

Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the Agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information including the validity of the 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 use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Comments may be sent to Sam Spencer, Regulations and Paperwork Management Division, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, 1400 Independence Avenue S.W., Stop 0743, Washington, D.C. 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 a public record.

Dated: April 7, 1997.

Dayton J. Watkins,

Administrator, Rural Business-Cooperative Service.

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

[Docket 26-97]

Foreign-Trade Zone 50—Long Beach, CA; Application for Subzone; L.A. Gear, Inc. (Casual and Athletic Footwear) Long Beach, CA

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the City of Long Beach, grantee of FTZ 50, requesting subzone status for the footwear distribution facility of L.A. Gear, Inc., located in Ontario, California, some 40 miles northeast of Long Beach. 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 April 7, 1997.

The L.A. Gear facility (412,358 sq. ft. on 19.08 acres; 149 employees) is located at 1661 & 1777 South Vintage Avenue in Ontario. It is used to distribute a wide range of casual and

athletic shoes, most of which are sourced from abroad. The products are distributed throughout the U.S. and abroad.

Zone procedures would exempt L.A. Gear from Customs duty payments on the foreign products that are reexported. On its domestic sales, it would be able to defer Customs duty payments on merchandise that is sourced from abroad. The application indicates that zone savings would help improve the international competitiveness of the facility.

In accordance with the Board's regulations, a member of the FTZ staff has been appointed examiner to investigate the application and report to the Board.

Public comment 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 June 16, 1997. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period July 1, 1997.

A copy of the application and accompanying exhibits will be available for public inspection at each of the following locations:

U.S. Department of Commerce Export Assistance Center, Joe Sachs, Director, One World Trade Center, Ste. 1670, Long Beach, California 90831

Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 3716, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th & Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230

Dated: April 8, 1997.

John J. Da Ponte, Jr.,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**International Trade Administration**

[A-301-602]

Certain Fresh Cut Flowers From Colombia: Initiation of Administrative Review and Request for Revocation in Part of the Antidumping Duty Order

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

ACTION: Notice of initiation of antidumping administrative review and request for revocation in part of the antidumping duty order.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) has received requests

to conduct an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain fresh cut flowers from Colombia. A request for revocation from the antidumping duty order was also received from HOSA, Ltda. In accordance with the Department's regulations, we are initiating this administrative review for the period March 1, 1996 through February 28, 1997, for those named exporters/growers for whom a request for review was received. The Department is also noting HOSA's request for revocation from the antidumping duty order.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 15, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Elizabeth A. Graham, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230, telephone: (202) 482-4105.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Background**

The Department has received timely requests, in accordance with 19 C.F.R. 353.22(a), for an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain fresh cut flowers from Colombia. The Department has also received a request for revocation from HOSA, Ltda.

Initiation of Reviews

In accordance with section 19 C.F.R. 353.22(c), we are initiating an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain fresh cut flowers from Colombia. We intend to issue the final results of this review not later than March 31, 1998.

We received requests for review of the following specifically-named exporters/growers who shipped subject merchandise during the period:

Abaco Tulipanex de Colombia
Achalay
Aga Group

Agricola la Celestina
Agricola la Maria
Agricola Benilda Ltda.

Agrex de Oriente
Agricola Acevedo Ltda.
Agricola Altiplano
Agricola Arenales Ltda.
Agricola Bonanza Ltda.
Agricola Circasia Ltda.

Agricola de Occident
Agricola del Monte
Agricola el Cactus S.A.
Agricola el Redil
Agricola Guali S.A.

Agricola la Corsaria Ltda.
Agricola la Siberia
Agricola Las Cuadras Group
Agricola las Cuadras Ltda.