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For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.²⁰

J. Matthew DeLesDernier,
Assistant Secretary.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Request for Comments on Small Business Administration Draft FY 2022–2026 Strategic Plan Framework and Enterprise Learning Agenda

AGENCY: Small Business Administration (SBA).

ACTION: Notice and request for comment.

SUMMARY: The Small Business Administration (SBA) is requesting comments on its draft *Strategic Plan Framework and Enterprise Learning Agenda (ELA)* for fiscal years 2022–2026. The draft plan framework and ELA are available on SBA's website at <https://www.sba.gov/sp>.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before Friday, November 19, 2021.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments by the following methods (Please send comments by one method only):

Email: Address to [FY22-26StrategicPlan Feedback@SBA.gov](mailto:FY22-26StrategicPlanFeedback@SBA.gov). Include "Comments on SBA FY 2022–2026 Strategic Plan" in the email subject line.

Mail: Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, mailed comments cannot be accepted at this time.

Hand/Delivery/Courier: Same as Mail above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kathleen Graber, Lead Performance Analyst, Small Business Administration by email: FY22-26StrategicPlanFeedback@SBA.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The draft Small Business Administration *FY 2022–2026 Strategic Plan Framework and ELA* are provided for public input as part of the strategic planning process under the Government Performance and Results Modernization Act of 2010 (GPRMA) (Pub. L. 111–352) and Foundations for Evidence-Based Policymaking Act of 2018 (the "Evidence Act") (Pub. L. 115–435) to ensure that the public and stakeholders are provided an opportunity to comment. This Strategic Plan provides a framework that will support greater equity, customer service and technology modernization of SBA's programs while leveraging partnerships across the government and private sector to maximize the tools small business owners and entrepreneurs need to strengthen our economy, drive American innovation, and increase global competitiveness. The ELA sets a learning agenda to identify top priority evidence-building activities, such as program evaluation, research, and policy analysis.

The SBA proposes three strategic goals for the next five years: (1) Ensure Equitable and Customer-Centric Design and Delivery of Programs to Support Small Businesses and Innovative Start-ups; (2) Build Resilient Businesses and a Sustainable Economy; and (3) Implement Strong Stewardship of Resources for Greater Impact.

The draft SBA *FY 2022–2026 Strategic Plan Framework and ELA* are available through the SBA's website at <https://www.sba.gov/sp>.

Dated: October 21, 2021.

Jason Bossie,

Acting Associate Administrator for Performance, Planning, and the Chief Financial Officer.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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Ballast Point Ventures IV, L.P.; Notice Seeking Exemption Under Section 312 of the Small Business Investment Act, Conflicts of Interest

Notice is hereby given that Ballast Point Ventures IV, L.P. 401 East Jackson Street, Suite 2300, Tampa, FL 33602, 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). Ballast Point Ventures IV, L.P., is seeking a written exemption from SBA for a proposed financing to Symphonic Distribution Inc., 707 N Franklin Street, Suite 400, Tampa, FL 33602.

The financing is brought within the purview of § 107.730(a)(4) of the Regulations because Ballast Point Ventures IV, L.P. will provide financing where its Associate owns more than 10% equity ownership in the company, Symphonic Distribution Inc., and will have a portion of its obligation discharged, therefore this transaction is considered *Provide financing to an Associate of another Licensee to discharge an obligation of an Associate* requiring SBA's prior written exemption. Ballast Point Ventures IV, L.P. has not made its investment in Symphonic Distribution Inc., and is seeking pre-financing SBA approval.

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

Small Business Administration.

Bailey DeVries,

Associate Administrator, Office of Investment and Innovation.

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[Disaster Declaration #17217 and #17218; PENNSYLVANIA Disaster Number PA-00116]

Presidential Declaration Amendment of a Major Disaster for Public Assistance Only for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Amendment 1.

SUMMARY: This is an amendment of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for Public Assistance Only for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (FEMA-4618-DR), dated 10/08/2021.

Incident: Remnants of Hurricane Ida.
Incident Period: 08/31/2021 through 09/05/2021.

DATES: Issued on 10/14/2021.

Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: 12/07/2021.

Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date: 07/08/2022.

²⁰ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).