O'Lakes, Inc., Rockwell, Cerro Gordo County (located inside D. R. Schaal Agency's area).

Central Iowa's assigned geographic area does not include the following grain elevators inside Central Iowa's area which have been and will continue to be serviced by the following official agencies:

1. A. V. Tischer and Son, Inc.: Farmers Co-op Elevator, Boxholm, Boone County; and

2. Omaha Ğrain Inspection Service, Inc.: T&K Evans, Elliot, Montgomery County; and Hemphill Feed & Grain, and Hansen Feed & Grain, both in Griswold, Cass County.

The geographic area presently assigned to the State of Montana, pursuant to Section 7(f)(2) of the USGSA, which may be assigned to the applicant selected for designation is the entire State of Montana, except those export port locations within the State which are serviced by FGIS.

Interested persons, including Central Iowa and Montana, are hereby given the opportunity to apply for designation to provide official services in the geographic areas specified above under the provisions of Section 7(f) of the Act and section 800.196(d) of the regulations issued thereunder. Designation in the specified geographic areas is for the period beginning September 1, 1996, and ending August 31, 1999. Persons wishing to apply for designation should contact the Compliance Division at the address listed above for forms and information.

Applications and other available information will be considered in determining which applicant will be designated.

Authority: Pub. L. 94–582, 90 Stat. 2867, as amended (7 U.S.C. 71 *et seq.*)

Dated: February 13, 1996

Neil E. Porter

Director, Compliance Division

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Inadequate Demand for Official Services in Maine

AGENCY: Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA). **ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: GIPSA has determined there is inadequate demand for official services to designate an organization to provide official services in the State of Maine after expiration of the current designation.

DATE: The State of Maine's designation ends August 31, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Janet M. Hart, Chief, Review Branch, Compliance Division, GIPSA, USDA, Room 1647 South Building, P.O. Box 96454, Washington, DC 20090–6454.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Janet M. Hart, telephone 202–720–8525. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

This action has been reviewed and determined not to be a rule or regulation as defined in Executive Order 12866 and Departmental Regulation 1512–1; therefore, the Executive Order and Departmental Regulation do not apply to this action.

GIPSA announces that the designation of the Maine Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources ends on August 31, 1996. As of January 31, 1996, the State of Maine had not performed any official services since 1991. Accordingly, GIPSA determined that, pursuant to the provisions of the Act, there is an inadequate demand for official services to designate an official agency. Therefore, GIPSA is not asking for applications from persons interested in designation as an official agency to provide services in the area currently assigned to Maine. Any persons in Maine who may require official inspection services after August 31, 1996, should contact GIPSA's Baltimore Office at 410-962-3968 (FAX: 410-766-8604).

Authority: Pub. L. 94–582, 90 Stat. 2867, as amended (7 U.S.C. 71 *et seq.*)

Dated: February 13, 1996 Neil E. Porter

Director, Compliance Division

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Amendment to Certification of Central Filing System—Oklahoma

The Statewide central filing system of Oklahoma has been previously certified, pursuant to Section 1324 of the Food Security Act of 1985, on the basis of information submitted by the Oklahoma Secretary of State, for farm products produced in that State (52 FR 49056, December 29, 1987).

The certification is hereby amended on the basis of information submitted by Tom Cole, Secretary of State, for an additional farm product produced in that State as follows:

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This is issued pursuant to authority delegated by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Authority: Sec. 1324(c)(2), Pub. L. 99–198, 99 Stat. 1535, 7 U.S.C. 1631(c)(2); 7 CFR 2.18(e)(3), 2.56(a)(3), 55 FR 22795.

Dated: February 26, 1996.

Harold Davis,

Acting Deputy Administrator, Packers and Stockyards Programs.

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Proposed Posting of Stockyards

The Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, has information that the livestock markets named below are stockyards as defined in Section 302 of the Packers and Stockyards Act (7 U.S.C. 202), and should be made subject to the provisions of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, as amended (7 U.S.C. 181 et seq.).

AR-171

Roden's Auction Service, Dequeen, Arkansas

MD-119

Kolb's Sale Barn, Woodsboro, Maryland

NC-169

North Carolina Horse Auction, Goldston, North Carolina

SC-154

Double H Livestock, Pelzer, South Carolina

Pursuant to the authority under Section 302 of the Packers and Stockyards Act, notice is hereby given that it is proposed to designate the stockyards named above as posted stockyards subject to the provisions of said Act.

Any person who wishes to submit written data, views or arguments concerning the proposed designation may do so by filing them with the Director, Livestock Marketing Division, Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, Room 3408–South Building, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250 by March 9,1996. All written submissions made pursuant to this notice will be made available for public inspection in the office of the Director of the Livestock Marketing Division during normal business hours.

Done at Washington, D.C. this 23rd day of February 1996.

Daniel L. Van Ackeren,

Director, Livestock Marketing Division, Packers and Stockyards Programs. [FR Doc. 96–4855 Filed 2–29–96; 8:45 am]

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration

Notice of Petitions by Producing Firms for Determination of Eligibility To Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance

AGENCY: Economic Development Administration (EDA), Commerce.

ACTION: To give firms an opportunity to comment.

Petitions have been accepted for filing on the dates indicated from the firms listed below.

LIST OF PETITION ACTION BY TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE FOR PERIOD 01/18/96-02/20/96

Firm Name	Address	Date peti- tion Accept- ed	Product
Twang, Inc	800 Buena Vista, Bldg. 2, Ste 200, San Antonio TX 78207.	01/24/96	Salt and lemon confections.
Data Specifics Corporation	2100 E. Moffat Avenue, Springfield IL 62702.	01/30/96	Near-infrared analyzers, radiating & optically collected light, incorporating computer data analysis.
St. Mary's Sewing Industry	501 S. Llano Grande, P.O. Box 157, Edcouch TX 78538.	01/30/96	
Tifton Textiles, Inc	217 Southwell Boulevard, Tifton GA 31794.	01/30/96	Knit fabric such as jersey, rib, pique, and fleece.
Big Jim Halter Co., DBA Flying Circle Bags.	10045 Johns Road, Boerne TX 78006	01/31/96	Travel, sports, and similar bags.
Littonian Shoe Company	31 Kaystone Street, P.O. Box 95, Littlestown PA 17340.	02/01/96	Infant's and children's shoes and lead-filled protective aprons.
Custom Packaging Systems, Inc	201 Glocheski St., P.O. Box 183, Manistee MI 49660.	02/05/96	Polypropylene and polyethylene bulk bags and liners for packing and transporting liquid & dry goods.
CR Technology, Inc	27752 El Lazo Road, Suite A, Laguna Niguel CA 92656.	02/12/96	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Magic Novelty Co., Inc	308 Dyckman Street, New York NY 10034-5351.	02/12/96	

The petitions were submitted pursuant to Section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2341). Consequently, the United States Department of Commerce has initiated separate investigations to determine whether increased imports into the United States of articles like or directly competitive with those produced by each firm contributed importantly to total or partial separation of the firm's workers, or threat thereof, and to a decrease in sales or production of each petitioning firm.

Any party having a substantial interest in the proceedings may request a public hearing on the matter. A request for a hearing must be received by the Trade Adjustment Assistance Division, Room 7023, Economic Development Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230, no later than the close of business of the tenth calendar day following the publication of this notice.

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance official program number and title of the program under which these petitions are submitted is 11.313, Trade Adjustment Assistance. February 23, 1996.

Lewis R. Podolske,

Director, Trade Adjustment Assistance Division.

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Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 13-96]

Foreign-Trade Subzone 78A—Nissan Motor Manufacturing Corporation U.S.A. (Motor Vehicles and Components); Expansion of Subzone; Smyrna, TN

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the Metropolitan Nashville-Davidson County Port Authority, grantee of FTZ 78, Nashville, Tennessee, requesting authority to expand FTZ Subzone 78A (Nissan Motor Manufacturing Corporation U.S.A. (NMMC) plant, Smyrna, Tennessee), to include a site in Decherd, Tennessee. 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 filed on February 21, 1996.

Subzone 78A was approved in 1982 for the manufacture of pickup trucks (Board Order 190, 47 FR 16191, 4–12–82), and the scope of manufacturing authority was expanded to include automobiles, engines and transaxles in 1984 (Board Order 272, 49 FR 35395, 9–7–84). In 1993, the subzone boundaries were expanded, as was the scope of authority to manufacture under zone procedures (Board Order 632, 58 FR 18850, 3–30–93).

NMMC now requests that the subzone status be extended to include its new engine/powertrain plant (currently under construction) in Decherd (Franklin County), Tennessee, some 65 miles west of Chattanooga. The new manufacturing facility (200,000 sq. ft. on 958 acres) will be used to produce 200,000 engines and 300,000 transaxles annually. The engines will equip autos manufactured at NMMC's Smyrna plant. The transaxles will be used to equip autos manufactured in NMMC's Smyrna plant and minivans (a Ford/Nissan joint-venture vehicle) manufactured at