

entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the products and services to the Government.

2. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the products and services to the Government.

3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the products and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Accordingly, the following products and services are added to the Procurement List:

Products

Product/NSN: Pen, Free Ink, Rollerball, Needle Point,

7520-00-NIB-1538 (Black 5mm),

7520-00-NIB-1539 (Black 7mm),

7520-00-NIB-1540 (Blue 5mm),

7520-00-NIB-1541 (Blue 7mm),

7520-00-NIB-1542 (Red 5mm),

7520-00-NIB-1543 (Red 7mm).

NPA: San Antonio Lighthouse, San Antonio, Texas.

Contract Activity: Office Supplies & Paper Products Acquisition Center, New York, New York.

Services

Service Type/Location: Food Service Attendant, Dakota Inn (Flight Kitchen and Alert Facility), Minot AFB, North Dakota.

NPA: MVW Services, Inc., Minot, North Dakota.

Contract Activity: Department of the Air Force, Minot AFB, North Dakota.

Service Type/Location: Grounds Maintenance USCG Chief of Staff Quarters, Bethesda, Maryland

USCG Commandant Quarters, Kenwood, Maryland

USCG Vice Commandant Quarters, Bethesda, Maryland

NPA: The Arc of Montgomery County, Inc., Rockville, Maryland.

Contract Activity: USCG Headquarters HSC A-3, Washington, DC.

Service Type/Location: Janitorial/Custodial, Air Traffic Control Tower (Midway Airport), Chicago, Illinois.

NPA: Jewish Vocational Service & Employment Center, Chicago, Illinois.

Contract Activity: Federal Aviation Administration, Des Plaines, Illinois.

Service Type/Location: Janitorial/Custodial, FAA Chicago/Tracon, Elgin, Illinois.

NPA: Jewish Vocational Service & Employment Center, Chicago, Illinois.

Contract Activity: Federal Aviation Administration, Des Plaines, Illinois.

Service Type/Location: Janitorial/Custodial, VA Greater Los Angeles Regional Healthcare System, Consolidated Mail Outpatient Pharmacy, Los Angeles, California.

NPA: Job Options, Inc., San Diego, California.

Contract Activity: Department of Veterans

Affairs, Long Beach, California.

Service Type/Location: Laundry Service, National Training Center, Fort Irwin, California.

NPA: Job Options, Inc., San Diego, California.

Contract Activity: Department of the Army, Fort Irwin, California.

This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this addition or options that may be exercised under those contracts.

G. John Heyer,

General Counsel.

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CHEMICAL SAFETY AND HAZARD INVESTIGATION BOARD

Sunshine Act Meeting; Public Meeting: Reactive chemical hazards, CSB business

AGENCY: Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board (CSB).

ACTION: Notice announcing Sunshine Act public meeting.

SUMMARY: The CSB will hold a public meeting on September 17, 2002 in Houston, Texas at the Hilton Houston Hobby Airport, to deliberate and vote on a series of findings and recommendations arising from a two-year investigation into reactive chemical hazards. The Board will also conduct other business as more fully described below.

DATES: The Public Meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 17, 2002, beginning at 9 a.m. at Hilton Houston Hobby Airport, 8181 Airport Boulevard, Houston, TX 77061, Telephone number: (713) 645-3000.

Pre-Registration: The event is open to the public and there is no fee for attendance. However, attendees are strongly encouraged to pre-register, to ensure adequate seating arrangements. To pre-register, please e-mail your name and affiliation by September 12th, to reactives@csb.gov. Please notify CSB if a translator or interpreter is needed 5 business days prior to the public meeting.

The public meeting will be broadcast live and without charge over the Internet from the CSB Web site, www.chemsafety.gov. The broadcast can be viewed using the Windows Media Player, available from www.microsoft.com. Closed captioning service will be provided.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Robert Wager at (202)-261-7636, or e-mail at: reactives@csb.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On August 24, 2000 the CSB approved an investigative report on the April 1998 explosion at the Morton Specialty Chemical's (now Rohm and Haas) Paterson, New Jersey facility. The report stated that the incident might not have occurred had the company's safety program for reactive chemicals followed recommended industry safety practices. The blast injured nine workers and released chemicals into the neighboring community. The Board adopted a number of recommendations, including two to both the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). The first recommendation requested that EPA and OSHA issue joint guidelines for the management of reactive chemical process hazards. The Board believed that existing federal safety standards did not provide sufficient guidance for reactive chemical process safety, in such areas as reporting and investigating deviations from normal operations, the use of chemical screening techniques and the proper design for pressure relief, emergency cooling and safety interlock systems.

The other recommendation involving OSHA and EPA urged the two agencies to join the CSB, and other chemical safety organizations, including industry, in a CSB "hazard investigation" of reactive chemical processes.

Current Investigation

The objectives of CSB's investigation included: evaluation of the impacts of reactive chemical incidents; examination of how OSHA and EPA authorities and regulations address reactive hazards; analysis of the appropriateness and consideration of alternatives to reliance on the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) instability rating system to define reactive substances covered under OSHA's process safety management (PSM) regulation; examination of how industry and other private sector organizations address reactive hazards; and development of recommendations for reducing the number and severity of reactive chemical incidents.

During its study, the CSB staff examined 167 chemical incidents and held a public hearing on May 30th, 2002, in Paterson, New Jersey, City where the staff presented findings and preliminary conclusions from this investigation to the Board. The hearing also provided a forum for interested parties to provide input prior to CSB's formulation of final recommendations and issuance of a report.

Other Board Business

After the conclusion of the presentation of the reactivities investigation report, Board Members will also meet in open session on the following topics: (a) Revisions to CSB strategic plan, (b) update by the Chief Operating Officer on current CSB investigative efforts, and (c) status changes to selected CSB recommendations.

Christopher W. Warner,
General Counsel.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**Sunshine Act Meeting Notice**

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 13, 2002, 10:30 a.m.

PLACE: Wyndham Wilmington Hotel, 700 King Street, Wilmington, DE 19801.

STATUS:*Agenda*

- I. Approval of Agenda
- II. Approval of Minutes of July 19, 2002 Meeting
- III. Announcements
- IV. Staff Director's Report
- V. FY-2004 budget Estimate to OMB
- VI. State Advisory committee appointments for Georgia, New York, and Texas
- VII. State Advisory Committee Report: Civil Rights Issues in West Virginia (West Virginia)
- VIII. Presentations from Eastern Regional SAC members representing Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and West Virginia on recent activities and other civil rights developments in their states, and by individuals and organizational representatives from the region on education issues.
- IX. Future Agenda Items

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Debra A. Carr,

Deputy General Counsel.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Foreign-Trade Zones Board**

[Order No. 1244]

Grant of Authority for Subzone Status; Valero Energy Corporation (Oil Refinery), Los Angeles County, CA, 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, 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 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 Board of Harbor Commissioners of the City of Long Beach, California, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 50, requesting special-purpose subzone status for the oil refinery complex of Valero Energy Corporation (formerly Ultramar, Inc.), located in the Los Angeles County, California, area, was filed by the Board on November 27, 2001, and notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (FTZ Docket 47-2001, (66 FR 63362, 12/6/02)); 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 is subject to the conditions listed below;

Now, therefore, the Board hereby authorizes the establishment of a subzone (Subzone 501) at the oil refinery complex of the Valero Energy Corporation in the Los Angeles County, California, area, 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 conditions:

1. Foreign status (19 CFR 146.41, 146.42) products consumed as fuel for the refinery shall be subject to the applicable duty rate.
2. Privileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.41) shall be elected on all foreign merchandise admitted to the subzone, except that non-privileged foreign (NPF) status (19 CFR 146.42) may be elected on refinery inputs covered under HTSUS Subheadings #2709.00.10, #2709.00.20, #2710.11.25, #2710.11.45, #2710.19.05, #2710.19.10, #2710.19.45, #2710.91.00, #2710.99.05, #2710.99.10, #2710.99.16, #2710.99.21, and

#2710.99.45 which are used in the production of:

- Petrochemical feedstocks and refinery by-products (examiners report, Appendix "C");
- Products for export;
- And, products eligible for entry under HTSUS # 9808.00.30 and #9808.00.40 (U.S. Government purchases).

Signed at Washington, DC, this 23rd day of August 2002.

Faryar Shirzad,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Foreign-Trade Zones Board**

[Order No. 1245]

Expansion of Foreign-Trade Zone 153, San Diego, CA

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 San Diego, California, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 153, submitted an application to the Board for authority to expand FTZ 153 to include a new site (Site 8) at the Ocean View Hills Corporate Center/Otay Mesa within the San Diego Customs port of entry (FTZ Docket 7-2002; filed 1/30/02);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (67 FR 6678, 2/13/02) and the application has been processed pursuant to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations; 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 Board's regulations are satisfied, and that the proposal is in the public interest;

Now, therefore, the Board hereby orders:

The application to expand FTZ 153 is approved, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 23rd day of August 2002.

Faryar Shirzad,

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

Attest:

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

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