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Individuals who are deaf, deafblind and hard of hearing may also follow the proceedings by first calling the Federal Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339 and providing the Service with the conference call number and confirmation code.

Members of the public are entitled to submit written comments; the comments must be received in the regional office within 30 days following the meeting. Written comments may be mailed to the Regional Programs Unit, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 230 S. Dearborn, Suite 2120, Chicago, IL 60604. They may also be faxed to the Commission at (312) 353-8324 or emailed to Corrine Sanders at [csanders@usccr.gov](mailto:csanders@usccr.gov). Persons who desire additional information may contact the Regional Programs Unit at (312) 353-8311.

Records generated from this meeting may be inspected and reproduced at the Regional Programs Unit Office, as they become available, both before and after the meeting. Records of the meeting will be available via [www.facadatabase.gov](http://www.facadatabase.gov) under the Commission on Civil Rights, Alabama Advisory Committee link. Persons interested in the work of this Committee are directed to the Commission's website, <http://www.usccr.gov>, or may contact the Regional Programs Unit at the above email or street address.

#### Agenda

- I. Welcome and roll call
- II. Chair's Comments
- III. Committee Discussion
- IV. Next steps
- V. Public comment
- VI. Adjournment

Dated: August 27, 2025.

**David Mussatt,**

*Supervisory Chief, Regional Programs Unit.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[B-41-2025]

#### Foreign-Trade Zone 163—Ponce, Puerto Rico; Application for Reorganization/Expansion

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board by

CODEZOL, C.D., grantee of FTZ 163, requesting authority to reorganize and expand FTZ 163 in Ponce, Puerto Rico. 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 FTZ Board (15 CFR part 400). It was formally docketed on August 26, 2025.

FTZ 163 was established by the Board on October 18, 1989 (Board Order 443, 54 FR 46097, November 1, 1989), and expanded on April 18, 2000 (Board Order 1091, 65 FR 24676, April 27, 2000), on June 9, 2005 (Board Order 1397, 70 FR 36117, June 22, 2005), on July 26, 2006 (Board Order 1467, 71 FR 44996, August 8, 2006), on November 9, 2006 (Board Order 1487, 71 FR 67098, November 20, 2006), on June 26, 2009 (Board Order 1631, 74 FR 34306, July 15, 2009), on July 8, 2010 (Board Orders 1692 and 1693, 75 FR 41801, July 19, 2010), on May 24, 2012 (Board Order 1830, 77 FR 32929, June 4, 2012), and on December 13, 2018 (Board Order 2078, 83 FR 65141, December 19, 2018).

FTZ 163 currently consists of thirteen sites (936.984 acres total) in Puerto Rico: *Site 1* (269 acres)—located at the Port of Ponce; *Site 2* (183.8 acres)—Peerless Oil & Chemicals, Inc. petroleum terminal facilities in Peñuelas and Guaynilla; *Site 3* (3 acres)—Hato Rey Distribution Center, located at Angel Buonoma Street #361 and #71, San Juan; *Site 4* (14 acres)—Centro Automatriz Santa Rosa, Inc., State Road No. 3, Km 140.1, Guayama; *Site 5* (256 acres)—Mercedita Industrial Park, Rt. PR-9 and Las Americas Highway, Ponce; *Site 6* (86 acres)—Coto Laurel Industrial Park, Highways PR-56 and PR-52, Ponce; *Site 7* (17.2 acres)—Cesar Castillo warehouse, State Road No. 1, Km 21.1, Guaynabo; *Site 8* (5 acres)—Ayala Warehouse, Inc., 42 Salmon Street, Ponce; *Site 10* (5.83 acres)—Colomer & Suarez, Inc., Centro de Distribucion Playa de Ponce, Building 7, Avenida Santiago de los Caballeros, Ponce; *Site 11* (52 acres)—ProCaribe, Road 385, Km 5.4, Bo. Tallaboa, Peñuelas; *Site 12* (5.97 acres)—Yaucono Industrial Park, 2822 Las Americas Avenue, Corner Cuatro Calles, Ponce; *Site 13* (10 acres)—Rio Piedras Distribution Center, Quebrada Arena Industrial Park, PR Road #1, Km 26.0, San Juan; and, *Site 17* (29.184 acres)—Ponce Regional Distribution Center, 3199 Ave. Santiago de los Caballeros, Ponce.

The applicant is requesting authority to expand Site 1 of the zone to include an additional 93.91 acres at the Port of Ponce. The applicant is also requesting to remove Site 6 from the zone. No authorization for production activity is being requested at this time. Such

requests would be made to the FTZ Board on a case-by-case basis.

In accordance with the FTZ 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 FTZ Board.

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions shall be addressed to the FTZ Board's Executive Secretary and sent to: [ftz@trade.gov](mailto:ftz@trade.gov). The closing period for their receipt is October 28, 2025. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted through November 12, 2025.

A copy of the application will be available for public inspection in the "Online FTZ Information Section" section of the FTZ Board's website, which is accessible via [www.trade.gov/ftz](http://www.trade.gov/ftz).

For further information, contact Camille Evans at [Camille.Evans@trade.gov](mailto:Camille.Evans@trade.gov).

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**Elizabeth Whiteman,**

*Executive Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[B-40-2025]

#### Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 186, Notification of Proposed Production Activity; Mölnlycke Health Care; (Medical Dressings and Foam); Brunswick, Portland, and Wiscasset, Maine

Mölnlycke Health Care submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board (the Board) for its facilities in Brunswick, Portland, and Wiscasset, Maine within Subzone 186C. The notification conforming to the requirements of the Board's regulations (15 CFR 400.22) was received on August 15, 2025.

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](http://www.trade.gov/ftz).

The proposed finished products include polyurethane foam and wound care dressings (duty rate ranges from duty-free to 4.2%).

The proposed foreign-status materials/components include: hot melt laminating adhesive; silicone; release liners (polyethylene coated; temporary polyethylene); layered films (polyethylene and polyethylene terephthalate; polyethylene and polyamide); films (low-density polyethylene film; non-cellular polyurethane; polyethylene release; polyurethane backing); various papers (gummed grid; polyethylene coated; casting); air laid cotton linter wound pads; paper labels; informational leaflets; and, laminates (duty rate ranges from duty-free to 5.8%). The request indicates that certain materials/components are subject to duties under section 1702(a)(1)(B) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (section 1702), or section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (section 301), depending on the country of origin. The applicable section 1702, 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](mailto:ftz@trade.gov). The closing period for their receipt is October 8, 2025.

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 Juanita Chen at [juanita.chen@trade.gov](mailto:juanita.chen@trade.gov).

Dated: August 26, 2025.

**Elizabeth Whiteman,**  
Executive Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[S-213-2025]

#### Approval of Subzone Status; General Electric Company; Peebles, Ohio

On July 10, 2025, the Executive Secretary of the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board docketed an application submitted by the Greater Cincinnati FTZ, Inc., grantee of FTZ 46, requesting subzone status subject to the existing activation limit of FTZ 46, on behalf of General Electric Company, in Peebles, Ohio.

The application was processed in accordance with the FTZ Act and

Regulations, including notice in the **Federal Register** inviting public comment (90 FR 31601, July 15, 2025). 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 46N was approved on August 26, 2025, subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including section 400.13, and further subject to FTZ 46's 2,000-acre activation limit.

Dated: August 26, 2025.

**Elizabeth Whiteman,**

Executive Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[C-583-880]

#### Certain Monomers and Oligomers From Taiwan: Preliminary Affirmative Countervailing 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 monomers and oligomers (monomers and oligomers) from Taiwan during the period of investigation (POI), January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024. Interested parties are invited to comment on this preliminary determination.

**DATES:** Applicable August 29, 2025.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Suresh Maniam, AD/CVD Operations, Office I, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-1603.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

This preliminary determination is made in accordance with section 703(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). On April 23, 2024, Commerce published the notice of initiation of this countervailing duty investigation in the **Federal Register**.<sup>1</sup> On June 4, 2025,

<sup>1</sup> See *Certain Monomers and Oligomers from Taiwan: Initiation of Countervailing Duty Investigation*, 90 FR 17032 (April 23, 2025) (*Initiation Notice*).

Commerce postponed the preliminary determination of this investigation until August 25, 2025.<sup>2</sup> On August 18, 2025, the petitioner alleged that, pursuant to section 703(e)(1) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.206, critical circumstances exist with respect to imports of monomers and oligomers from Taiwan.<sup>3</sup> As the allegation was submitted less than 20 days before the scheduled date of the preliminary determination, Commerce's intends to issue a separate preliminary critical circumstances determination no later than 30 days after the submission of the allegation consistent with 19 CFR 351.206(c)(2)(ii).

For a complete description of the events that followed the initiation of this investigation, see the Preliminary Decision Memorandum.<sup>4</sup> A list of topics discussed in the Preliminary Decision Memorandum is included as Appendix II to this notice. The Preliminary Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS). ACCESS is available to registered users at <https://access.trade.gov>. In addition, a complete version of the Preliminary Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly at <https://access.trade.gov/public/FRNoticesListLayout.aspx>.

#### Scope of the Investigation

The product covered by this investigation is monomers and oligomers from Taiwan. For a complete description of the scope of this investigation, see Appendix I.

#### Scope Comments

In accordance with the preamble to Commerce's regulations,<sup>5</sup> the *Initiation Notice* set aside a period of time for parties to raise issues regarding product coverage, (*i.e.*, scope).<sup>6</sup> No interested party commented on the scope of the investigation as it appeared in the *Initiation Notice*. Thus, the scope of the investigation is unchanged from the *Initiation Notice*.

<sup>2</sup> See *Certain Monomers and Oligomers from Taiwan: Postponement of Preliminary Determination in the Countervailing Duty Investigation*, 90 FR 23672 (June 4, 2025).

<sup>3</sup> See Petitioner's Letter, "Allegation of Critical Circumstances," dated August 18, 2025.

<sup>4</sup> See Memorandum, "Decision Memorandum for the Preliminary Determination of the Countervailing Duty Investigation of Certain Monomers and Oligomers from Taiwan," dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice (Preliminary Decision Memorandum).

<sup>5</sup> See *Antidumping Duties; Countervailing Duties, Final Rule*, 62 FR 27296, 27323 (May 19, 1997).

<sup>6</sup> See *Initiation Notice*.