

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1195]

Approval for Expanded Manufacturing Authority (Agricultural Chemical Products); Within Foreign-Trade Subzone 82E, Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc., Mobile County, AL

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 City of Mobile, Alabama, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 82, has applied to expand the scope of manufacturing authority for FTZ Subzone 82E (Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc. facilities near Bucks, Mobile County, Alabama) to include production of the agricultural chemical Mesotrione (a broadleaf herbicide) under FTZ procedures (FTZ Doc. 41-2000; filed 7-21-2000);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in **Federal Register** (65 FR 47375, 8-2-2000); 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 are satisfied, and that approval of the application is in the public interest;

Now, Therefore, the Board hereby approves the request subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including section 400.28.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 27th day of September 2001.

Faryar Shirzad,

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

Attest:

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

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Whereas, by an Act of Congress approved June 18, 1934, an Act "To provide 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," as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u) (the FTZ Act), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) is authorized to grant to qualified corporations the privilege of establishing foreign-trade zones in or adjacent to U.S. Customs 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, an application from the Jacksonville Port Authority, grantee of FTZ 64, for authority to establish special-purpose subzone status for the shipbuilding facility of Atlantic Marine, Inc., in Jacksonville, Florida, was filed by the Board on December 5, 2000, and notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (FTZ Docket 68-2000, 65 FR 77850, 12-13-2000); 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 at the shipbuilding facility of Atlantic Marine, Inc., in Jacksonville, Florida (Subzone 64A), at the location described in the application, subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including § 400.28, and subject to the following special conditions:

1. Any foreign steel mill product 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.

2. In addition to the annual report, Atlantic Marine, Inc., shall 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 any foreign dutiable items are being imported for manufacturing in the subzone primarily because of subzone status and whether the Board should consider requiring Customs duties to be paid on such items.

3. All foreign-origin quota-class merchandise must be admitted to the subzone under privileged domestic status (19 CFR 146.43(a)(2)).

Signed at Washington, DC, this 25th day of September 2001.

Faryar Shirzad,

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

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Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1187]

Grant of Authority for Subzone Status; Roper Corporation, (Home Appliances), LaFayette, GA

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 Foreign-Trade Zones Board to grant to qualified corporations the privilege of establishing foreign-trade zones in or adjacent to U.S. Customs 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 Georgia Foreign-Trade Zone, Inc., grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 26, has made application to the Board for authority to establish special-purpose subzone at the home appliance manufacturing and warehousing facilities of the Roper Corporation, located in LaFayette, Georgia (FTZ Docket 5-2001, filed 1/22/01);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (66 FR 8194, 1/30/01); 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

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Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1188]

Grant of Authority for Subzone Status; Atlantic Marine, Inc., (Shipbuilding), Jacksonville, FL

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: