Foreign-Trade Zones Board's Executive Secretary at address Number 1 listed above, and at the U.S. Department of Commerce Export Assistance Center, 525 F.D. Roosevelt Ave., Suite 905, San Juan, PR 00918.

Dated: September 19, 2001.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

[FR Doc. 01–24080 Filed 9–25–01; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 3510–DS–P

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 40–2001]

Foreign-Trade Zone 199, Texas City, TX: Expansion of Manufacturing Authority; Subzone 199C, Valero Refining Company—Texas, Texas City, TX

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Texas City Foreign-Trade Zone Corporation, grantee of FTZ 199, requesting authority on behalf of the Valero Refining Company—Texas (Valero), to expand the scope of manufacturing activity conducted under zone procedures within Subzone 199C at the Valero oil refinery complex in Texas City, Texas. 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 September 19, 2001.

Subzone 199C (310 acres, 415 employees) was approved by the Board in 1996 and is located at 1301 Loop 197 South, Texas City, Texas. Authority was granted for the manufacture of fuel products and certain petrochemical feedstocks and refinery by-products (Board Order 863, 62 FR 1316, 1/9/97).

The refinery (160,000 barrels per day) is used to produce fuels and petrochemical feedstocks. The expansion request involves several modified and upgraded crude distillation units. Valero has been expanding and modifying three crude units to allow for the processing of high sulfur crude within the existing Site 1. The new facilities will increase the overall capacity of the refinery to 223,000 BPD. The feedstocks used and product slate will remain unchanged. The crude oil will be sourced from abroad.

Zone procedures would exempt the new refinery facilities from Customs duty payments on the foreign products used in its 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 additional savings from zone procedures would help improve the refinery'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 November 26, 2001. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period to December 11, 2001.

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 U.S. Department of Commerce Export Assistance Center, 500 Dallas, Suite 1160, Houston, TX 77002.

Dated: September 19, 2001.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

[FR Doc. 01–24086 Filed 9–25–01; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 3510–DS–P

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[Case Number: A–570–803]

Heavy Forged Hand Tools From the People's Republic of China: Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 26, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jeff Pedersen at (202) 482–4195 and Esther Chen at (202) 482–0989, AD/CVD Enforcement, Office 4, Group II, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Ave, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

TIME LIMITS:

Statutory Time Limits

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), requires the Department to make a preliminary determination within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order/finding for which a review is requested and a final determination within 120 days after the date on which the preliminary determination is published. However, if it is not practicable to complete the review within these time periods, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act allows the Department to extend the time limit for the preliminary determination to a maximum of 365 days and for the final determination to 180 days (or 300 days if the Department does not extend the time limit for the preliminary determination) from the date of publication of the preliminary determination.

Background

On March 16, 2001, the Department published a notice of initiation of administrative review of the antidumping duty order on heavy forged hand tools from the People's Republic of China, covering the period February 1, 2000 through January 31, 2001 (66 FR 16037). The preliminary results are currently due no later than October 31, 2001.

Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Review

We determine that it is not practicable to complete the preliminary results of this review within the original time limit. Therefore the Department is extending the time limit for completion of the preliminary results until no later than February 28, 2002. *See* Decision Memorandum from Holly Kuga to Bernard T. Carreau, dated concurrently with this notice, which is on file in the Central Records Unit, Room B–099 of the main Commerce building. We intend to issue the final results no later than 120 days after the publication of the preliminary results notice.

This extension is in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act.