

make minor formatting changes to the data collection instrument.

II. Method of Collection

This is a mail canvass survey. Responses are screened manually and then entered on a microcomputer. No statistical methods are used to calculate the data. In those rare instances when we are not able to obtain a response, estimates are made for nonrespondents by using:

- A. Historical data for the same system.
- B. Latest available annual data.
- C. Estimates received by telephone calls to respondents.

III. Data

OMB Number: 0607-0143.

Form Number: F-10.

Type of Review: Regular.

Affected Public: State and local governments.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 102.

Estimated Time Per Response: 1 hour.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 408 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: The estimated cost to the respondents is \$7,156.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

Legal Authority: Title 13 U.S.C., Section 182.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (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 respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: October 6, 1999.

Linda Engelmeier,

Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1055]

Grant of Authority for Subzone Status: E.I. Dupont de Nemours and Company, Inc. (Crop Protection Products); El Paso, IL

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 Economic Development Council for the Peoria Area, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 114, has made application to the Board for authority to establish special-purpose subzone status at the crop protection products manufacturing facility of E.I. DuPont de Nemours and Company, Inc., located in El Paso, Illinois (FTZ Docket 20-99, filed 5/7/99);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment has been given in the **Federal Register** (64 FR 26933, 5/18/99); 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 crop protection products manufacturing facility of E.I. DuPont de Nemours and Company, Inc., located in El Paso, Illinois, (Subzone 114D), 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 23rd day of September 1999.

Robert S. LaRussa,

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

Dennis Puccinelli,

Acting Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1060]

Grant of Authority for Subzone Status: Northrup Grumman Corporation—Electronic Sensors and Systems Division (Electronic Sensing, Processing, and Communications Technologies; Baltimore, MD, 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, 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 Maryland Department of Transportation, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 73, has made application to the Board for authority to establish special-purpose subzone status at the manufacturing facilities (electronic sensing, processing, and communications technologies) of Northrup Grumman Corporation—Electronic Sensors and Systems Division, located near Baltimore, Maryland (FTZ Docket 54-98, filed 12/1/98);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment has been given in the **Federal Register** (63 FR 67853, 12/9/98); 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