

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Agenda and Notice of Public Meetings of the New Hampshire and District of Columbia Advisory Committees

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission), and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), that a planning meeting of the New Hampshire Advisory Committee to the Commission is rescheduled for Friday, February 8, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. (ET), at the New Hampshire State House, 107 North Main Street, Concord, NH 03301. The purpose of the planning meeting is to plan future activities. The purpose of the press conference is to re-release committee report on Goffstown Prison. This meeting was initially scheduled for Friday, February 1, 2013; same time and location (FR/Vol. 78, No. 14/Tuesday, January 22, 2013/pages 4380-4381).

Notice is also hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission), and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), that a planning meeting of the District of Columbia Advisory Committee to the Commission is rescheduled for Tuesday, February 19, 2013, 12:00 p.m. (ET) at 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 1150, Conference Room, Washington, DC 20425. The purpose of the meeting is project planning. This meeting was initially scheduled for February 12, 2013 (FR/Vol. 78, No. 18/Monday, January 28, 2013/Notices, page 5772).

Members of the public are entitled to submit written comments. The comments must be received in the regional office by Friday, March 8, 2013 for the New Hampshire Advisory Committee and Tuesday, March 19, 2013 for the District of Columbia Advisory Committee. Comments may be mailed to the Eastern Regional Office, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 1150, Washington, DC 20425, faxed to (202) 376-7548, or emailed to ero@usccr.gov. Persons who desire additional information may contact the Eastern Regional Office at 202-376-7533. Persons needing accessibility services should contact the Eastern Regional Office at least five working days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

Records generated from these meetings may be inspected and reproduced at the Eastern Regional Office, as they become available, both before and after the meeting. Persons interested in the work of these advisory

committees are advised to go to the Commission's Web site, www.usccr.gov, or to contact the Eastern Regional Office at the above phone number, email or street address.

The meetings will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the Commission and FACA.

Dated in Washington, DC, on January 31, 2013.

David Mussatt,

*Acting Chief, Regional Programs
Coordination Unit.*

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms

AGENCY: Economic Development Administration (EDA).

ACTION: Notice.

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 the proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before April 8, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection to Jennifer Jessup, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at jjessup@doc.gov).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to Miriam Kearse, Eligibility Examiner, Trade Adjustment Assistance Division, Room 71028, Economic Development Administration, Washington, DC 20230, telephone (202) 482-3963, facsimile (202) 482-2883 (or via the Internet at miriam.j.kearse@eda.gov).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

EDA administers the Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms (TAAF) Program, which is authorized

under chapters 3 and 5 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2341 *et seq.*) (Trade Act), and the Trade Adjustment Assistance Extension Act of 2011 (Pub. L. 112-40) which reauthorized the program, through a national network of 11 non-profit and university-affiliated Trade Adjustment Assistance Centers (TAACs), each of which serves a different geographic service region. EDA certifies firms as eligible to participate in the TAAF Program and provides funding to allow eligible client-firms to receive adjustment assistance through the TAACs. The information collected on Form ED-840P and relevant supporting documentation is used to determine if a firm is eligible to participate in the program. In accordance with the Trade Act and EDA's regulations as set out at 13 CFR part 315, EDA must verify that the following have occurred: (1) A significant reduction in the number or proportion of the workers in the firm, a reduction in the workers' wage or work hours, or an imminent threat of such reductions; (2) sales or production of the firm have decreased absolutely, as defined in EDA's regulations, or sales or production, or both, of any article or service accounting for at least 25 percent of the firm's sales or production has decreased absolutely; and (3) an increase in imports of articles or services like or directly competitive with those produced or provided by the petitioning firm, which has contributed importantly to the decline in employment and sales or production of that firm. Additionally, the firm must demonstrate that its customers have reduced purchases from the firm in favor of buying items or services from foreign suppliers. The use of the form standardizes and limits the information collected as part of the certification process and eases the burden on applicants and reviewers alike.

In addition, after being determined eligible for TAAF Program assistance using Form ED-840P, firms must create an EDA-approved adjustment proposal, which is each firm's business plan to remain viable in the current global economy, in order to receive financial assistance under the TAAF Program. Each adjustment proposal must meet certain requirements as set out in the Trade Act and EDA's regulation at 13 CFR 315.6. This notice also includes an estimate for adjustment proposals.

II. Method of Collection

Form ED-840P may be obtained in Portable Document Format (PDF) from EDA or the TAACs upon request. TAACs are responsible for preparing the application on the firm's behalf.

Although there is no form associated with adjustment proposals, they must meet the requirements for adjustment proposals set out in EDA's regulation at 13 CFR 315.16. Both petitions for certification on Form ED-840P and adjustment proposals may be submitted via email to taac@eda.gov or in hard copy to EDA at Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW., Room 71028, Washington DC 20230.

III. Data

OMB Control Number: 0610-0091.

Form Number(s): ED-840P.

Type of Review: Regular submission (extension of a currently approved collection).

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit organizations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 800 (500 petitions for certification and 300 adjustment proposals).

Estimated Time Per Response: 128.2 hours (8.2 for petitions for certification and 120 for adjustment proposals).

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 40,100 (4,100 for petitions for certification and 36,000 for adjustment proposals).

Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public: \$0.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (1) 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; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) 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 OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: January 31, 2013.

Glenna Mickelson,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[B-10-2013]

Foreign-Trade Zone 84—Houston, TX Application for Expansion

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Port of Houston Authority, grantee of FTZ 84, requesting authority to expand FTZ 84 to include a site in Brazos County, Texas. 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 docketed on January 31, 2013.

FTZ 84 was approved on July 15, 1983 (Board Order 214, 48 FR 34792, 8/1/83). The zone was expanded on December 24, 1991 (Board Order 551, 57 FR 42, 1/2/92), on December 23, 1993 (Board Order 670, 59 FR 61, 1/3/94), on August 24, 2000 (Board Order 1115, 65 FR 54197, 9/7/00), on March 21, 2003 (Board Order 1271, 68 FR 15431, 3/31/03), on May 14, 2003 (Board Order 1277, 68 FR 27987, 5/22/03), and on April 24, 2009 (Board Order 1611, 74 FR 27777-27778, 6/11/2009).

The general-purpose zone currently consists of 24 sites (2,752.13 acres) at port facilities, industrial parks and warehouse facilities in Houston and the Harris County area. The sites—which are in Houston unless otherwise stated—are as follows: *Site 1* (421 acres)—Houston Ship Channel Turning Basin, Clinton Drive at Highway 610 East Loop; *Site 2* (97 acres)—Houston Ship Channel (Bulk Materials Handling Plant), north bank between Greens Bayou and Penn City Road; *Site 3* (99 acres)—Barbours Cut Turning Basin, Highway 146 at Highway 225; *Site 4* (4 acres)—Cargoways Logistics, 1201 Hahlo Street; *Site 5* (8 acres)—Timco Scrap Processing, 6747 Avenue W; *Site 6* (73 acres)—Odjell Terminals, 12211 Port Road; *Site 7* (126 acres)—Jacintoport Terminal, Houston Ship Channel, 16398 Jacintoport Blvd.; *Site 8* (162 acres)—Central Green Business Park, 16638 Air Center Boulevard; *Site 9* (72 acres)—Manchester Terminal Corporation, 10000 Manchester; *Site 10* (14 acres)—13609 Industrial Road, within the Greens Port Industrial Park along the Houston Ship Channel; *Site 11* (269 acres)—Oiltanking, Inc., 15602 Jacintoport Boulevard; *Site 12* (146 acres)—Kinder Morgan Liquids Terminal LLC, Clinton Drive at Panther Creek and North Witter Street at Bayou Street; *Site 13* (18 acres)—Exel Logistics, Inc., 8833 City Park Loop Street; *Site 14*

(22 acres)—George Bush Intercontinental Airport, Fuel Storage Road, Houston jet fuel storage and distribution system; *Site 15* (196 acres)—Magellan Midstream Partners, liquid bulk facility, 12901 American Petroleum Road, Galena Park, Harris County; *Site 16* (72 acres)—Katoen Natie Gulf Coast Warehousing Complex, Miller Road Cutoff and U.S. Highway 225, Harris County; *Site 17* (172 acres total, 2 parcels, sunset 5/31/2014)—within the Highway 225 Industrial Development: Underwood Industrial Park (162 acres), located at 2820 East 13th Street, Deer Park, and Battleground Business Park (10 acres), located at the corner of Porter Road and Old Underwood Road, La Porte; *Site 18* (106 acres, sunset 5/31/2014)—Bay Area Business Park, located at Red Bluff Road and Bay Area Boulevard, Pasadena; *Site 19* (190 acres, sunset 5/31/2014)—Republic Distribution Center, located on the corner of Red Bluff Road and Choate Road, Pasadena; *Site 20* (299 acres, sunset 5/31/2014)—Port Crossing Industrial Park, located along McCabe Road and State Highway 146, La Porte; *Site 22* (146 acres, sunset 5/31/2014)—Port of Houston Authority's Beltway 8 Tract, located at the corner of East Belt Drive and Jacintoport Boulevard; *Site 23* (16.94 acres)—Katoen Natie Gulf Coast, Inc., 102 Old Underwood Road and 1100 Underwood Drive, Deer Park; *Site 24* (11.32 acres, sunset 5/31/2014)—Kuehne + Nagel, Inc., 15450 Diplomatic Plaza Drive; and, *Site 25* (11.87 acres, expires 12/31/2014)—Emerson Process Management Valve Automation, Inc., 19200 Northwest Freeway. (Note: *Site 21* was removed from the zone project in December 2012 (S-142-2012).)

The applicant is requesting authority to expand the zone to include the following site: *Proposed Site 26* (1,091.22 acres)—Texas Triangle Park, located at State Highway 6 and Louis E. Mikulin Road, Brazos County. No specific production authority is being requested at this time. Such requests would be made to the Board on a case-by-case basis.

In accordance with the Board's regulations, Camille Evans 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.

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the address below. The closing period for their receipt is April 8, 2013. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted