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This section of the FEDERAL REGISTER contains documents other than rules or proposed rules that are applicable to the public. Notices of hearings and investigations, committee meetings, agency decisions and rulings, delegations of authority, filing of petitions and applications and agency statements of organization and functions are examples of documents appearing in this section.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Okanogan and Wenatchee National Forests Resource Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Wenatchee-Okanogan Resource Advisory Committee will meet on Thursday, February 26, and Wednesday, March 4 at the Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest Headquarters Office, 215 Melody Lane, Wenatchee, WA, and on March 18 at the Rural County Fire District #1 Sunnyslope Fire Station, 206 Easy Street, Wenatchee, WA. These meetings will begin at 9 a.m. and continue until 3 p.m. On February 26, committee members will review Okanogan County projects, on March 4, committee members will review Chelan County projects, and on March 18, committee members will review Kittitas County and Yakima County projects proposed for Resource Advisory Committee consideration under Title II of the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000.

All Wenatchee-Okanogan Resource Advisory Committee meetings are open to the public. Interested citizens are welcome to attend.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Direct questions regarding this meeting to Robin DeMario, Public Affairs Specialist, Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest, 215 Melody Lane, Wenatchee, Washington 98801, (509) 664-9200.

Dated: January 27, 2009.

Maureen R. Hanson,

Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest, Acting Forest Supervisor.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS).

Title: Miscellaneous Short Supply Activities.

OMB Control Number: 0694-0102.

Form Number(s): None.

Type of Request: Regular submission.

Burden Hours: 201.

Number of Respondents: 2.

Average Hours per Response: 1 hour for a USAG; and 200 for a Petition.

Needs and Uses: This information collection is comprised of two rarely used short supply activities: "Registration of U.S. Agricultural Commodities for Exemption from Short Supply Limitations on Export," and "Petitions for the Imposition of Monitoring or Controls on Recyclable Metallic Materials; Public Hearings." These activities are statutory in nature and, therefore, must remain a part of BIS's information collection budget authorization.

Affected Public: Business and other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: Jasmeet Sehra, (202) 395-3123.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-0266, Department of Commerce, Room 7845, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at dHynek@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Jasmeet Sehra, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), by e-mail to jsehra@omb.eop.gov, or by fax to (202) 395-7285.

Dated: February 5, 2009.

Gwellnar Banks,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 3-2009]

Foreign-Trade Zone 124—Gramercy, LA; Expansion of Subzone; Marathon Petroleum Company LLC (Oil Refinery); Garyville, LA

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Port of South Louisiana, grantee of FTZ 124, requesting authority to expand the subzone and the scope of manufacturing activity conducted under zone procedures within Subzone 124E, on behalf of Marathon Petroleum Company LLC in Garyville, Louisiana. The application was submitted pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign-Trade Zones 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 3, 2009.

Subzone 124E (950 employees, 255,000 barrel per day capacity) was approved by the Board in 1995 for the manufacture of fuel products and certain petrochemical feedstocks (Board Order 773, 60 FR 49565, 9/26/1995, as amended by Board Order 1116, 65 FR 52696-52697, 9/30/2000). The subzone consists of one site (1,370 acres) located between U.S. 61 and the Mississippi River in Garyville, St. John the Baptist Parish, Louisiana, some 35 miles northwest of New Orleans.

The applicant is now requesting authority to expand the subzone to include an additional parcel (319 acres) adjacent to the subzone. The proposed expansion would include a new crude processing "train" as well as downstream units and would increase employment at the facility by 285. The expansion request also includes seven new hydrocarbon storage tanks within the existing subzone boundary and a new "receipts dock" for the admission of crude oil and other feedstocks into the refinery. The proposed expansion would increase the overall crude distillation capacity allowed under FTZ procedures to 435,000 barrels per day.

No additional feedstocks or products have been requested.

Zone procedures would exempt production associated with the proposed expansion from customs duty payments on the foreign products used in exports. On domestic sales, the company would be able to choose the customs duty rates for certain petrochemical feedstocks (duty-free) by admitting foreign crude oil in non-privileged foreign status. The application indicates that the savings from zone procedures help improve the refinery's international competitiveness.

In accordance with the Board's regulations, Elizabeth Whiteman of the FTZ Staff is 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 April 13, 2009. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period to April 27, 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 <http://www.trade.gov/ftz>.

For further information, contact Elizabeth Whiteman at Elizabeth_Whiteman@ita.doc.gov or (202) 482-0473.

Dated: February 3, 2009.

Andrew McGilvray,
Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

Order No. 1603

Reorganization/Expansion of Foreign-Trade Zone 176, Rockford, Illinois, 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, the Greater Rockford Airport Authority, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 176, submitted an application to the Board for authority to reorganize

and expand FTZ 176—Site 1 to include additional acreage and Temporary Site 1A on a permanent basis, expand the zone to include five additional sites (Sites 8 - 12), and to formally delete existing Site 2 and Site 5 from the zone project within the Rockford Customs and Border Protection port of entry (FTZ Docket 31-2008, filed 5/9/08);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (73 FR 28429, 5/16/08) and the application has been processed pursuant to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations; and,

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

Now, therefore, the Board hereby orders:

The application to reorganize and expand FTZ 176 is approved, subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28, subject to the Board's standard 2,000-acre activation limit for the overall general-purpose zone project, and further subject to a sunset provision that would terminate authority on January 31, 2014, for Sites 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 where no activity has occurred under FTZ procedures before that date.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 30th day of January 2009.

Ronald K. Lorentzen,

Acting 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

International Trade Administration

[A-570-900, A-580-855]

Diamond Sawblades and Parts Thereof from the People's Republic of China and the Republic of Korea: Notice of Court Decision Not In Harmony With Final Determination of the Antidumping Duty Investigations

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

SUMMARY: On January 13, 2009, the United States Court of International Trade ("CIT") affirmed the International Trade Commission's ("ITC") amended

determination upon remand that an industry in the United States is threatened with material injury by reason of imports of diamond sawblades and parts thereof ("diamond sawblades") from the People's of China ("PRC") and the Republic of Korea ("Korea"). *Diamond Sawblades Mfrs. Coalition v. United States*, No. 06-00247, Slip Op. 09-05 (CIT January 13, 2009) ("DSMC"). The case arises out of the ITC's final determination in the antidumping duty investigations. See {Investigations Nos. 731-TA-1092 and 1093 (Final)} *Diamond Sawblades and Parts Thereof From China and Korea*, 71 FR 39128 (July 11, 2006) ("Final Determination"). The judgment in this case was not in harmony with the ITC's *Final Determination*. If the CIT's opinion in this case is not appealed, or is affirmed on appeal, then antidumping duty orders on diamond sawblades from the PRC and Korea will be issued. In accordance with the decision of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit ("CAFC") in *Timken Co. v. United States*, 893 F.2d 337, 341 (Fed. Cir. 1990) ("*Timken*"), the Department will order the suspension of liquidation of the subject merchandise.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 23, 2009.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Alex Villanueva, AD/CVD Operations, Office 9, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482-3208.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On July 11, 2006, the ITC published its final determination that an industry in the United States was not materially injured or threatened with material injury by reason of imports of diamond sawblades from the PRC and Korea. *Final Determination*, 71 FR 39128. The petitioners¹ in the antidumping duty investigation instituted an action challenging the ITC's final determination. On February 6, 2008, the CIT issued *Diamond Sawblades Mfrs. Coalition v. United States*, No. 06-247, Slip Op. 2008-18 (CIT February 6, 2008), which remanded the determination to the ITC for reconsideration. Upon remand, the ITC changed its determination and found that a U.S. industry is threatened with material injury by reason of imports of diamond sawblades from the PRC and Korea. See ITC Pub. 4007 (May 2008), *Diamond Sawblades and Parts Thereof*

¹ The Diamond Sawblade Manufacturers' Coalition.