FTZ Staff is designated examiner to evaluate and analyze the facts and information presented in the application and case record and to report findings and recommendations 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 4, 2010. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period to June 21, 2010.

A copy of the application will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign–Trade Zones Board, Room 2111, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230–0002, and in the “Reading Room” section of the Board’s website, which is accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz.

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Andrew McGilvray, Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign–Trade Zones Board
[Docket 22–2010]

Foreign–Trade Zone 26—Atlanta, Georgia, Application for Expansion and Reorganization under Alternative Site Framework

An application has been submitted to the Foreign–Trade Zones (FTZ) Board (the Board) by the Georgia Foreign–Trade Zone, Inc. (GFTZ), grantee of FTZ 26, requesting authority to expand the zone and reorganize under the alternative site framework (ASF) adopted by the Board (74 FR 1170, 01/12/09; correction 74 FR 3987, 01/22/09). The ASF is an option for grantees for the establishment or reorganization of general-purpose zones and can permit significantly greater flexibility in the designation of new “usage–driven” FTZ sites for operators/users located within a grantee’s “service area” in the context of the Board’s standard 2,000–acre activation limit for a general–purpose zone project. 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 March 25, 2010.

The grantee’s proposed service area under the ASF would include the following counties in Georgia: Haralson, Paulding, Polk, Bartow, Floyd, Chattahoochee, Gordon, Pickens, Gilmer, Fannin, Murray, Whitlett, Catoola, Walker, Dade, Forsyth, Dawson, Hall, Lumpkin, Union, White, Habersham, Banks, Franklin (in part), Cherokee, Gwinnett, Fulton, Clayton, Fayette, Henry, Cobb, Douglas, DeKalb, Rockdale, Spalding, Trroup, Coweta, Carroll, Heard, Meriwether, Pike, Lamar, Butts, Upson, Newton, Jasper, Morgan, Walton, Barrow, Oconee, Clarke, Greene, Oglethorpe, Madison, Jackson, Monroe, Bibb, Putnam, Jones, Baldwin, Crawford, Peach, Wilkinson (in part), Twiggs (in part), Houston (in part), Muscogee, Harris, Talbot, Taylor, Marion (in part) and Richmond. If approved, the grantee would be able to serve sites throughout the service area based on companies’ needs for FTZ designation. The proposed service area is adjacent to or within the Atlanta Customs and Border Protection port of entry with the exception of Richmond County, which is adjacent to the Colombia, South Carolina Customs and Border Protection port of entry.

FTZ 26 was approved by the Board on January 17, 1977 (Board Order 115, 42 FR 4186, 01/24/77); reorganized on April 18, 1988 (Board Order 381, 53 FR 15234, 04/28/88); and, expanded on April 29, 1996 (Board Order 820, 61 FR 21136, 05/09/96), on March 19, 1999 (Board Order 1033, 64 FR 16421, 4/5/99), on June 21, 2000 (Board Order 1105, 65 FR 39865, 6/28/00), on July 8, 2005 (Board Order 1401, 70 FR 41201, 7/18/05), on August 7, 2009 (Board Order 1638, 74 FR 42052, 8/20/09) and on March 12, 2010 (Board Order 1670). The general–purpose zone currently consists of the following sites: Site 1 (287 acres) -- adjacent to the Hartsfield–Jackson Atlanta International Airport in Clayton and Fulton Counties including jet fuel storage and distribution facilities and including 2 acres located at 561 Airport Parkway, Atlanta (expires 1/31/12); Site 2 (1,436 acres) -- Peachtree City Industrial Park, Highway 74 South, Peachtree City (Fayette County); Site 3 (85 acres) -- Canton–Cherokee County Business and Industrial Park, Brown Industrial Boulevard, Canton (Cherokee County); Site 4 (1,152 acres) -- within the 2,124–acre Muscogee Technology Park, located at the intersection of Georgia Highway 22 and State Route 80, Columbus (Troup County); Site 5 (49 acres) -- at the Corporate Ridge/Columbus East Industrial Park, located at the intersection of Schatulga Road and Cargo Drive, Columbus (Muscogee County); Site 6 (394 acres) -- within the 411–acre Green Valley Industrial Park, located at the intersection of Green Valley Road and State Route 16, Griffin (Spalding County); Site 7 (64 acres) -- at the Hudson Industrial Park, located at the intersections of Hudson Industrial Drive, Green Valley Road and Futral Road, Griffin (Spalding County); Site 9 (321 acres) -- at the Hamilton Mill Business Center, located at the intersection of Hamilton Mill Road and Interstate 985, Buford (Gwinnett County); Site 10 (212 acres) -- at the ProLogis Park Greenwood, located just west of Interstate 75 at the Georgia State Highway 155 “diamond” interchange, McDonough (Henry County); Site 11 (1,544 acres) -- West Point Economic Development, located at the intersection of Interstate 85 and Webb Road, West Point (Troup County); Site 12 (241 acres) -- within the 1,800–acre Callaway South Industrial Park, located at Pegasus Parkway and South Loop Extension off of Interstate 85, LaGrange (Troup County); Site 13 (184 acres) -- within the 541–acre Softkee Industrial Park, 5898 Hawkinsville Road, Macon (Bibb County); Site 14 (230 acres) -- Airport East Industrial Park, 8222 Hawkinsville Road, Macon (Bibb County); Site 15 (207 acres) -- within the 715–acre Twiggs County Industrial Park, located at Interstate 16 and State Route 96, Jeffersonville (Twiggs County); Site 16 (308 acres) -- Meridian 75 Logistics Center, located at Interstate 75 and Rumble Road, Forsyth (Monroe County); Site 17 (193 acres) -- Majestic Airport Center III, located at Interstate 85 and Jonesboro Road (Highway 138), Union City (Fulton County); Site 18 (195 acres) -- South Fulton Parkway Corporate Center, located at South Fulton Parkway and Derrick Road, Union City (Fulton County); and, Site 19 (7 acres) -- located at Southpoint Business Park, Building B, Forest Park (Fulton County). Site 8 has expired. Sites 11–17 are subject to a sunset provision that would terminate authority on August 31, 2014, and Site 18 is subject to a sunset provision that would terminate authority on March 31, 2015, where no activity has occurred under FTZ procedures before those dates.

The applicant is requesting to include Sites 1–18 as “magnet” sites. The applicant is also requesting to include Site 19 as a “usage–driven” site.

In accordance with the Board’s regulations, Kathleen Boyce of the FTZ staff is designated examiner to evaluate and analyze the facts and information presented in the application and case
record and to report findings and recommendations to the Board.

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Andrew McGilvray,
Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
International Trade Administration
[A–570–894]
Certain Tissue Paper Products from the People’s Republic of China: Notice of Initiation of Anti–circumvention Inquiry

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

SUMMARY: In response to a request from Seaman Paper Company of Massachusetts, Inc. (the petitioner), the Department of Commerce (the Department) is initiating an anti–circumvention inquiry to determine whether certain imports of tissue paper from Vietnam are circumventing the antidumping duty order on tissue paper from the PRC. See Notice of Amended Final Determination of Sales at Less than Fair Value and Antidumping Duty Order: Certain Tissue Paper Products from the People’s Republic of China (PRC). See Notice of Amended Final Determination of Sales at Less than Fair Value and Antidumping Duty Order: Certain Tissue Paper Products from the People’s Republic of China, 70 FR 16223 (March 30, 2005) [Tissue Paper Order].

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 5, 2010.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brian Smith or Gemal Brangman, AD/CVD Operations, Office 2, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–1766 or (202) 482–3773, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On February 18, 2010, the petitioner submitted a letter requesting that the Department initiate and conduct an anti–circumvention inquiry, pursuant to section 781(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), and 19 CFR 351.225(b), to determine whether imports of tissue paper from Vietnam which the petitioner alleges Max Fortune (Vietnam) Paper Products Company Limited (Max Fortune Vietnam) made from jumbo rolls and cut sheets of tissue paper produced in the PRC are circumventing the antidumping duty order on tissue paper from the PRC. Specifically, the petitioner alleges that Max Fortune Vietnam is importing into Vietnam PRC–produced jumbo rolls and cut sheets of tissue paper for completion or assembly into merchandise of the same class or kind as that covered by the antidumping duty order on tissue paper from the PRC prior to exporting that merchandise to the United States; and that such activity on the part of Max Fortune Vietnam constitutes circumvention of the PRC tissue paper order.

On February 24, 2010, the Department requested that the petitioner provide additional information pertinent to its anti–circumvention inquiry request. See Letter to Seaman Paper Company of Massachusetts, Inc., dated February 24, 2010. The petitioner provided the requested information on March 1, 2010.


On March 16, 2010, Max Fortune Vietnam responded to the petitioner’s circumvention allegation. In its submission, Max Fortune Vietnam asserts, among other things, that it has never imported raw tissue paper from the PRC, and that its tissue paper production and processing operations in Vietnam are significant. Therefore, Max Fortune Vietnam requests that the Department reject the petitioner’s request to initiate an anti–circumvention inquiry with respect to its operations.

Scope of the Order

The tissue paper products subject to order are cut-to-length sheets of tissue paper having a basis weight not exceeding 29 grams per square meter. Tissue paper products subject to this order may or may not be bleached, dye-colored, surface-colored, glazed, surface decorated or printed, sequined, crinkled, embossed, and/or die cut. The tissue paper subject to this order is in the form of cut-to-length sheets of tissue paper with a width equal to or greater than one-half (0.5) inch. Subject tissue paper may be flat or folded, and may be packaged by banding or wrapping with paper or film, by placing in plastic or film bags, and/or by placing in boxes for distribution and use by the ultimate consumer. Packages of tissue paper subject to this order may consist solely of tissue paper of one color and/or style, or may contain multiple colors and/or styles.

Tissue paper products subject to this order do not have specific classification numbers assigned to them under the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) and appear to be imported under one or more of the several different “basket” categories, including but not necessarily limited to the following subheadings: HTSUS 4802.30, HTSUS 4802.54, HTSUS 4802.61, HTSUS 4802.62, HTSUS 4802.69, HTSUS 4804.39, HTSUS 4806.40, HTSUS 4808.30, HTSUS 4808.90, HTSUS 4811.90, HTSUS 4823.90, HTSUS 9505.90.40.

Although the HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the scope of the investigation is dispositive. Excluded from the scope of the order are the following tissue paper products: (1) tissue paper products that are coated in wax, paraffin, or polymers, of a kind used in floral and food service applications; (2) tissue paper products that have been perforated, embossed, or die-cut to the shape of a toilet seat, i.e., disposable sanitary covers for toilet seats; and (3) toilet or facial tissue stock, towel or napkin stock, paper of a kind used for household or sanitary purposes, cellulose wadding, and webs of cellulose fibers (HTSUS 4803.00.20.00 and 4803.00.40.00).

Initiation of Anti–circumvention Proceeding

Applicable Statute

Section 781(b) of the Act provides that the Department may find circumvention of an antidumping duty order when merchandise of the same class or kind subject to the order is completed or assembled in a foreign