

and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals, and other Non-Profit Organizations); and

- 7 CFR part 3052 (Audits of States, local governments, and non-profit organizations).

Compliance with additional OMB Circulars or government-wide regulations may be specified in the grant agreement.

Dated: December 4, 2002.

Hilda Gay Legg,

Administrator, Rural Utilities Service.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY: Commission on Civil Rights.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, December 13, 2002, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: New York Marriott Brooklyn Hotel, 333 Adams Street, New York, NY 11201.

STATUS:

Agenda

- I. Approval of Agenda
- II. Approval of Minutes of November 15, 2002 Meeting
- III. Announcements
- IV. Staff Director's Report
- V. State Advisory Committee
 - Appointments for Indiana and Massachusetts
- VI. Presentations from individuals and organizational representatives on Civil Rights Issues Facing Immigrants in New York City
- VII. Presentations from New York State Advisory Committee Members
- VIII. Future Agenda Items

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Les Jin, Press and Communications (202) 376-7700.

Debra A. Carr,

Deputy General Counsel.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 55-2002]

Foreign-Trade Zone 222—Montgomery, AL, Application for Subzone Status, Hyundai Motor Manufacturing Alabama, LLC, Plant (Motor Vehicles), Montgomery, AL

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the

Board) by the Montgomery Area Chamber of Commerce, grantee of FTZ 222, requesting special-purpose subzone status for the motor vehicle manufacturing plant of Hyundai Motor Manufacturing Alabama, LLC, (HMM)(a subsidiary of Hyundai Motor Co., of South Korea) located in Montgomery, Alabama. 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 November 27, 2002.

The HMM plant (1,752 acres/2.1 million sq.ft.) is to be located at 1500 Montgomery County Road 42 (Teague Road), between Interstate 65 and the main line of the CSX Railroad, in Montgomery (Montgomery County), Alabama. The facility, currently under construction, will be used to produce light-duty passenger vehicles (sedans, sport utility vehicles, minivans) for export and the domestic market. At full capacity, the facility (about 2,000 employees) will manufacture up to approximately 250,000 vehicles annually. Components to be purchased from abroad (representing approximately 45% of vehicle material value) would include: diesel and gasoline engines and parts thereof, pumps, oils, compressors, air conditioner components, filters, paint, flexible tubes/hoses, self-adhesive plastic or polyurethane sheets/foil/film, labels, rubber belts, tires, seats, safety glass, engines and parts of engines, mirrors, flat-rolled steel (would be admitted under privileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.41)), stranded wire of steel and copper, body parts and trim, fasteners, cotter pins, catalytic converters, parts of steering systems, half shafts, transmissions and parts of transmissions, differentials, bearings and parts thereof, compasses, thermometers, motors, batteries, ignition parts, lighting equipment, horns, windshield wipers, audio components, antennas, wiring harnesses, handles/knobs, gaskets/seals, carpet sets, seat belts, airbag modules/inflators, brake components, wheels, shock absorbers, radiators, exhaust systems, hinges, pneumatic dampeners, speedometers, tachometers, flow meters, regulators/controllers, windshields and windows, springs, valves, resistors, relays, clocks, and switches (duty rate range: free—9.0%).

FTZ procedures would exempt HMM from Customs duty payments on the foreign components used in export production. On its domestic sales and exports to NAFTA countries, HMM would be able to choose the duty rate

that applies to finished passenger vehicles (2.5%) for the foreign inputs noted above that have higher rates. Customs duties would be deferred and possibly reduced on foreign status production equipment. The application indicates that subzone status would help improve the plant's 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 on the application is invited from interested parties. Submissions (original and three copies) shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the following addresses:

1. *Submissions via Express/Package Delivery Services:* Foreign-Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, Franklin Court Building—Suite 4100W, 1099 14th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005; or,

2. *Submissions via the U.S. Postal Service:* Foreign-Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, FCB-4100W, 1401 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20230.

The closing period for their receipt is February 7, 2003. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to February 24, 2003).

A copy of the application will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Foreign-Trade Zones Board's Executive Secretary at address No.1 listed above and at the U.S. Department of Commerce Export Assistance Center, Suite 707, Medical Forum Building, 950 22nd Street North, Birmingham, AL 35203.

Dated: November 27, 2002.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 57-2002]

Proposed Foreign-Trade Zone—Imperial County, California; Application and Public Hearing

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board (the Board) by the County of Imperial, California, to establish a general-purpose foreign-trade zone at sites in Imperial County, within and adjacent to

the Calexico Customs port of entry. 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 December 3, 2002. The applicant is authorized to make the proposal under Section 6302 of the California Code.

The proposed zone would consist of sites covering 1,950 acres in Imperial County and within the City limits of Brawley, Calexico, Calipatria and El Centro: *Site 1* (755 acres, 3 parcels)—*Site 1a* (597 acres)—Gateway of the Americas, State Route 7 and State Highway 98, Imperial County; *Site 1b* (43 acres)—Imperial County Airport, State Highway 86 and Aten Road; *Site 1c* (115 acres)—Drewry Warehousing complex, 340 West Ralph Road, Imperial County; *Site 2* (77 acres, 2 parcels)—*Site 2a* (32 acres)—Airport Industrial Park, Jones Drive and Best Road with adjacent parcel on Duarte Street, Brawley; *Site 2b* (45 acres)—Luckey Ranch Industrial Park, Best Road and Shank Road, Brawley; *Site 3* (483 acres)—located at (a) Calexico International Airport (227 acres) and (b) adjacent industrial parks (256 acres) within the Calexico Community Redevelopment Agency project area; *Site 4* (104 acres)—Calipatria Airport Industrial Park and adjacent parcel, Main Street, International and Lyerly Roads, Calipatria; and, *Site 5* (531 acres)—within the El Centro Community Redevelopment Agency project area (Danenberg Road, Dogwood Road and I–8), El Centro. The sites are generally located within the County's Federal Empowerment Zone and Enterprise Community Initiative area.

The application indicates a need for foreign-trade zone services in the Imperial County area. Several firms have indicated an interest in using zone procedures for warehousing/distribution of such items as videos, construction/agricultural equipment and parts, electronics and furniture. Specific manufacturing approvals are not being sought at this time. Requests would be made to the Board on a case-by-case basis.

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.

As part of the investigation, the Commerce examiner will hold a public hearing on January 15, 2003, at 2 p.m., at the City Hall Council Chambers, City of Calexico, 608 Heber Avenue, Calexico, California 92231.

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 one of the following addresses:

1. Submissions via Express/Package Delivery Services: Foreign-Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, Franklin Court Building—Suite 4100W, 1099–14th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005; or

2. Submissions via the U.S. Postal Service: Foreign-Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, FCB—Suite 4100W, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

The closing period for their receipt is February 7, 2003. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to February 24, 2003).

A copy of the application and accompanying exhibits will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Foreign-Trade Zones Board's Executive Secretary at the first address listed above, and at the Office of the Economic Development Coordinator, Imperial County Community & Economic Development, 836 Main Street, El Centro, California 92243.

Dated: December 3, 2002.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 56–2002]

Foreign-Trade Zone 33—Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Expansion of Manufacturing Authority—Subzone 33C, Sony Technology Center—Pittsburgh (Television Manufacturing Facility), Mount Pleasant, PA

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Regional Industrial Development Corporation of Southwestern Pennsylvania, grantee of FTZ 33, requesting authority to expand the scope of manufacturing activity at Subzone 33C, the Sony Technology Center—Pittsburgh (Sony) television manufacturing facility, located in Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania. 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 December 2, 2002.

Subzone 33C was approved on September 27, 2001 (Board Order 1196,

66 FR 52741, 10–17–01). The subzone currently consists of three sites: Site 1 (633.64 acres)—located at 1001 Technology Drive, Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania; Site 2 (9.8 acres, 192,500 square feet)—located at the South Greensburg Commons at Huff and Parr Streets, Greensburg, Pennsylvania; and Site 3 (31.2 acres, 273,600 square feet)—located at the former Montgomery Wards Distribution Center on Route 119 in New Stanton, Pennsylvania. Authority was originally granted for the manufacture of finished and unfinished televisions. The applicant is now seeking authority to manufacture a new line of 34-inch wide screen (16:9 ratio) direct view digital and analog televisions at the facility (HTS 8528.12.4800 and 8528.12.3290, duty rate 5%) using foreign sourced cathode ray tubes (HTS 8540.11.1080 and 8540.11.3000, duty rate 15%).

FTZ procedures would exempt Sony from Customs duty payments on the foreign components used in export production. On its domestic sales, Sony would be able to choose the duty rates during Customs entry procedures that apply to finished televisions (5%) for the imported cathode ray tubes. The request indicates that the 34-inch wide screen direct view cathode ray tubes are not produced in the U.S. and that the savings from FTZ procedures would help improve the plant's international competitiveness.

In accordance with the Board's regulations, a member of the FTZ staff has been appointed 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 one of the following addresses:

1. Submissions Via Express/Package Delivery Services: Foreign-Trade-Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, Franklin Court Building—Suite 4100W, 1099 14th St. NW., Washington, DC 20005; or

2. Submissions Via the U.S. Postal Service: Foreign-Trade-Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, FCB—Suite 4100W, 1401 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20230.

The closing period for their receipt is February 7, 2003. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to February 24, 2003).

A copy of the application and accompanying exhibits will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Foreign-Trade Zones Board's Executive Secretary at the first address listed