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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Bureau for Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance; Office of Food for Peace; Announcement of Draft Office of Food for Peace Food for Peace Act Title II Program Proposal Guidelines for Rapid-Onset Emergencies

Notice

Notice is hereby given that Draft Office of Food for Peace Food for Peace Act Title II Program Proposal Guidelines for Rapid-Onset Emergencies are available to interested parties for general viewing. Comments should be submitted to *FACG@amexdc.com* by March 13, 2009.

Individuals who wish to access the current Food for Peace Act Title II guidelines including the Draft Rapid-Onset Emergency Proposal Guidelines, should visit the Food for Peace Web site at http://www.usaid.gov/our_work/humanitarian_assistance/ffp/, or contact the Office of Food for Peace, U.S. Agency for International Development, RRB 7.06–102, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20523–7600.

Juli Majernik,

Grants Manager, Policy and Technical Division, Office of Food for Peace, Bureau for Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

[Docket No. 0811211498-81504-03]

Privacy Act of 1974: System of Records

AGENCY: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice to delete a Privacy Act System of Records: COMMERCE/NOAA-17, Permits and Registrations for Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) off the Coast of Alaska.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(4) and (11), the Department of Commerce (Commerce) is issuing notice of its intent to delete the system of records entitled "Permits and Registrations for Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) off the Coast of Alaska." This system of records has been superseded by COMMERCE/NOAA–19 (73 FR 20914); Permits and Registrations for United States Federally Regulated Fisheries, which became effective on June 11, 2008 (73 FR 33065).

DATES: To be considered, written comments must be submitted on or before March 25, 2009. Unless comments are received, the deletion of the system of records will become effective as proposed on the date of publication of a subsequent notice in the **Federal Register**.

ADDRESSES: Sarah Brabson, NOAA Paperwork Reduction Act Clearance Officer, 1315 East West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910. Comments may be submitted electronically to the following electronic mail address: sarah.brabson@noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On June 11, 2008, the Privacy Act System of Records COMMERCE/NOAA–19, Permits and Registrations for United States Federally Regulated Fisheries became effective. This System of Records includes all information in COMMERCE/NOAA–17, Permits and Registrations for Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) off the Coast of Alaska and thus supersedes it.

February 17, 2009.

Brenda Dolan,

U.S. Department of Commerce, Freedom of Information/Privacy Act Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board [Docket 06–2009]

Foreign-Trade Zone 22—Chicago, IL; Expansion of Subzone and Scope of Manufacturing Authority Subzone 22F; Abbott Molecular, Inc. (Pharmaceutical/Molecular Diagnostic Products) Des Plaines and Elk Grove Village, IL

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Illinois International Port District, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 22, requesting authority to expand the subzone and scope of manufacturing authority under zone procedures within Subzone 22F at the pharmaceutical and molecular diagnostic facilities of Abbott Molecular, Inc. (Abbott), located in Des Plaines and Elk Grove Village, Illinois. The application was submitted pursuant to the provisions of the FTZ Act, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), and the regulations of the Board (15 CFR Part 400). It was formally filed on February 17, 2009.

Subzone 22F was approved by the FTZ Board in 1992, at Abbott's pharmaceutical plants (4 sites, 791 acres with 108 buildings totaling 6,441,803 square feet, 30 percent of which is devoted to manufacturing), located in North Chicago and Lake County, Illinois. The facilities (9,400 employees) are used to produce and/or distribute a wide range of pharmaceutical products (Board Order No. 611, 57 FR 61045, 12/23/92). Expansion of manufacturing authority was approved on 8/30/99 (Board Order No. 1051, 64 FR 48578, 09/07/99).

Abbott is now requesting authority to expand the subzone to include two additional sites: Site 5: (17 acres, one building totaling 208,000 square feet, 455 employees) warehouse facility, located at 1300 East Touhy, Des Plaines, Illinois, and Site 6: (one acre, one building totaling 14,400 square feet, 2 employees), warehouse facility, located at 565 Busse Road, Elk Grove Village, Illinois. The facilities are used to warehouse and distribute molecular diagnostic equipment (HTSUS 8979.89.9897, duty rate 2.5%). The applicant is also requesting authority to expand its scope of manufacturing authority to include diagnostic equipment and components (HTSUS

8419.89, 8471.49, 8471.50, 8479.89, 8479.90, 9027.30, 9027.50, 9027.90, duty rates range from 2.5% to 4.2%) under zone procedures. Abbott is also requesting to include within its manufacturing scope a broad range of inputs and pharmaceutical final products that it may produce under FTZ procedures in the future. (New major activity in these inputs/products would require review by the FTZ Board.) The duty rates for these inputs and final products range from duty-free to 20 percent. The specific input and product categories are listed in the application, which is available in the "Reading Room" section of the Board's Web site (see below).

Zone procedures could exempt Abbott from customs duty payments on foreign materials used in production for export (some 60 percent of shipments). On domestic shipments, the company would be able to defer customs duty payments on foreign materials, and to choose the duty rate that applies to the finished products (duty-free to 4.2%) instead of the rates otherwise applicable to the foreign input materials (duty-free to 10.7%). Abbott also expects to realize additional savings through the use of weekly entry procedures. The application indicates that the savings from zone procedures would help improve the plant's international competitiveness.

In accordance with the Board's regulations, Kathleen Boyce of the FTZ Staff is designated examiner to investigate the application and report to the Board.

Public comment on the application is invited from interested parties. Submissions (original and 3 copies) shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the address listed below. The closing period for their receipt is April 24, 2009. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to May 11, 2009).

A copy of the application will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 2111, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230–0002, and in the "Reading Room" section of the Board's Web site, which is accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz. For further information, contact Kathleen Boyce at Kathleen_Boyce@ita.doc.gov or (202) 482–1346.

Dated: February 17, 2009.

Andrew McGilvray,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Industry and Security

Regulations and Procedures Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Meeting

The Regulations and Procedures
Technical Advisory Committee will
meet on March 10, 2009, 9 a.m., Room
4830, in the Herbert C. Hoover Building,
14th Street between Constitution and
Pennsylvania Avenues, NW.,
Washington, DC. The Committee
advises the Office of the Assistant
Secretary for Export Administration on
implementation of the Export
Administration Regulations (EAR) and
provides for continuing review to
update the EAR as needed.

Agenda

- 1. Opening remarks by the Chairman.
- 2. Presentation of papers or comments by the Public.
- 3. Opening remarks by the Bureau of Industry and Security.
 - 4. Export Enforcement update.
 - 5. Regulations update.
 - 6. Work group reports.
 - 7. Automated Export System update.

The open session will be accessible via teleconference to 20 participants on a first come, first serve basis. To join the conference, submit inquiries to Ms. Yvette Springer at Yspringer@bis.doc.gov no later than March 3, 2009.

A limited number of seats will be available for the public session. Reservations are not accepted.

To the extent that time permits, members of the public may present oral statements to the Committee. The public may submit written statements at any time before or after the meeting.

However, to facilitate the distribution of public presentation materials to the Committee members, the Committee suggests that presenters forward the public presentation materials prior to the meeting to Ms. Springer via e-mail.

For more information, call Yvette Springer at (202) 482–2813.

Dated: February 17, 2009.

Yvette Springer,

Committee Liaison Officer. [FR Doc. E9–3805 Filed 2–20–09; 8:45 am]

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-580-809]

Circular Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe from the Republic of Korea: Rescission of Antidumping Duty New Shipper Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: In response to a request from A–JU Besteel Co., Ltd. ("Ajubesteel"), the Department of Commerce ("the Department") initiated a new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on circular welded non–alloy steel pipe from the Republic of Korea covering the period November 1, 2007, through October 31, 2008. On January 13, 2009, Ajubesteel withdrew its request; therefore, we are rescinding this new shipper review.

EFFECTIVE DATES: February 23, 2009.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Joseph Shuler or Dave Neubacher, Office of AD/CVD Operations 1, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–1293 and (202) 482–5823, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The Department received a timely request from Ajubesteel, in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), and 19 CFR 351.214(c), for a new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on circular welded non-alloy steel pipe from the Republic of Korea. The Department found that Ajubesteel's request for review met all of the regulatory requirements set forth in 19 CFR 351.214(b) and initiated an antidumping duty new shipper review. See Circular Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe from the Republic of Korea: Initiation of New Shipper Antidumping Duty Review, 73 FR 80365 (December 31, 2008).

On January 6, 2009, the Department issued a questionnaire to Ajubesteel. On January 13, 2009, Ajubesteel withdrew its request for a new shipper review.

Rescission of New Shipper Review

Section 351.214(f)(1) of the Department's regulations provides that the Department may rescind a new shipper review if the party that requested the review withdraws its request for review within 60 days of the