cause competitive harm, or information that would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

For information about the FOIA, contact the Chief, FOI/PA Office, 409 3rd Street, SW, Suite 5900, Washington, DC 20416, or by e-mail at foia@sba.gov.

#### PRIVACY ACT (5 U.S.C. 552a)

Anyone can request to see or get copies of any personal information that we have in your file. Any personal information in your file that is retrieved by individual identifiers, such as name or social security number, is protected by the Privacy Act, which means requests for information about you may be denied unless we have your written permission to release the information to the requester or unless the information is subject to disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act. The Agreements and Certifications section of this form contains written permission for us to disclose the information resulting from this collection to state, local or private disaster relief services.

The Privacy Act authorizes SBA to make certain "routine uses" of information protected by that Act. One such routine use for SBA's loan system of records is that when this information indicates a violation or potential violation of law, whether civil, criminal, or administrative in nature, SBA may refer it to the appropriate agency, whether Federal, State, local or foreign, charged with responsibility for or otherwise involved in investigation, prosecution, enforcement or prevention of such violations. Another routine use of personal information is to assist in obtaining credit bureau reports, on the Disaster Loan Applicants and guarantors for purposes of originating, servicing, and liquidating Disaster loans. See, 69 F.R. 58598, 58616 (and as amended from time to time) for additional background and other routine uses.

Under the provisions of the Privacy Act, you are not required to provide social security numbers. (But see the information under Debt Collection Act below). In addition to the reasons described below, we use social security numbers to distinguish between people with a similar or the same name for credit decisions and for debt collection purposes. Failure to provide this number may not affect any right, benefit, or privilege to which you are entitled by law, but having the number makes it easier for us to more accurately identify to whom adverse credit information applies and to keep accurate loan records.

Note: Any person concerned with the collection, use and disclosure of information, under the Privacy Act may contact the Chief, FOI/PA Office, 409 3rd Street, SW, Suite 5900, Washington, DC 20416 or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:foia@sba.gov">foia@sba.gov</a> for information about the Agency's procedures relating to the Privacy Act and the Freedom of Information Act.

DEBT COLLECTION ACT OF 1982 (5 U.S.C. 5514 note); DEBT COLLECTION IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 1996, as amended (31 U.S.C. 3701 et seq.)

These laws require us to aggressively collect any delinquent loan payments and/or to require you to give your taxpayer identification number to us when you apply for a loan (31 U.S.C. 7701). If you receive a loan and do not make payments when they become due, we may take one or more of the following actions (this list may not be exhaustive):

- \*Report the delinquency to credit reporting bureaus.
- \*Offset your income tax refunds or other amounts due to you from the Federal Government.
- \*Refer the account to a private collection agency or other agency operating a debt collection center.
- \*Suspend or debar you from doing business with the Federal Government.
- \*Refer your loan to the Department of Justice.
- \*Foreclose on collateral or take other actions permitted in the loan instruments.
- \*Garnish wages.
- \*Sell the debt.
- \*Litigate or foreclose.

#### RIGHT TO FINANCIAL PRIVACY ACT OF 1978 (12 U.S.C. 3401 et seq.)

This notifies you, as required by the Right to Financial Privacy Act of 1978 (Act), of our right to access financial records held by financial institutions that were or are doing business with you or your business. This includes financial institutions participating in loans or loan guarantees.

The law provides that we may access your financial records when considering or administering Government loan or loan guaranty assistance to you. We must give a financial institution a certificate of our compliance with the Act when we first request access to your financial records. No other certification is required for later access. Our access rights continue for the term of any approved loan or loan guaranty. We do not have to give you any additional notice of our access rights during the term of the loan or loan guaranty.

We may transfer to another Government authority any financial records included in a loan application or about an approved loan or loan guaranty as necessary to process, service, liquidate, or foreclose a loan or loan guaranty. We will not permit any transfer of your financial records to another Government authority except as required or permitted by law.

#### PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35)

We are collecting the information on this form in order to make disaster loans available to qualified small businesses. The form is designed to collect the information necessary for us to make eligibility and credit decisions in order to fund or deny loan requests. We will also use the information collected on this form to produce summary reports for program and management analysis, as required by law.

PLEASE NOTE: The estimated burden for completing this form is 1.25 hours. Your responses to the requested information are required in order to obtain a benefit under SBA's Disaster Business Loan Programs. However, you are not required to respond to any collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB approval number. If you have any questions or comments concerning any aspects of this information collection, please contact the U.S. Small Business Administration Records Management Division, 409 3<sup>RD</sup> St., SW, Washington, DC 20416 and Desk Officer for SBA, Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, 725 17<sup>TH</sup> St., NW, Washington, DC 20503. (3245-0017) **PLEASE DO NOT SEND FORMS TO OMB.** 

#### POLICY CONCERNING REPRESENTATIVES AND THEIR FEES

When you apply for an SBA loan, you may use an attorney, accountant, engineer, appraiser, or other representative to help prepare and present the application to us. You are not required to have representation. If an application is approved, you may need an attorney to help prepare closing documents.

There are no "authorized representatives" of SBA, other than our regular salaried employees. Payment of a fee or gratuity to our employees is illegal and will subject those involved to prosecution.

SBA regulations prohibit representatives from proposing or charging any fee for services performed in connection with your loan unless we consider the services necessary and the amount reasonable. The regulations also prohibit charging you any commitment, bonus, broker, commission, referral, or similar fee. We will not approve the payment of any bonus, brokerage fee or commission. Also, we will not approve placement or finder's fees for using or trying to use influence in the SBA loan application process.

Fees to representatives must be reasonable for services provided in connection with the application or the closing and based upon the time and effort required, the qualifications of the representative, and the nature and extent of work performed. Representatives must execute a compensation agreement.

In the appropriate section of the application, you must state the names of everyone employed by you or on your behalf. You must also notify the SBA disaster office in writing of the names and fees of any representative you employ after you file your application.

If you have any questions concerning payment of fees or reasonableness of fees, contact the Field Office where you filed or will file your application or call the SBA Customer Service Center at 1-800-659-2955.

### OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT (29 U.S.C. 3651 et seq.)

This legislation authorizes the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) in the Department of Labor to require businesses to modify facilities and procedures to protect employees when appropriate. If your business does not do so, you may be penalized, forced to close, or prevented from starting operations in a new facility. Because of this, we may require information from you to determine whether your business complies with OSHA regulations and may continue operating after the loan is approved or disbursed. You must certify to us that OSHA requirements applying to your business have been determined and that you are, to the best of your knowledge, in compliance.