

payment data to SBA on a monthly basis. the purpose of this reporting is to (1) Show the remittance due SBA on a loan serviced by participating lending institutions; (2) update the loan receivable balances.

Title: "Transaction Report on Loans Serviced by Lenders".

Description of Respondents: Small Business Administration Participating Lenders.

Form Number: 172.

Annual Responses: 24,779.

Annual Burden: 4,130.

ADDRESSES: Send all comments regarding whether this information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, whether the burden estimates are accurate, and if there are ways to minimize the estimated burden and enhance the quality of the collection, to Rachel Newman-Karton, Program Analyst, Office of Small Business Development Centers, Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, 6th Floor, Washington, DC 20416.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Rachel Newman-Karton, Program Analyst, (202) 619-1816

Rachel.newman@sba.gov Curtis B. Rich, Management Analyst, (202) 205-7030 *curtis.rich@sba.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Each form is used to notify recipients of grant awards and cooperative agreement awards. Form 1222 is used also to document logistical and budgetary information gathered from the awardees application and proposal. Awardees/ Respondents are universities, colleges, state and local government, for-profit and non-profit organizations. Form 1224 is used to certify the cost sharing by the recipient.

Title: "Notice of Award & Grant/ Cooperative Agreement Cost Sharing Proposal".

Description of Respondents: SBA Grant Applicants and Recipients.

Form Numbers: 1222, 1224.

Annual Responses: 477.

Annual Burden: 34,191.

ADDRESSES: Send all comments regarding whether this information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, whether the burden estimates are accurate, and if there are ways to minimize the estimated burden and enhance the quality of the collection, to Carol Fendler, System Accountant, Office of Investment, Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, 6th Floor, Washington, DC 20416.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: SBA Forms 856 and 856A are used by SBA examiners as part of their examination of licensed small business investment companies (SBICs). This information collection obtains representations from an SBIC's management regarding certain obligations, transactions and relationships of the SBIC and helps SBA to evaluate the SBIC's financial condition and compliance with applicable laws and regulations.

Title: "Disclosure Statement, Leveraged Licensees & Disclosure Statement, Non-Leveraged Licensees".

Description of Respondents: Small Business Investment Companies.

Form Numbers: 856, 856A.

Annual Responses: 400.

Annual Burden: 400.

Jacqueline White,

Chief, Administrative Information Branch.

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[Disaster Declaration #12815 and #12816]

Texas Disaster Number TX-00381

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Amendment 8.

SUMMARY: This is an amendment of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for the State of Texas (FEMA-4029-DR), dated 09/09/2011.

Incident: Wildfires.

Incident Period: 08/30/2011 and continuing.

Effective Date: 12/05/2011.

Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: 01/06/2012.

EIDL Loan Application Deadline Date: 06/06/2012.

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 SW., Suite 6050, Washington, DC 20416.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of the President's major disaster declaration for the State of Texas, dated 09/09/2011 is hereby amended to extend the deadline for filing

applications for physical damages as a result of this disaster to 01/06/2012.

All other information in the original declaration remains unchanged.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers 59002 and 59008)

James E. Rivera,

Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[License No. 09/79-0454]

Emergence Capital Partners SBIC, L.P.; Notice Seeking Exemption Under Section 312 of the Small Business Investment Act, Conflicts of Interest

Notice is hereby given that Ironwood Mezzanine Fund II, L.P., 55 Nod Rd., Avon, CT 06001, a Federal Licensee under the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, as amended ("the Act"), in connection with the financing of a small concern, has sought an exemption under Section 312 of the Act and Section 107.730, Financings which Constitute Conflicts of Interest of the Small Business Administration ("SBA") Rules and Regulations (13 CFR 107.730). Ironwood Mezzanine Fund II, L.P. proposes to provide debt financing to Action Environmental Group, Inc., 451 Frelinghuysen Avenue, Newark, NJ 07114 ("Action Carting"). The proceeds will be used to finance a single-stream material recovery facility.

The financing is brought within the purview of § 107.730(a)(1) of the Regulations because Ironwood Equity Fund L.P., an Associate of Ironwood Mezzanine Fund II, L.P., owns more than ten percent of Action Carting. Therefore, Action Carting is considered an Associate of the Licensee and this transaction is considered *Financing an Associate*, requiring prior SBA approval.

Notice is hereby given that any interested person may submit written comments on the transaction within 15 days of the date of this publication to the Associate Administrator for Investment, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 Third Street SW., Washington, DC 20416.

Dated: November 25, 2011.

Sean J. Greene,

Associate Administrator for Investment.

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