

The application to expand FTZ 44 is approved, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 29th day of May 2001.

**Faryar Shirzad,**

*Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board.*

**Dennis Puccinelli,**

*Executive Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1169]

#### Expansion of Foreign-Trade Zone 54, Clinton County, NY

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, the County of Clinton, New York, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 54, submitted an application to the Board for authority to expand FTZ 54 to include a site at the former Plattsburgh Air Force Base located in Plattsburgh, New York (Site 4), within the Champlain Customs port of entry (FTZ Docket 57-2000; filed 11/13/00);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (65 FR 70693, 11/27/00) and the application has been processed pursuant to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations; and,

Whereas, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and Board's regulations are satisfied, and that the proposal is in the public interest;

Now, therefore, the Board hereby orders:

The application to expand FTZ 54 is approved, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28, and further subject to the Board's standard 2,000-acre activation limit.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 29th day of May 2001.

**Faryar Shirzad,**

*Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board.*

**Dennis Puccinelli,**

*Executive Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1175]

#### Approval of Manufacturing Activity Within Foreign-Trade Zone 246 Waco, TX; Caterpillar Inc. (Construction Equipment)

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u) (the Act), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, the City of Waco (Texas), grantee of FTZ 246, has requested authority on behalf of Caterpillar Inc., to manufacture construction equipment under zone procedures within FTZ 246, Waco, Texas (filed 12-15-2000, FTZ Docket 69-2000);

Whereas, pursuant to § 400.32(b)(1), the Commerce Department's Assistant Secretary for Import Administration has the authority to act for the Board in making such decisions on new manufacturing/processing activity under certain circumstances, including situations where the proposed activity is the same, in terms of products involved, as activity recently approved by the Board and similar in circumstances (§ 400.32(b)(1)(i));

Whereas, the Board's Executive Secretary has determined that the application meets the criteria for review under § 400.32(b)(1)(i); and,

Whereas, the FTZ staff has reviewed the proposal, taking into account the criteria of § 400.31, and the Executive Secretary has recommended approval;

Now, therefore, the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, acting for the Board pursuant to § 400.32(b)(1), concurs in the recommendation and hereby approves the request subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including § 400.28.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 29th day of May 2001.

**Faryar Shirzad,**

*Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board.*

Attest:

**Dennis Puccinelli,**

*Executive Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1170]

#### Expansion of Foreign-Trade Zone 115 Beaumont, TX Area

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas, the Foreign Trade Zone of Southeast Texas, Inc., grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 115, submitted an application to the Board for authority to expand FTZ 115 to include a site at the Sun Pipe Line Company crude oil petroleum terminal (Site 8) in Nederland, Texas (including certain areas previously authorized as Subzone 116B), within the U.S. Customs Service consolidated port of Port Arthur and Sabine (FTZ Docket 67-2000; filed 11/29/00 and amended on 2/7/01).

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (65 F.R. 77560, 12/12/00, and as amended, 66 F.R. 10010, 2/13/01), the application has been processed pursuant to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations; and,

Whereas, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations are satisfied, and that the proposal is in the public interest;

Now, Therefore, the Board hereby orders:

The application to expand FTZ 115 is approved, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28.