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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 18, 2005, the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled published notice (70 FR 13165) of proposed additions to the Procurement List.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the products and impact of the additions on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the products listed below are suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 46–48c and 41 CFR 51–2.4.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small organizations that will furnish the products to the Government.
2. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the products to the Government.
3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O’Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46–48c) in connection with the products proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

End of Certification

Accordingly, the following products are added to the Procurement List:

Products


NPA: East Texas Lighthouse for the Blind, Tyler, Texas.


Product/NSN: Marker, Dry Erase (Black, Chisel Tip), 7520–01–294–3791.

NPA: Dallas Lighthouse for the Blind, Inc., Dallas, Texas.


This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this addition or options that may be exercised under those contracts.

Sheryl D. Kennerly,
Director, Information Management.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List; Proposed Additions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind Or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Proposed additions to Procurement List.

SUMMARY: The Committee is proposing to add to the Procurement List products and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

Comments Must be Received on or Before: June 12, 2005.


FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR TO SUBMIT COMMENTS CONTACT: Sheryl D. Kennerly, Telephone: (703) 603–7740, Fax: (703) 603–0655, or e-mail SKennerly@jwod.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C 47(a)(2) and 41 CFR 51–2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the proposed actions.

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, the entities of the Federal Government identified in the notice for each product or service will be required to procure the products and services listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

The following material pertains to the products identified in this Federal Register Notice.

New Army Combat Uniform (ACU) Coats & Trousers—Transition Quantities

Qualified Nonprofit Agencies under the Committee’s program are currently authorized to produce 300,000 Battle Dress Uniform (BDU) trousers and 100,000 BDU coats. During the Army’s transition from BDU to the ACU, at the request of the Defense Supply Center—Philadelphia (DSCCP), it is proposed that qualified nonprofit agencies produce an additional 200,000 BDU trousers, 900,000 ACU coats, 900,000 ACU trousers, and 50,000 BDU coats annually, for a period of three years.

Once the transition period is complete, the additional quantities will be deleted from the Procurement List and the qualified nonprofit agencies will reduce their production, back to 300,000 ACU trousers and 100,000 ACU coats.

The following material pertains to all of the items being added to the Procurement List.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. If approved, the action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small organizations that will furnish the products and services to the Government.
2. If approved, the action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the products and services to the Government.
3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O’Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46–48c) in connection with the products and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Comments on this certification are invited. Commenters should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

End of Certification

The following products and services are proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

Products


NPA: Bestwork Industries for the Blind Inc.


Product/NSN: New Army Combat Uniform (ACU), Coats (Up to 300,000 coats), 8415–01–519–8435.


NPA: Goodwill Industries of South Florida Inc., Miami, Florida.

Product/NSN: BDU Coat, Woodland, Camouflage (Type VI) (Additional 50,000 coats), 8415–01–519–8436.


Services

Service Type/Location: Custodial Services, U.S. Federal Building, 400 North Miami Avenue, Miami, Florida.
Contracting Activity: GSA, Property Management Center (4PMB), Atlanta, Georgia.

Contracting Activity: Internal Revenue Service, Dallas, Texas.

Service Type/Location: Food Service, Illinois National Guard, Lincoln’s Challenge Academy, 205 W. Dodge, Building 303, Rantoul, Illinois.

Service Type/Location: Laundry Service, Base wide, Bolling AFB, DC.
Contracting Activity: HQ Bolling—11th CONS/LGCO, Bolling AFB, DC.

Sheryl D. Kennerly,
Director, Information Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; Petition by a Firm for Certification of Eligibility To Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance

AGENCY: Economic Development Agency (EDA).

ACTION: Notice.

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

DATES: Comments must be submitted in writing on or before July 12, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6625, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230 or via e-mail to dhynek@doc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to Kenneth M. Kukovich, EDA PRA Liaison, Office of Management Services, HCHB, Room 7227, Economic Development Administration, Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–0806; e-mail: kkukovich@eda.doc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

Pursuant to Chapter 3 of Title II of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2341 et seq.), the Secretary of Commerce (the “Secretary”) is given certain responsibilities concerning the provision of adjustment assistance for trade-injured firms. The Secretary has delegated this statutory authority and the corresponding responsibilities to the Economic Development Administration. EDA administers the Trade Adjustment Assistance Program to assist trade-injured U.S. manufacturing and producing firms to develop and implement strategies for competing in the global marketplace. The information is used to determine whether a firm is eligible to apply for trade adjustment assistance.

II. Method of Collection

Paper format of Form ED–840P.

III. Data

OMB Control Number: 0610–0091.
Agency Form Number: ED–840P.

Petition by a Firm for Certification of Eligibility for Trade Adjustment Assistance. 

Type of Review: Regular submission. 
Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 200.
Estimated Time Per Response: 8 hours.
Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 1,600.
Estimated Total Annual Cost to the Public: $96,000.

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 Office of Management and Budget approval of this information collection and they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: May 9, 2005.

Gwennar Banks, 
Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign–Trade Zones Board

(Docket 19–2005)

Foreign–Trade Zone 94 - Laredo, Texas, Application for Expansion

An application has been submitted to the Foreign–Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the City of Laredo, grantee of FTZ 94, requesting authority to expand its zone in the Laredo, Texas area, within the Laredo Customs port of entry. The application was submitted pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign–Trade Zones Act (19 U.S.C. 81a–81u), and the regulations of the Board (15 CFR Part 400). It was formally filed on May 9, 2005.

FTZ 94 was approved by the Board on November 22, 1983 (Board Order 235, 48 FR 53737; 11/29/83) and expanded on March 26, 1990 (Board Order 468, 55 FR 12696; 4/5/90); December 29, 1992 (Board Order 620, 58 FR 3533; 1/11/93); January 17, 1997 (Board Order 866, 62 FR 4028, 1/28/97); and, November 28, 2000 (Board Order 1130, 65 FR 77851, 12/13/00). The zone currently consists of six sites in the Laredo area:

Site 1 – (494 acres) within the 1,600-acre Laredo International Airport Industrial Park;
Site 1a – (1 acre) at 302 Grand Central Boulevard, within the Milo Distribution Center
Site 1b – (1 acre) at 22219 Mines Road, within the Transmaritime Inc.’s Transshipment Terminal (Sites 1a & 1b expire 11/1/06)
Site 2 – (20 acres) industrial park owned by the Texas–Mexican