



The 1502 *Bulletin*

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General Notice:

The prime rate has been raised from 7.75% to 8.00%. This change affects variable rate SBA 7(a) loans tied to the prime rate. For loans that adjust on the first day of the month or calendar quarter, interest must be calculated as of July 1, 1999 using 8.00% as the base rate. For variable rate loans that adjust other than on the first day of the month or calendar quarter, the new prime rate is effective on the change date occurring on or after July 1, 1999.

Specific Advice:

To better assist you with reporting the rate change, an example is provided. In this case, the borrower made a payment on July 15 and the interest period spanned the loan's rate change date on July 1. The payment is reported as two lines on the 1502 for the month ending July 31, 1999.

Example

SBA GP number	Lender Loan Number	Next Installment Due Date	Status (4-9)	Amt Disbursed this Period on Total Loan	Amount Undisbursed on Total Loan	Interest Rate	Guar. Portion Interest	Guar. Portion Principal	<u>Total to FTA</u>		<u>Interest Period</u>		# of Days	Calendar Basis	Guar. Portion Closing Balance	Remittance Penalty (if any)
									Guar. Portion Pymt or Fee	Interest From	To					
1234563000	54321	8/15/99				8.75 %	\$ 652.06	\$ 0	\$ 652.06	6/15/99	7/1/99	16	365	\$ 170,000.11		
1234563000	54321	8/15/99				9.00 %	\$ 586.85	\$ 656.71	\$1,243.56	7/1/99	7/15/99	14	365	\$ 169,343.40		

Sold Loans:

1. The example shown is for a sold loan with a sold rate of Prime + 1.00%.
2. The interest rate reported is the borrower's note rate less the lender's servicing fee.
3. The amount due the secondary market is indicated on two lines in the Total to FTA column.

Unsold Loans:

1. For unsold loans not subject to SBA's fee, do not sum the Guaranteed Portion Interest and Guaranteed Portion Principal columns. The Total to FTA column should reflect \$0.00.
2. For unsold loans subject to SBA's 50 basis point fee, the fee amount should be indicated in the Total to FTA column.

Footnote:

The following fields on the 1502 form should be completed if applicable:

- Status (4-9)
- Amt Disbursed this Period on Total Loan (unsold loans only)
- Amt Undisbursed on Total Loan (unsold loans only)

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