

If this information was not collected, RHS would be unable to evaluate the applicant's credit history.

Estimate of Burden: Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 20 minutes per response.

Respondents: Individuals or households.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 26,600.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 3.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 26,334 hours.

Copies of this information collection can be obtained from the Director, Regulations and Paperwork Management Division, at (202) 720-9725.

Comments: Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of RHS, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of RHS's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information including the validity of methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Comments may be sent to Director, Regulations and Paperwork Management Division, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, Ag Box 0743, Washington, DC 20250. All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: May 17, 1996.

Maureen Kennedy,

Administrator, Rural Housing Service.

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ASSASSINATION RECORDS REVIEW BOARD

Sunshine Act Meeting

DATE: June 5, 1996, 9:00-9:30 a.m.

PLACE: ARRB, 600 E Street, NW, Washington, DC.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Review and Accept Minutes of Last Open Meeting

2. Amendment of Board Procedures

3. Other Business

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Thomas Samoluk, Associate Director for Communications, 600 E Street, NW, Second Floor, Washington, DC 20530. Telephone: (202) 724-0088; Fax: (202) 724-0457.

David G. Marwell,

Executive Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 821]

BP Exploration & Oil Inc., (Oil Refinery), Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana; Grant of Authority for Subzone Status

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;

Whereas, an application from the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 2, for authority to establish special-purpose subzone status at the oil refinery complex of BP Exploration & Oil Inc., in Plaquemines Parish (New Orleans area), Louisiana, was filed by the Board on August 3, 1995, and notice inviting public comment was given in the Federal Register (FTZ Docket 40-95, 60 FR 40819, 8-10-95); 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 2I) at the oil refinery of BP Exploration & Oil Inc., in Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, 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 D);
- products for export; and,
- products eligible for entry under HTSUS # 9808.00.30 and 9808.00.40 (U.S. Government purchases).

3. The authority with regard to the NPF option is initially granted until September 30, 2000, subject to extension.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 21st day of May 1996.

Paul L. Joffe,

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

Attest: John J. Da Ponte, Jr., Executive Secretary.

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[Docket 42-96]

Foreign-Trade Zone 43—Battle Creek, Michigan Area; Application for Expansion

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the City of Battle Creek, Michigan, grantee of FTZ 43, requesting authority to expand its zone to include a site in Lawton, Michigan, adjacent to the Battle Creek Customs port of entry. 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 May 20, 1996.

FTZ 43 was approved on October 19, 1978 (Board Order 138, 43 FR 50233; 10/27/78). Since then the zone has been expanded three times (B.O.s 496, 554 & 555). The zone currently consists of three sites in the Battle Creek area: *Site 1:* (1,731 acres)—within the Fort Custer Industrial Park and adjacent Columbia West Industrial Park, Battle Creek; *Site 2:* (23 acres)—warehouse facility owned and operated by TLC Warehousing