

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Foreign-Trade Zones Board****[B–24–2026]****Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 21,
Notification of Proposed Production
Activity; Zapp Precision Wire, Inc.;
(Precision Wire and Metal Products);
Summerville, South Carolina**

The South Carolina State Ports Authority, grantee of FTZ 21, submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board (the Board) on behalf of Zapp Precision Wire, Inc. (Zapp) for Zapp's facility in Summerville, South Carolina within FTZ 21. The notification conforming to the requirements of the Board's regulations (15 CFR 400.22) was received on February 26, 2026.

Pursuant to 15 CFR 400.14(b), FTZ production activity would be limited to the specific foreign-status material(s)/ component(s) and specific finished product(s) described in the submitted notification (summarized below) and subsequently authorized by the Board. The benefits that may stem from conducting production activity under FTZ procedures are explained in the background section of the Board's website—accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz.

The proposed finished products include: stainless steel bars converted from another form; stainless steel wire converted from another form; stainless steel rods converted from another form; shaped cold-worked stainless steel bars; shaped cold-worked stainless steel rods; wound stainless steel shaped wire; nickel alloy wire; nickel alloy bars; and shaped wire of nickel alloy (duty-free).

The proposed foreign-status materials/components include: stainless steel bar with high-nickel alloy; stainless steel flats with high-nickel alloy; stainless steel bar; stainless steel rod; stainless steel shapes; hot-worked stainless steel bars; hot-worked stainless steel rods; cold-worked stainless steel bars; cold-worked stainless steel rods; further-worked stainless steel bars; further-worked stainless steel rods; further-worked stainless steel shapes; stainless steel wire; and nickel alloy wire (duty rate ranges from duty-free to 3.0%).

The request indicates that certain materials/components are subject to duties under section 122 of the Trade Act of 1974 (Section 122), section 232 of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962 (section 232), or section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (section 301), depending on the country of origin. The applicable section 122, section 232, and

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 April 13, 2026.

A copy of the notification will be available for public inspection in the "Online FTZ Information System" section of the Board's website.

For further information, contact John Frye at John.Frye@trade.gov.

Dated: February 26, 2026.

Elizabeth Whiteman,
Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Foreign-Trade Zones Board****[B–25–2026]****Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 214,
Notification of Proposed Production
Activity; Aprinnova LLC; (Cosmetic
Products); Leland, North Carolina**

Aprinnova LLC submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board (the Board) for its facility in Leland, North Carolina within FTZ 214. The notification conforming to the requirements of the Board's regulations (15 CFR 400.22) was received on February 26, 2026.

Pursuant to 15 CFR 400.14(b), FTZ production activity would be limited to the specific foreign-status material(s)/ component(s) and specific finished product(s) described in the submitted notification (summarized below) and subsequently authorized by the Board. The benefits that may stem from conducting production activity under FTZ procedures are explained in the background section of the Board's website—accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz.

The proposed finished products include squalane, Hydrogenated Poly (C6–20 Olefin), and Hydrogenated Difarnesene (duty rates are duty-free).

The proposed foreign-status materials/components are Farnesene (duty rate is duty-free).

The request indicates that the component is subject to duties under section 122 of the Trade Act of 1974 (Section 122) and section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (section 301), depending on the country of origin. The applicable section 122 and section 301

decisions require subject merchandise to be admitted to FTZs in privileged foreign (PF) 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 April 13, 2026.

A copy of the notification will be available for public inspection in the "Online FTZ Information System" section of the Board's website.

For further information, contact Christopher Williams at christopher.williams@trade.gov.

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Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**International Trade Administration****[C–533–941]****Certain Freight Rail Couplers and Parts
Thereof from India: Preliminary
Affirmative Countervailing Duty
Determination and Alignment of Final
Determination with Final Antidumping
Duty Determination**

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

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) preliminarily determines that countervailable subsidies are being provided to producers and exporters of certain freight rail couplers and parts thereof (freight rail couplers) from India. The period of investigation is April 1, 2024, through March 31, 2025. Interested parties are invited to comment on this preliminary determination.

DATES: Applicable March 3, 2026.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Benjamin Blythe or Joshua Jacobson, AD/CVD Operations, Office IV, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–3457 or (202) 482–0266, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Background**

This preliminary determination is made in accordance with section 703(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). Commerce published the notice of initiation of this investigation