

notice to David Rostker, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

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Madeleine Clayton, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1181]

#### Grant of Authority for Subzone Status; Atlantic Richfield Company (Oil Refinery) Long Beach, 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 Port of Long Beach, grantee of FTZ 50, for authority to establish special-purpose subzone status at the oil refinery complex of Atlantic Richfield Company in the Long Beach, California, area, was filed by the Board on December 14, 2000, and notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (FTZ Docket 71-2000, 65 FR 82320, 12/28/00); 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 50H) at the oil refinery complex of Atlantic Richfield Company, in the Long Beach, California, area, at the locations 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 # 2709.00.1000-# 2710.00.1050, and # 2710.00.2500 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 27th day of 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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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1180]

#### Grant of Authority for Subzone Status Deere & Company (Construction Equipment) Davenport, IA

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 Quad-City Foreign-Trade Zone, Inc., grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 133, has made application to the Board for authority to establish special-purpose subzone status at the manufacturing facility (construction equipment) of Deere & Company, located in Davenport, Iowa (FTZ Docket 64-2000, filed 11/17/2000);

*Whereas*, notice inviting public comment has been given in the **Federal Register** (65 FR 76217, 12/6/2000); and,

*Whereas*, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations are

satisfied, and that approval of the application would be in the public interest;

*Now, Therefore*, the Board hereby grants authority for subzone status at the construction equipment manufacturing facility of Deere & Company, located in Davenport, Iowa (Subzone 133D), at the location described in the application, subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including § 400.28.

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

Faryar Shirzad,

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration, Trade Development

#### Environmental Technologies Trade Advisory Committee (ETTAC), Request for Nominations

**SUMMARY:** The Environmental Technologies Trade Advisory Committee (ETTAC) was established pursuant to provisions under Title IV of the Jobs Through Trade Expansion Act, 22 U.S.C. 2151, and under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App.2. ETTAC was first chartered on May 31, 1994. ETTAC serves as an advisory body to the Environmental Trade Working Group of the Trade Promotion Coordinating Committee, reporting directly to the Secretary of Commerce in his capacity as Chairman of the TPCC. ETTAC advises on the development and administration of policies and programs to expand United States exports of environmental technologies, goods, and services and products that comply with United States environmental, safety, and related requirements.

Membership in a committee operating under the Federal Advisory Committee Act must be balanced in terms of economic subsector, geographic location and company size. Committee members serve in a representative capacity, and must be able to generally represent the views and interests of a certain subsector of the U.S. environmental industry. We are seeking CEO, President or Executive Vice President-level company candidates. Members of the ETTAC have experience in exporting the full range of environmental technologies products and services including:

- (1) Analytic Services
- (2) Financial Services

- (3) Water and Wastewater Services and Equipment
- (4) Air Pollution Control/Monitoring Equipment
- (5) Process and Prevention Technologies
- (6) Environmental Energy Sources
- (7) Solid and Hazardous Waste Equipment and Management
- (8) Environmental Engineering and Consulting

The Secretary invites nominations to ETTAC of U.S. citizens who will represent U.S. environmental goods and services companies that trade internationally, or trade associations whose members are U.S. companies that trade internationally. Companies must be at least 51 percent beneficially-owned by U.S. persons. U.S.-based subsidiaries of foreign companies in general do not qualify for representation on the committee.

Nominees will be considered based upon their ability to carry out the goals of ETTAC's enabling legislation as further articulated in its charter. ETTAC's Charter is available on the internet at <http://www.environment.ita.doc.gov>. Priority will be given to a balanced representation in terms of point of view represented by various sectors, product lines, firm sizes and geographic areas. Appointments are made without regard to political affiliation.

If you are interested in nominating someone to become a member of ETTAC, please send the following information. Self-nominations are accepted.

- (1) Name
- (2) Title
- (2) Work Phone; Fax; and, Email Address
- (3) Company or Trade Association Name and Address
- (4) Short Bio of the candidate
- (5) Fact-sheet on the company or trade association providing a description of its business activities; company size (number of employees and annual sales); export markets served.

Nominees must be U.S. citizens, representing U.S. environmental goods and services firms that trade internationally or provide services in direct support of the international trading activities of other entities. Materials may be faxed to 202-482-5665; or mailed c/o ETTAC, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution, NW., Room 1003.

Deadline: This request will be open until December 31, 2001 from August 3, 2001.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jane Siegel, Office of Environmental Technologies Exports, Room 1003, U.S.

Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; phone 202-482-5225.

Dated: July 27, 2001.

**Carlos M. Montouliou,**

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### National Estuarine Research Reserve System; Notice of Proposed Boundary Expansion for North Carolina National Estuarine Research Reserve

**AGENCY:** Estuarine Reserves Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management (OCRM), National Ocean Service (NOS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of Proposed Boundary Expansion for the Rachel Carson component of the North Carolina National Estuarine Research Reserve.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that the Estuarine Reserves Division of OCRM is considering a request by the North Carolina Division of Coastal Management to amend the boundary of the North Carolina National Estuarine Research Reserve. The boundary change will include 1.5-acre Sand Dollar Island and just over 400 acres of state waters in the North River Channel within the Rachel Carson component of the reserve. Because both areas are currently owned by the state, no acquisition is required.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Brian Badgley, Estuarine Reserves Division (N/ORM5), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, SSMC4, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910; Phone (301) 713-3155, Extension 145.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The North Carolina National Estuarine Research Reserve (NCNERR) was designated in 1985 pursuant to section 315 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended, 16 U.S.C. 1461. The NCNERR is comprised of four components totaling 10,000 acres, including barrier islands, salt marsh and subtidal sand and mud habitats.

The North Carolina Division of Coastal Management has requested NOAA approval to amend the boundary of the Rachel Carson component of the NCNERR to include Sand Dollar Island and state waters in the North River

Channel. Sand Dollar Island naturally accreted immediately adjacent to the reserve boundary approximately two years ago. Under North Carolina law, it is automatically associated with the reserve property and owned by the state. The North Carolina Division of Coastal Management currently manages the area. The island and associated salt marsh provide important nesting habitat for colonial water birds, but also has become popular among boaters for recreation. The inclusion of the island within reserve boundaries will allow the NCNERR to officially manage the area to minimize recreational impacts on the important habitats. The North River Channel divides the two major upland and salt marsh areas of the reserve. Its inclusion will create a more logical and defensible boundary, while increasing the amount of submerged habitat within the reserve for research and education purposes. The state is supportive of the inclusion of both areas within the reserve boundary. No land acquisition or deed transfer is required for this boundary expansion.

Any person wishing to comment on the proposed boundary expansion may forward written comments to Brian Badgley, Estuarine Reserves Division (N/ORM5), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, 1305 East West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910. Comments must be submitted no later than September 4, 2001.

Federal Domestic Assistance Catalog Number 11.420 (Coastal Zone Management) Research Reserves.

Dated: July 13, 2001.

**Ted I. Lillestolen,**

*Deputy Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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#### Announcement of Graduate Research Fellowships in the National Estuarine Research Reserve System for Fiscal Year 2002

**AGENCY:** Estuarine Reserves Division (ERD), Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management (OCRM), National Ocean Service (NOS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (DOC).

**ACTION:** Notice.