

1 (623,000 sq. ft. on 35 acres) – located at 199 Planters Road, Sunnyvale; and, Site 2 (396,750 sq. ft. on 24 acres) -- located at 510 N. Peachtree, Suite 200, Mesquite. The facilities will be used for quality control, shading, cleaning, repackaging, marking, warehousing and distribution of domestic and foreign-origin flooring and home furnishing products for both the U.S. market and for re-export. None of the activities which Dal-Tile is proposing to perform under zone procedures would constitute manufacturing or processing under the FTZ Board's regulations. The application indicates that FTZ procedures would be used to support Dal-Tile's Texas-based distribution activity in competition with facilities abroad.

FTZ procedures would exempt Dal-Tile from customs duty payments on foreign products that are re-exported (less than 5 percent of the facilities' shipments). On its domestic shipments, duty payments would be deferred until the products are entered for consumption. The company may also realize certain logistical benefits related to the use of direct delivery and weekly customs entry procedures. The application indicates that the savings from FTZ procedures would help improve the facilities' international competitiveness.

In accordance with the Board's regulations, a member of the FTZ staff has been designated examiner to investigate the application and report to the Board.

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions (original and 3 copies) shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the address below. The closing period for their receipt is May 19, 2008; Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to June 2, 2008).

A copy of the application will be available for public inspection at each of the following locations: U.S. Department of Commerce, Export Assistance Center, 808 Throckmorton St., Fort Worth, TX 76102-6315; and, Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 2111, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20230-0002. For further information, contact Diane Finver at Diane_Finver@ita.doc.gov or (202) 482-1367.

Dated: March 7, 2008.

Andrew McGilvray,
Executive Secretary.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

Order No. 1548

Approval for Expansion of Authority for Subzone 103A, Imation Enterprise Corp. (Data Storage Products), Wahpeton, North Dakota Area

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, Imation Enterprise Corp. (Imation), operator of Subzone 103A, has requested authority to expand the scope of manufacturing activity conducted under zone procedures within Subzone 103A at the Imation facilities in the Wahpeton, North Dakota area (FTZ Docket 27-2007, filed 7/23/2007);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment has been given in the **Federal Register** (72 FR 41705, 7/31/2007);

Whereas, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and Board's regulations are satisfied, and that approval of the application is in the public interest;

Now, therefore, the Board hereby orders:

The application to expand the scope of manufacturing authority under zone procedures within Subzone 103A, is approved, subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including § 400.28.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 7th day of March 2008.

David M. Spooner,
Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman,
Foreign-Trade Zones Board.

Attest:
Andrew McGilvray,
Executive Secretary.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1549]

Approval for Expansion of Manufacturing Authority for Subzone 86D; Tesoro Refining and Marketing Company; (Oil Refinery) Anacortes, WA

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, the Port of Tacoma, grantee of FTZ 86, has requested authority on behalf of Tesoro Refining and Marketing Company, to expand the scope of manufacturing activity conducted under zone procedures within Subzone 86D at the Tesoro Refining and Marketing Company oil refinery complex in Anacortes, Washington (FTZ Docket 22-2007, filed 07-10-2007);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment has been given in the **Federal Register** (72 FR 39051, 7/17/07); and,

Whereas, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations would be satisfied, and that approval of the application would be in the public interest if approval is subject to the conditions listed below;

Now, therefore, the Board hereby approves the expansion of the scope of activity at Subzone 86D for the manufacture of petroleum products at the Tesoro Refining and Marketing Company oil refinery complex located in Anacortes, Washington, as described in the application and the **Federal Register** notice, subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including § 400.28, and further subject to the following conditions:

1. Foreign status (19 CFR 146.41, 146.42) products consumed as fuel for the refinery shall be subject to the applicable duty rate.
2. Privileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.41) shall be elected on all foreign merchandise admitted to the subzone, except that non-privileged foreign (NPF) status (19 CFR 146.42) may be elected on refinery inputs covered under HTSUS Subheadings #2709.00.10, #2709.00.20, #2710.11.25, #2710.11.45, #2710.19.05, #2710.19.10, #2710.19.45, #2710.91.00, #2710.99.05, #2710.99.10, #2710.99.16, #2710.99.21 and #2710.99.45 which are used in the production of:
 - petrochemical feedstocks and refinery by-products (examiners report, Appendix "C");
 - products for export;

—and, products eligible for entry under HTSUS # 9808.00.30 and #9808.00.40 (U.S. Government purchases).

Signed at Washington, DC, this 7th day of March 2008.

David M. Spooner,

Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board.

Attest:

Andrew McGilvray,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

Order No. 1541

Approval of Manufacturing Authority, Within Foreign-Trade Zone 26, Atlanta, Georgia, Perkins Shibaura Engines LLC (Diesel Engines)

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u) (the Act), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, Georgia Foreign-Trade Zone, Inc., grantee of FTZ 26, has requested authority under Section 400.28 (a)(2) of the Board's regulations on behalf of Perkins Shibaura Engines LLC, to manufacture diesel engines under FTZ procedures within FTZ 26 Site 6, Griffin, Georgia (FTZ Docket 24-2007, filed 7-19-2007);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment has been given in the **Federal Register** (72 FR 40833, 7-25-2007);

Whereas, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations are satisfied, and that approval of the application is in the public interest;

Now, therefore, the Board hereby grants authority for the manufacture of diesel engines within FTZ 26 for Perkins Shibaura Engines LLC, as described in the application and **Federal Register** notice, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 7th day of March 2008.

David M. Spooner,

Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board.

Attest:

Andrew McGilvray,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1550]

Expansion of Foreign-Trade Zone 185 Culpeper County, VA

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, the Culpeper County Chamber of Commerce, Inc., grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone No. 185, submitted an application to the Board for authority to expand FTZ 185 to include a site in Augusta County, Virginia, adjacent to the Front Royal Customs and Border Protection port of entry (FTZ Docket 23-2007, filed 7/13/2007);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (72 FR 40273, 7/24/2007) and the application has been processed pursuant to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations; and,

Whereas, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations are satisfied, and that the proposal is in the public interest;

Now, therefore, the Board hereby orders:

The application to expand FTZ 185 is approved, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including section 400.28.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 7th day of March 2008.

David M. Spooner,

Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board.

Attest:

Andrew McGilvray,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign Trade Zones Board

Order No. 1546

Grant of Authority for Subzone Status, Candies Shipbuilders, L.L.C. (Shipbuilding), Houma, Louisiana

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, the Foreign-Trade Zones Act provides for "... the establishment

... of foreign-trade zones in ports of entry of the United States, to expedite and encourage foreign commerce, and for other purposes," and authorizes the Board to grant to qualified corporations the privilege of establishing foreign-trade zones in or adjacent to U.S. Customs and Border Protection ports of entry;

Whereas, the Board's regulations (15 CFR Part 400) provide for the establishment of special-purpose subzones when existing zone facilities cannot serve the specific use involved, and when the activity results in a significant public benefit and is in the public interest;

Whereas, the Port of South Louisiana Commission, grantee of FTZ 124, has made application for authority to establish special-purpose subzone status at the shipbuilding facility of Candies Shipbuilders, L.L.C., located in Houma, Louisiana (FTZ Docket 17-2007, filed 4-20-2007);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (72 FR 21218, 4-30-2007); and,

Whereas, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and Board's regulations would be satisfied, and that approval of the application would be in the public interest if approval were given subject to the standard shipyard restriction on foreign steel mill products;

Now, therefore, the Board hereby grants authority for subzone status for activity related to shipbuilding and repair at the shipyard of Candies Shipbuilders, L.L.C., in Houma, Louisiana (Subzone 124L), at the location described in the application, subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28, and subject to the following special conditions: (1) any foreign steel mill products admitted to the subzone, including plate, angles, shapes, channels, rolled steel stock, bars, pipes and tubes, not incorporated into merchandise otherwise classified, and which is used in manufacturing, shall be subject to customs duties in accordance with applicable law, unless the Executive Secretary determines that the same item is not then being produced by a domestic steel mill; and, (2) Candies Shipbuilders, L.L.C., shall annually advise the Board's Executive Secretary (§ 400.28(a)(3)) as to significant new contracts with appropriate information concerning foreign purchases otherwise dutiable, so that the Board may consider whether