

regulations of the Board (15 CFR Part 400). It was formally filed on November 23, 1999.

FTZ 26 was approved on January 17, 1977 (Board Order 115, 42 FR 4186, 1/24/77); reorganized on April 18, 1988 (Board Order 381, 53 FR 15254, 4/28/88); and, expanded on April 29, 1996 (Board Order 820, 61 FR 21156, 5/9/96) and March 19, 1999 (Board Order 1033, 64 FR 16421, 4/5/99). The general-purpose zone project currently consists of the following sites:

Site 1 (275 acres)—adjacent to the Hartsfield Atlanta International Airport (HAIA) in Clayton and Fulton Counties, Georgia, including jet fuel storage and distribution facilities at HAIA; and,

Site 2 (2,472 acres)—Peachtree City Development Authority's Peachtree City Industrial Park, Highway 74 South, Peachtree City.

The applicant is now requesting authority to expand the general-purpose zone to include an additional site in Canton (Cherokee County), Georgia: *Proposed Site 3* (85 acres)—Canton-Cherokee County Business and Industrial Park, Brown Industrial Boulevard, Canton, some 45 miles north of downtown Atlanta. Proposed Site 3 would be the first site in the northern Atlanta metropolitan area. No specific manufacturing requests are being made at this time. Such 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.

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 February 1, 2000. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to February 16, 2000).

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, 285 Peachtree Center Avenue, NE, Suite 200, Atlanta, GA 30303-1229

Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 4008, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th & Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Dated: November 24, 1999.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Acting Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket No. 61-99]

Foreign-Trade Zone 103—Grand Forks, North Dakota Application for Subzone Imation Enterprises Corporation Wahpeton, North Dakota

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Grand Forks Regional Airport Authority, grantee of FTZ 103, requesting special-purpose subzone status for the manufacturing facilities (data storage products) of Imation Enterprises Corporation (Imation), located in the Wahpeton, North Dakota area. 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 November 24, 1999.

Imation Enterprises Corporation has two sites with 510 employees in the Wahpeton, North Dakota area. *Site 1* (95 acres) is located at 2100 15th Street North, Wahpeton, North Dakota; *Site 2* (17 acres) is located at 1205 North Tower Road, Route 2, Fergus Falls, Minnesota. The Imation facilities are used for the manufacturing, testing, packaging and warehousing of magnetic floppy diskettes, cartridges, cassettes, cassette parts, and CD-RW (HTS 3923, 3926, 8523.20 and 8523.90, duty free). Components and materials sourced from abroad (representing some 95% of all parts consumed in manufacturing) include: carbon black, iron oxides, polypropylene, polystyrene and polycarbonate resins, acrylic polymers, silicones, articles of plastic and paper, helical springs, pigments, stainless steel tape guides, and amino resins (HTS 2803, 2821, 3212, 3902-3910, 3923, 2926, 4807, 4811, 4819, 4821, 4823, 7326.90 and 8523 duty rate ranges from duty free to 10.2%). The application also indicates that the company may in the future import under FTZ procedures other materials used in the production of data storage products.

FTZ procedures would exempt Imation from Customs duty payments on the foreign components used in export production. Some 50 percent of the plant's shipments are exported. On its domestic sales, Imation would be able to choose the duty rates during

Customs entry procedures that apply to finished data storage products (duty free) for the foreign inputs noted above. Also, Imation has submitted applications for subzone status at three additional locations, and products shipped to facilities with subzone status could be further processed while remaining in zone status. The request indicates that the savings from FTZ procedures would help improve the plant's international competitiveness.

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 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 February 1, 2000. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to February 16, 2000).

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

U.S. Customs Service, Hector International Airport, 1801 23rd Avenue, N., Room 105, Fargo, ND 58102

Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 4008, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230.

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Dennis Puccinelli,

Acting Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 60-99]

Foreign-Trade Zone 106—Oklahoma City, OK; Application for Subzone, Imation Enterprises Corporation, Weatherford, OK

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Port Authority of the Greater Oklahoma City Area, grantee of FTZ 106, requesting special-purpose subzone status for the manufacturing facilities (data storage products) of Imation Enterprises Corporation (Imation), located in the Weatherford, Oklahoma area. The application was