

wholesale, and service samples current with the business universe. Because of rapid changes in the marketplace caused by the emergence of new businesses, the deaths of others, transfer of ownership, mergers, and so forth, on a quarterly basis the Census Bureau canvasses a sample of new Employer Identification Numbers (EINs) obtained from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) and the Social Security Administration (SSA). Each selected firm is canvassed once for kind of business classification, measure of size, and company affiliation on the establishments associated with the new EIN. In essence, from the perspective of the business firm, this is a one time collection of data. A different sample of EINs is canvassed four times a year.

We are revising the SQ-CLASS to improve the flow of the questions as well as to provide information needed to assign kind-of-business codes based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

II. Method of Collection

We collect this information by mail, fax, and telephone follow-up.

III. Data

OMB Number: 0607-0189.

Form Number: SQ-CLASS.

Type of Review: Regular Submission.

Affected Public: Retail, Wholesale and Service firms in the United States.

Estimated Number of Respondents: Annually, approximately 42,000.

Estimated Time Per Response: 13 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 9,101.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: The cost to the respondent for fiscal year 2003 is estimated to be \$190,302.

Respondent's Obligation: This collection of information is voluntary.

Legal Authority: Title 13, United States Code, 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 automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and

included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection. They also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: May 6, 2002.

Madeleine Clayton,

*Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer,
Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 21-2002]

Foreign-Trade Zone 113—Midlothian, TX; Request for Processing Authority, Siemens Westinghouse Power Corporation (Industrial Power Generating Equipment)

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by Trade Zone Operations, Inc., operator of FTZ 113, pursuant to section 400.28(a)(2) of the Board's regulations (15 CFR part 400), requesting authority on behalf of Siemens Westinghouse Power Corporation (SWPC) to process foreign-origin and domestic industrial power generating equipment under FTZ procedures within FTZ 113. It was formally filed on April 29, 2002.

SWPC is a producer of large industrial power generating turbines and generators that are installed in combined-cycle power plants operated by electric generation utilities. In the proposed processing activity (as defined in § 400.2(l)), foreign-origin steam turbines with a capacity of greater than 40 megawatts (HTSUS 8406.81.1070) would be admitted to the zone under nonprivileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.42) and U.S.-produced electric generators would be admitted under domestic status on a nonconcurrent basis. The turbines and generators would then be transferred from the zone in a combined Customs entry under the classification of electric generating sets (HTSUS 8502.39.0000), as provided by specific Customs rulings. The company indicates that this activity would occur on a recurring regular basis.

FTZ procedures would exempt SWPC from Customs duty payments on the foreign power generation turbines processed for export as electric generating sets. On withdrawals from the zone for Customs entry, SWPC would be able to elect the duty rate that applies to electric generator sets (2.5%) for the foreign turbines (6.7%). The application indicates that the savings from FTZ procedures would help

improve the SWPC's international competitiveness.

Public comment on the application is invited from interested parties. Submissions (original and three copies) shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the following addresses:

1. *Submissions via Express/Package Delivery Services:* Foreign-Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, Franklin Court Building-Suite 4100W, 1099 14th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005; or,

2. *Submissions via the U.S. Postal Service:* Foreign-Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, FCB-4100W, 1401 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20230.

The closing period for their receipt is June 24, 2002. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to July 8, 2002).

A copy of the application will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Foreign-Trade Zones Board's Executive Secretary at address No. 1 listed above.

Dated: April 29, 2002.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Industry and Security

Firearms Convention; Proposed Collection Comment Request

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before July 8, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Madeleine Clayton, DOC Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3129, Department of Commerce, Room 6608, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Marna Hayes, BIS ICB