DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[B–21–2021]

Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 99—Wilmington, Delaware; Authorization of Production Activity; AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP (Pharmaceutical Products); Newark, Delaware

On March 11, 2021, AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board for its facility within Subzone 99D, in Newark, Delaware.

The notification was processed in accordance with the regulations of the FTZ Board (15 CFR part 400), including notice in the Federal Register inviting public comment (86 FR 14867–14868, March 19, 2021). On July 9, 2021, the applicant was notified of the FTZ Board’s decision that no further review of the activity is warranted at this time. The production activity described in the notification was authorized, subject to the FTZ Act and the FTZ Board’s regulations, including Section 400.14.

Dated: July 9, 2021.

Andrew McGilvray,
Executive Secretary.

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Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[B–53–2021]

Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 93—Raleigh/Durham, North Carolina; Notification of Proposed Production Activity; Liebel-Flarsheim Company, LLC (Diagnostic Imaging Contrast Media); Raleigh, North Carolina

The Triangle J Council of Governments, grantee of FTZ 93, submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board on behalf of Liebel-Flarsheim Company, LLC (Liebel-Flarsheim), located in Raleigh, North Carolina. The notification conforming to the requirements of the regulations of the FTZ Board (15 CFR 400.22) was received on June 30, 2021.

Liebel-Flarsheim already has authority to produce diagnostic imaging contrast media within FTZ 93. The current request would add a finished product and a foreign status material to the scope of authority. Pursuant to 15 CFR 400.14(b), additional FTZ authority would be limited to the specific foreign-status material and specific finished product described in the submitted notification (as described below) and subsequently authorized by the FTZ Board.

Production under FTZ procedures could exempt Liebel-Flarsheim from customs duty payments on the foreign-status material used in export production. On its domestic sales, for the foreign-status materials noted below and in the existing scope of authority, Liebel-Flarsheim would be able to choose the duty rate during customs entry procedures that applies to gadopiclenol (active pharmaceutical ingredient) (duty rate—3.7%).

The request indicates that the material is subject to duties under Section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (Section 301), depending on the country of origin. The applicable Section 301 decisions require subject merchandise to be admitted to FTZs in privileged foreign status (19 CFR 446.41).

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions shall be addressed to the Board’s Executive Secretary and sent to: ftz@trade.gov. The closing period for their receipt is August 23, 2021.

A copy of the notification will be available for public inspection in the “Reading Room” section of the Board’s website, which is accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz.

For further information, contact Diane Finver at Diane.Finver@trade.gov.

Dated: July 8, 2021.

Andrew McGilvray,
Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[S–78–2021]

Approval of Subzone Status; Watco Transloading, LLC; Parsons, Kansas

On May 18, 2021, the Executive Secretary of the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board docketed an application submitted by the Board of County Commissioners of Sedgwick County, grantee of FTZ 161, requesting subzone status subject to the existing activation limit of FTZ 161, on behalf of Watco Transloading, LLC, in Parsons, Kansas.

The application was processed in accordance with the FTZ Act and Regulations, including notice in the Federal Register inviting public comment (86 FR 27827, May 24, 2021). The FTZ staff examiner reviewed the application and determined that it meets the criteria for approval.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to the FTZ Board Executive Secretary (15 CFR 400.36(f)), the application to establish Subzone 161D was approved on July 8, 2021, subject to the FTZ Act and the Board’s regulations, including Section 400.13, and further subject to FTZ 161’s 2,000-acre activation limit.

Dated: July 8, 2021.

Andrew McGilvray,
Executive Secretary.

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[B–52–2021]

Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 265—Conroe, Texas; Notification of Proposed Production Activity; Galdisa USA (Peanut Products); Conroe, Texas

The City of Conroe, Texas, grantee of FTZ 265, submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board on behalf of Galdisa USA (Galdisa), located in Conroe, Texas. The notification conforming to the requirements of the regulations of the FTZ Board (15 CFR 400.22) was received on June 30, 2021.

The Galdisa facility is located within FTZ 265. The facility is used for the production of peanut products. Galdisa is requesting export-only FTZ authority to produce peanut butter, roasted peanuts, peanut granules, peanut paste, and blanched peanuts. Pursuant to 15 CFR 400.14(b), FTZ activity would be limited to the specific foreign-status materials and specific finished products described in the submitted notification (as described below) and subsequently authorized by the FTZ Board.

Production under FTZ procedures could exempt Galdisa from customs duty payments on the foreign-status components used in the company’s export production of peanut products. Customs duties also could possibly be deferred or reduced on foreign-status production equipment. If the proposal were approved, the foreign-status sugar and peanuts used in the FTZ production for export would not be subject to quota(s).
The components and materials sourced from abroad include: Raw peanuts in shell; beet sugar; cane sugar; sugar (not raw); salt; crude peanut oil; non-crude peanut oil; raw peanuts shells; and, blanched peanuts (duty rate ranges from free to 163.8% (ex-quota rate)). The request indicates that certain materials/components are subject to duties under Section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (Section 301), depending on the country of origin. The applicable Section 301 decisions require subject merchandise to be admitted to FTZs in privileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.41).

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions shall be addressed to the Board’s Executive Secretary and sent to: ftz@trade.gov. The closing period for their receipt is August 23, 2021.

A copy of the notification will be available for public inspection in the “Reading Room” section of the Board’s website, which is accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz.

For further information, contact Diane Finver at Diane.Finver@trade.gov or (202) 482–1367.

Dated: July 8, 2021.

Andrew McGilvray, Executive Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Information Systems Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

The Information Systems Technical Advisory Committee (ISTAC) will meet on July 28 and 29, 2021, at 1:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time. The meetings will be available via teleconference. The Committee advises the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration on technical questions that affect the level of export controls applicable to information systems equipment and technology.

Wednesday, July 28
Open Session
1. Welcome and Announcements
2. Working Group Reports
3. New Business

Thursday, July 29:
Closed Session
4. Discussion of matters determined to be exempt from the provisions relating to public meetings found in
5. U.S.C. app. 2 §§ 10(a)(1) and 10(a)(3).

The open session will be accessible via teleconference. To join the conference, submit inquiries to Ms. Yvette Springer at Yvette.Springer@bis.doc.gov, no later than July 21, 2021.

To the extent time permits, members of the public may present oral statements to the Committee. The public may submit written statements at any time before or after the meeting. However, to facilitate distribution of public presentation materials to Committee members, the Committee suggests that public presentation materials or comments be forwarded before the meeting to Ms. Springer.

For more information, call Yvette Springer at (202) 482–2813.

Yvette Springer,
Committee Liaison Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
International Trade Administration
[A–549–833]

Citric Acid and Certain Citrate Salts From Thailand: Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2019–2020

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (Commerce) determines that sales of citric acid and certain citrate salts (citric acid and citric acid derivatives) from Thailand have not been made at less than normal value by COFCO Biochemical (Thailand) Co., Ltd. (COFCO) or Sunshine Biotech International Co., Ltd. (Sunshine) during the period of review (POR), July 1, 2019, through June 30, 2020.


FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joy Zhang or Patrick Barton, AD/CVD Operations, Office III, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–1168 or (202) 482–0012, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background
On April 1, 2021, Commerce published the Preliminary Results.¹ We invited interested parties to comment on the Preliminary Results.² This review covers three respondents: COFCO, Niran (Thailand) Co., Ltd. (Niran), and Sunshine. Commerce rescinded this review, in part, with respect to Niran on February 3, 2021.³ No interested party submitted comments on the Preliminary Results. Accordingly, the final results remain unchanged from the Preliminary Results. Commerce conducted this review in accordance with section 751 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act).

Scope of the Order

The merchandise covered by the order is citric acid and certain citrate salts from Thailand. The scope of the order includes all grades and granulation sizes of citric acid, sodium citrate, and potassium citrate in their unblended forms, whether dry or in solution, and regardless of packaging type. The scope also includes blends of citric acid, sodium citrate, and potassium citrate; as well as blends with other ingredients, such as sugar, where the unblended form(s) of citric acid, sodium citrate, and potassium citrate constitute 40 percent or more, by weight, of the blend.

The scope also includes all forms of crude calcium citrate, including dicalcium citrate monohydrate, and tricalcium citrate tetrahydrate, which are intermediate products in the production of citric acid, sodium citrate, and potassium citrate.

The scope includes the hydrous and anhydrous forms of citric acid, the dihydrate and anhydrous forms of sodium citrate, otherwise known as citric acid sodium salt, and the monohydrate and monopotassium forms of potassium citrate. Sodium citrate also includes both trisodium citrate and monosodium citrate which are also known as citric acid trisodium salt and citric acid monosodium salt, respectively.

The scope does not include calcium citrate that satisfies the standards set forth in the United States Pharmacopeia and has been mixed with a functional excipient, such as dextrose or starch, where the excipient constitutes at least 2 percent, by weight, of the product.