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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, USDA

Proposed Posting of Stockyard

The Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, has information that the livestock market named below is a stockyard as defined in Section 302 of the Packers and Stockyards Act (7 U.S.C. 202), and should be made subject to the provisions of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, as amended (7 U.S.C. 181 *et seq.*).

IL-175 Greenville Livestock, Inc.,
Centralia, Illinois

Pursuant to the authority under Section 302 of the Packers and Stockyards Act, notice is hereby given that it is proposed to designate the stockyard named above as a posted stockyard subject to the provisions of said Act.

Any person who wishes to submit written data, views or arguments concerning the proposed designation may do so by filing them with the Director, Livestock Marketing Division, Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, Room 3408-South Building, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250, by November 6, 1997.

All written submissions made pursuant to this notice will be made available for public inspection in the office of the Director of the Livestock Marketing Division during normal business hours.

Done at Washington, D.C. this 14th day of October 1997.

Daniel L. Van Ackeren,

*Director, Livestock Marketing Division,
Packers and Stockyards Programs.*

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Export Administration

Transportation and Related Equipment Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Meeting

A meeting of the Transportation and Related Equipment Technical Advisory Committee will be held November 7, 1997, 9:00 a.m., at the Herbert C. Hoover Building, Room 1617M-2, 14th Street between Pennsylvania & Constitution Avenues, N.W., Washington, D.C. The Committee advises the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration with respect to technical questions which affect the level of export controls applicable to transportation and related equipment or technology.

Agenda

1. Opening remarks by the Chairperson.
2. Navy presentation on Uninhabited Air Vehicle (UAV) development and export control implications.
3. Status of Missile Technology Control Regime.
4. Update on The Wassenaar Arrangement.
5. Update on Bureau of Export Administration initiatives.
6. Election of Chairperson.
7. Review of List Review proposals offered by members.
8. Review of action items.
9. Presentation of papers or comments by the public.

The meeting will be open to the public and a limited number of seats will be available. To the extent time permits, members of the public may present oral statements to the Committee. Written statements may be submitted at any time before or after the meeting. However, to facilitate distribution of public presentation materials to Committee members, the Committee suggests that you forward your public presentation materials two weeks prior to the meeting to the following address: Ms. Lee Ann Carpenter, OAS/EA/BXA MS: 3886C, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th & Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230.

For further information or copies of the minutes, please call (202) 482-2583.

Dated: October 16, 1997.

Lee Ann Carpenter,

Director, Technical Advisory Committee Unit.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 75-97]

Proposed Foreign-Trade Zone—Gregg County, Texas; Application and Public Hearing

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board (the Board) by Gregg County, Texas, to establish a general-purpose foreign-trade zone in Gregg County, Texas, adjacent to the Shreveport-Bossier 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 October 14, 1997. The applicant is authorized to make the proposal under Senate Bill 691 of the 70th Legislature of the State of Texas (Regular Session, 1987), codified as Tex. Rev. Civ. Stat. Ann. art. 1446.01.

The proposed zone site (299 acres) is located at the Gregg County Airport, approximately 4 miles south of the City of Longview, Texas. It is owned by the applicant. The proposed FTZ project is designed to serve the entire East Texas Region consisting of fourteen counties. (This would be the second foreign-trade zone associated with the Shreveport-Bossier Customs port of entry. FTZ 145 in Shreveport was established in 1988.)

The application contains evidence of the need for foreign-trade zone services in the East Texas Region. Several firms have indicated an interest in using zone procedures for warehousing/distribution activity. 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 November 20, 1997, 2:00 p.m., Gregg County Courthouse, 101 E. Methvin Street, Longview, Texas 75601.

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 the address below. The closing period for their receipt is December 22, 1997. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to January 5, 1997).

A company of the application and accompanying exhibits will be available during this time for public inspection at the following locations:

Gregg County Courthouse 101 E. Methvin Street, Suite 300 Longview, Texas 75601

Office of the Executive Secretary
Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 3716 U.S. Department of Commerce
14th & Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20230

Dated: October 15, 1997.

John J. Da Ponte, Jr.,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-588-707]

Granular Polytetrafluoroethylene Resin From Japan; Notice of Rescission of Initiation of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

ACTION: Notice of rescission of antidumping duty administrative review.

SUMMARY: On September 25, 1997, the Department of Commerce published in the **Federal Register** a notice announcing the initiation of an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on granular polytetrafluoroethylene from Japan, covering one manufacturer/exporter of the subject merchandise, Mitsui-DuPont Polychemical, for the period August 1, 1996 through July 31, 1997. On September 17, 1997, we received a request for withdrawal from this review from Mitsui. Because Mitsui submitted a timely request for withdrawal and because no other interested party requested a review, we are rescinding this review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 22, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Davina Hashmi or Gregory Thompson,

AD/CVD Enforcement, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-5760 or (202) 482-0410, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Applicable Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department of Commerce's (the Department) regulations are to the regulations published in the **Federal Register** on May 19, 1997 (62 FR 27296).

Background

On August 28, 1997, Mitsui-DuPont Polychemical (Mitsui) requested an administrative review with respect to its entries or sales of granular polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) resin. On September 25, 1997, in accordance with section 351.221(b) of our regulations, we initiated an administrative review of this order for the period August 1, 1997 through July 31, 1997 (62 FR 50292). On September 17 and 25, 1997, Mitsui withdrew of its request for review.

Pursuant to section 351.213(d)(1) of the Department's regulations, a party may withdraw its request for an administrative review not later than 90 days after the date of publication of the notice of initiation of the administrative review. The Department may extend this time limit if the Department decides it is reasonable to do so.

Because Mitsui submitted a timely withdrawal of its request for review and because no other party requested a review, the Department is rescinding this initiation.

This notice is published in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1).

Dated: October 14, 1997.

Richard W. Moreland,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, AD/CVD Enforcement.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-588-706]

Nitrile Rubber From Japan: Termination of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

ACTION: Notice of Termination of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review.

SUMMARY: On August 1, 1997, the Department of Commerce initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on Nitrile Rubber from Japan for one manufacturer or producer of nitrile rubber from Japan, Japan Synthetic Rubber Co., Ltd., covering the period June 1, 1996 through May 31, 1997. The Department of Commerce is terminating the review after receiving a withdrawal of its request for a review from Japan Synthetic Rubber Co., Ltd.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 22, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sheila Forbes or Irene Darzenta, AD/CVD Enforcement Group II, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-0065 and (202) 482-6320, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Tariff Act), are to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Tariff Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (URAA). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department of Commerce's (the Department's) regulations are to the regulations as codified at 19 CFR Part 353 (1997).

Background

On June 30, 1997, Japan Synthetic Rubber Co., Ltd., a manufacturer and exporter of merchandise subject to this order, requested that the Department conduct an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on nitrile rubber from Japan for the period June 1, 1996 through May 31, 1997.

On August 1, 1997, the Department published in the **Federal Register** (62 FR 41339) a notice of initiation of administrative review with respect to Japan Synthetic Rubber Co., Ltd. for the period June 1, 1996 through May 31, 1997. On August 13, 1997, Japan Synthetic Rubber Co., Ltd. requested that it be allowed to withdraw its request for a review and that the review be terminated.

Pursuant to 19 CFR 353.22(a)(5) of the Department's regulations, the Department may allow a party that requests an administrative review to withdraw such request not later than 90