

**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

[Disaster Declaration #10160 and #10161]

**California Disaster #CA-00012**

**AGENCY:** Small Business Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This is a notice of an Administrative declaration of a disaster for the State of California dated 08/10/2005.

*Incident:* Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mud and Debris Flows.

*Incident Period:* 02/12/2005 through 02/24/2005.

*Effective Date:* 08/10/2005.

*Physical Loan Application Deadline Date:* 10/11/2005.

*EIDL Loan Application Deadline Date:* 05/10/2006.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit completed loan applications to: Small Business Administration, Disaster Area Office 3, 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 the Administrator's disaster declaration applications for disaster loans may be filed at the address listed above or other locally announced locations.

The following areas have been determined to be adversely affected by the disaster:

*Primary Counties:* Los Angeles; Orange.

*Contiguous Counties:* California: Kern; Riverside; San Bernardino; San Diego; Ventura.

The Interest Rates are:

	Percent
Homeowners With Credit Available Elsewhere .....	5.875.
Homeowners Without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	2.937.
Businesses With Credit Available Elsewhere .....	6.000.
Businesses and Small Agricultural Cooperatives Without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	4.000.
Other (Including Non-Profit Organizations) With Credit Available Elsewhere .....	4.750.
Businesses and Non-Profit Organizations Without Credit Available Elsewhere .....	4.000.

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 10160 B and for economic injury is 10161 0. The State which received an EIDL Declaration # is California.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers 59002 and 59008).

Dated: August 10, 2005.

**Hector V. Barreto,**

*Administrator.*

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[Disaster Declaration #10162]

**UTAH Disaster #UT-00004**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Small Business Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This is a Notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for public assistance only for the State of Utah (FEMA-1598-DR), dated 08/01/2005.

*Incident:* Flooding and Landslides.

*Incident Period:* 04/28/2005 through 06/29/2005.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* 08/01/2005.

*Physical Loan Application Deadline Date:* 09/30/2005.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit completed loan applications to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Disaster Area Office 3, 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 the President's major disaster declaration on 08/01/2005, applications for Private Non-Profit organizations that provide essential services of a governmental nature may file disaster loan applications at the address listed above or other locally announced locations.

*The following areas have been determined to be adversely affected by the disaster: Primary Counties:* Beaver, Box Elder, Iron, Sevier, Tooele, Uintah, Wasatch, Uintah and Ouray Indian Reservation.

The Interest Rates are:

	Percent
Other (including non-profit organizations) with credit available elsewhere .....	4.750.
Businesses and non-profit organizations without credit available elsewhere .....	4.000.

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 10162.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 59008).

**Herbert L. Mitchell,**

*Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.*

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**SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

**National Advisory Board, Small Business Development Centers; Public Meeting**

The U.S. Small Business Administration, National Advisory Board of the Office of Small Business Development Centers, will be hosting a public meeting via conference call to discuss such matters that may be presented by members, the staff of the U.S. Small Business Administration, or interested others. The conference will take place on Thursday, August 25, 2005 at 11 a.m. eastern standard time.

Anyone wishing to participate or make an oral presentation to the Board must contact Erika Fischer, Senior Program Analyst, U.S. Small Business Administration, Office of Small Business Development Centers, 409 3rd Street, SW., Washington, DC 20416, telephone (202) 205-7045 or fax (202) 481-0681.

**Matthew K. Becker,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Federal Aviation Administration**

**Notice of Availability of Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) Containing a Final Air Quality General Conformity Determination (FGCD), (Preliminary) Final Section 106 Historic Resources Report, and Virginia Coastal Zone Consistency Determination: Notice of EPA 30-day Hold Period and Notice of Comment Period for Proposed New Runways and Associated Development at Washington Dulles International Airport, Chantilly, VA**

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is a cooperating Federal agency, having jurisdiction by law because the proposed Federal action has the potential for significant wetland impacts.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability, notice of EPA 30-day hold period, notice of comment period.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is issuing this notice to advise the public that a Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS)—Proposed New Runways and Associated Development at Washington Dulles International Airport, has been prepared and is available for public review and comment. The FEIS incorporates a Final Air Quality General Conformity Determination (FGCD), (Preliminary) Final Section 106 Historic Resources Report and a Virginia Coastal Zone Consistency Determination. Written requests for the FEIS and related documents can be submitted to the individual listed in the section **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. The EPA 30-day Hold Period and FEIS comment period will commence on August 19, 2005, and will close on September 19, 2005.

*FEIS Availability:* Copies of the FEIS and related documents may be viewed during regular business hours at the following locations:

1. Centreville Regional Library, 14200 St. Germaine Drive, Centreville, VA.
2. Chantilly Regional Library, 4000 Stringfellow Road, Chantilly, VA.
3. Great Falls Library, 9830 Georgetown Pike, Great Falls, VA.
4. Herndon Fortnightly Library, 768 Center Street, Herndon, VA.
5. Reston Regional Library, 11925 Bowman Towne Drive, Reston, VA.
6. Fairfax City Regional Library, 3915 Chain Bridge Road, Fairfax, VA.
7. Ashburn Library, 43316 Hay Road, Ashburn, VA.
8. Rust Library, 380 Old Waterford Road, Leesburg, VA.
9. Middleburg Library, 101 Reed Street, Middleburg, VA.
10. Purcellville Library, 220 E. Main Street, Purcellville, VA.
11. Sterling Library, 120 Enterprise Street, Sterling, VA.
12. Eastern Loudoun Regional Library, 21030 Whitfield Place, Sterling, VA.
13. Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA.

A limited number of copies of the FEIS and related documents will also be available for review by appointment only at the following FAA/Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority (MWAA) Offices. Please call to make arrangements for viewing: Federal Aviation Administration, Washington Airports District Office, 23723 Air Freight Lane, Suite 210, Dulles, VA, (703) 661-1368; Washington Dulles International Airport, Airport Managers

Office, Main Terminal Baggage Claim Level, Dulles, VA, (703) 572-2710. An Executive Summary will be available August 13, 2005 on Dulles Airport's Web site at <http://www.mwaa.com/dulles/EnvironmentalStudies/RunwaysEIS.htm>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Joseph Delia, Project Manager, Federal Aviation Administration, Washington Airports District Office, 23723 Air Freight Lane, Suite 210, Dulles, VA. Mr. Delia can be contacted at (703) 661-1358.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is issuing this Notice of Availability to advise the public that a Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) containing a Final Air Quality General Conformity Determination (FGCD), (Preliminary) Final Section 106 Historic Resources Report and a Virginia Coastal Zone Consistency Determination will be available for public review beginning August 11, 2005. The FEIS details the proposed development of two new runways, terminal facilities, and related facilities at Washington Dulles International Airport (IAD), Dulles, Virginia.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is a cooperating Federal agency, having jurisdiction by law because the proposed Federal action has the potential for significant wetland impacts.

The FEIS presents the purpose and need for the proposed project, a comprehensive analysis of the alternatives to the proposed project, including the no-action alternative and potential environmental impacts associated with the proposed development of two new air carrier runways and related improvements at IAD. The FEIS also identifies the FAA's Preferred Alternative (Build Alternative 3) and sets forth the Mitigation Program for the Preferred Alternative that will be implemented by the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority (MWAA) to off-set unavoidable environmental impacts.

In accordance with section 176(c) of the Federal Clean Air Act, FAA has assessed whether the air emissions that would result from FAA's action in approving the proposed projects conform with the State Implementation Plan (SIP). The results of this assessment indicate that the Preferred Alternative has demonstrated conformity with the SIP. This assessment is contained in the Air Quality General Conformity Determination.

Pursuant to the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, including Executive Order 11593, Protection and Enhancement of the Cultural Environment, FAA has assessed whether its action in approving the proposed project would result in significant impact to Historic and Archaeological Resources. The results of this assessment indicate that the Preferred Alternative would result in impacts to resources that are listed in, and eligible for, listing in the National Register of Historic Places. FAA is consulting with the Virginia State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) concerning the effects assessment and the execution of a project specific Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) that will identify treatment of the affected resources.

In accordance with the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended, the Preferred Alternative was evaluated for consistency with the Virginia Coastal Program. FAA's evaluation determined that the Preferred Alternative is consistent with the Virginia Coastal Zone Program.

In accordance with Executive Order 11988, Floodplain Management and Order DOT 5650.2, Floodplain Management and Protection, FAA evaluated whether the proposed project would impact base floodplain based on a 100-year flood. The results of this assessment indicate that the Preferred Alternative would result in unavoidable impacts to the base floodplain and that all available measures to minimize harm will be included in the project design. FAA's analysis has also determined that the base floodplain encroachment does not constitute a "significant" encroachment. Measures to mitigate base floodplain impact are included in the FEIS. The public has been kept informed of the base floodplain encroachment through FAA's ongoing Public Involvement Program.

Comments on the FEIS should be as specific as possible. Matters that have already been raised with specificity during the DEIS comment period may not be considered again by FAA if raised at this point in the decisionmaking process. This commenting procedure is intended to ensure that substantive comments and concerns are made available to the FAA in a timely manner so that the FAA has an opportunity to address them in the Record of Decision (ROD).

Comments from interested parties on the FEIS and related documents must be submitted in writing to the FAA at the address listed in the section entitled **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. The

comment period will close on September 19, 2005.

Issued in Washington, DC on August 9, 2005.

**Terry Page,**

*Manager, Washington Airports District Office, Federal Aviation Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

[Docket No. FMCSA-2005-21711]

#### Qualification of Drivers; Exemption Applications; Vision

**AGENCY:** Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of applications for exemption from the vision standard; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** This notice publishes the FMCSA's receipt of applications from 40 individuals for an exemption from the vision requirement in the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations. If granted, the exemptions will enable these individuals to qualify as drivers of commercial motor vehicles (CMVs) in interstate commerce without meeting the vision standard prescribed in 49 CFR 391.41(b)(10).

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before September 19, 2005.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments identified by any of the following methods. Please identify your comments by the DOT DMS Docket Number FMCSA-2005-21711.

- Web site: <http://dms.dot.gov>.

Follow the instructions for submitting comments on the DOT electronic docket site.

- Fax: 1-202-493-2251.
- Mail: Docket Management Facility; U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Nassif Building, Room PL-401, Washington, DC 20590-0001.
- Hand Delivery: Room PL-401 on the plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays.

**Instructions:** All submissions must include the agency name and docket number for this notice. For detailed instructions on submitting comments and additional information on the rulemaking process, see the Public Participation heading of the Supplementary Information section of

this document. Note that all comments received will be posted without change to <http://dms.dot.gov>, including any personal information provided. Please see the Privacy Act heading under Regulatory Notices.

**Docket:** For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to <http://dms.dot.gov> at any time or to Room PL-401 on the plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Mary D. Gunnels, Office of Bus and Truck Standards and Operations, (202) 366-4001, FMCSA, Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590-0001. Office hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., e.t., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Public Participation:** The DMS is available 24 hours each day, 365 days each year. You can get electronic submission and retrieval help guidelines under the "help" section of the DMS Web site. If you want us to notify you that we received your comments, please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope or postcard or print the acknowledgement page that appears after submitting comments on-line.

**Privacy Act:** Anyone is able to search the electronic form of all comments received into any of our dockets by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the comment, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). You may review the Department of Transportation's complete Privacy Act Statement in the **Federal Register** published on April 11, 2000 (Volume 65, Number 70; Pages 19477-78) or you may visit <http://dms.dot.gov>.

#### Background

Under 49 U.S.C. 31315 and 31136(e), the FMCSA may grant an exemption for a 2-year period if it finds "such exemption would likely achieve a level of safety that is equivalent to, or greater than, the level that would be achieved absent such exemption." The statute also allows the agency to renew exemptions at the end of the 2-year period. The 40 individuals listed in this notice have recently requested an exemption from the vision requirement in 49 CFR 391.41(b)(10), which applies to drivers of CMVs in interstate commerce. Accordingly, the agency will evaluate the qualifications of each applicant to determine whether granting

the exemption will achieve the required level of safety mandated by the statute.

#### Qualifications of Applicants

##### 1. Roy L. Allen

Mr. Allen, age 34, has amblyopia in his left eye. His visual acuity in the right eye is 20/20 and in the left, 20/200. Following an examination in 2005, his optometrist noted, "This patient has sufficient vision to perform the driving tasks to operate a commercial vehicle with the above acuities." Mr. Allen submitted that he has driven straight trucks for 6 years, accumulating 124,000 miles. He holds a Class C driver's license from Georgia. His driving record for the last 3 years shows no crashes or convictions for moving violations in a CMV.

##### 2. Calvin D. Atwood

Mr. Atwood, 60, has a cataract in his right eye due to trauma at age 9. His best-corrected visual acuity in the right eye is light perception and in the left, 20/20. Following an examination in 2004, his optometrist certified, "I certify in my professional opinion Calvin Atwood has sufficient vision to perform the driving tasks required to operate a commercial vehicle." Mr. Atwood submitted that he has driven straight trucks for 4 years, accumulating 87,000 miles, and tractor-trailer combinations for 7 years, accumulating 223,000 miles. He holds a Class A commercial driver's license (CDL) from New Mexico. His driving record for the last 3 years shows no crashes or convictions for moving violations in a CMV.

##### 3. Gregory W. Babington

Mr. Babington, 26, has had a cataract in his right eye since birth. The visual acuity in his right eye is hand motions and in the left, 20/20. His ophthalmologist examined him in 2005 and noted, "It is my professional opinion that Greg has sufficient vision to perform the driving tasks required to operate a commercial vehicle." Mr. Babington reported that he has driven straight trucks and tractor-trailer combinations for 3 years, accumulating 6,000 miles in the former and 225,000 in the latter. He holds a Class A CDL from Massachusetts. His driving record for the last 3 years shows no crashes or convictions for moving violations in a CMV.

##### 4. Lennie D. Baker, Jr.

Mr. Baker, 26, has amblyopia in his right eye. The best-corrected visual acuity in his right eye is 20/400 and in the left, 20/20. His optometrist examined him in 2004 and certified, "In my medical opinion, you have sufficient