

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (63 FR 63451, 11/13/98); 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 approval of the application, as amended, is in the public interest;

Now, Therefore, the Board hereby grants authority for subzone status at the pharmaceutical manufacturing plant of Pfizer Inc., located in Brooklyn, New York (Subzone 1A), at the location described in the application, and subject to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations, including § 400.28.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 7th day of April 1999.

Robert S. LaRussa,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1035]

Expansion of Foreign-Trade Zone 183 and Expansion of Scope of Manufacturing Authority (Computer Products) Within FTZ 183, Austin, TX

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 Central Texas, Inc., grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 183, submitted an application to the Board for authority to expand FTZ 183-Site 3 at the High-Tech Corridor site and to expand scope of FTZ manufacturing authority (computer products) for Dell Computer Corporation within FTZ 183, Austin Texas, within the Austin Customs port of entry (FTZ Docket 30-98; filed 6/11/98);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (63 FR 34145, 6/33/98) 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 183-Site 3 and to expand the scope of FTZ manufacturing authority with respect to computer products is approved, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28, and subject to the Board's standard 2,000-acre activation limit.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 7th day of April 1999.

Robert S. LaRussa,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

National Estuarine Research Reserve System

AGENCY: Estuarine Reserves Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of approval and availability of revision to the final revised management plan for the Apalachicola National Estuaries Research Reserve, 1999-2004.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Estuarine Reserves Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, has approved the revised Management Plan for the Apalachicola National Estuarine Research Reserve (ANERR). The ANERR was designated in 1979 and has been operating under a Management Plan approved on August 27, 1993. Pursuant to section 315 of the Coastal Zone Management Act, 16 U.S.C. 1461, and 921.33(c) of the implementing regulations, a state must revise its management plan at least every five years, or more often if necessary. This revision is Florida's effort to comply with this requirement.

The revisions to the ANERR Management Plan include:

1. The revised management plan expands the Reserve boundaries from 193,758 acres to a total of 246,766 acres. The newly incorporated lands were previously described in the 1993 ANERR Management Plan Revision as proposed areas for boundary expansion. The Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission (GFC) amended an existing Memorandum Of Understanding with

the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) which adds 17,521 acres to Reserve boundaries. This addition extends the floodplain portion of the Reserve to the east and west. The expansion also includes 34,487 of Northwest Florida Water Management District (NFWFMD) floodplain lands bordering the Reserve's northern boundary. The inclusion of these lands expands the Reserve to Mile Marker 52 on the Apalachicola River. The lands and waters of the Reserve are all contiguous and the boundary expansion affords the Reserve considerably more influence in river basin issues.

The management plan revision places seven small but important tracts totaling 419 acres under ANERR's management. As a result, the Reserve now has lead-role management on 21,480 of the 246,766 acres. The remainder is managed under Cooperative Agreements with GFC and NFWFMD.

2. The revised management plan includes the addition of three permanent state positions to the ANERR staff; one each in research, education and resource management. There has also been an increase in state support for temporary employees.

3. Under a NOAA matching grant, the ANERR has constructed a new Administrative/Research facility. The 8,000 square foot building has 4,000 square feet of office space, a 1,000 square foot laboratory and 3,000 square feet of maintenance shop.

4. The revised management plan demonstrates continued strong support from the Florida DEP and NOAA for research, monitoring and education programs. The Resource Management section of the management plan describes the Reserve's expanded role in the management of upland resources. ANERR staff will now be involved with prescribed burning, dump-site cleanup, opening lands to the public and exotic plant control.

Copies of the document can be obtained from the Apalachicola National Estuarine Research Reserve, 350 Carroll Street, Eastpoint, Florida 32368. (850) 670-4783.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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Dated: April 14, 1999.

Ted Lillestolen,

Deputy Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Notice of Designation of the Jacques Cousteau National Estuarine Research Reserve at Mullica River and Great Bay, New Jersey; and the Kachemak Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve, Alaska

AGENCY: Estuarine Reserves Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce

ACTION: Notice of designation.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), U. S. Department of Commerce, has designated certain lands and waters of the Mullica River-Great Bay estuary in New Jersey as the Jacques Cousteau National Estuarine Research Reserve at Mullica River and Great Bay, and has designated certain lands and waters of Kachemak Bay in Alaska as the Kachemak Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve.

On April 3, 1998, Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere D. James Baker, signed findings of designation for the Jacques Cousteau National Estuarine Research Reserve in New Jersey pursuant to Section 315 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended, 16 U.S.C. 1461, and its implementing regulations at 15 CFR Part 921. The Reserve duly received certification from the State of New Jersey Coastal Zone Management Program that Reserve designation is consistent to the maximum extent practicable with its program. A copy of the official Record of Decision is available for public review from NOAA's Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management at the address below.

On February 12, 1999, Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere D. James Baker, signed findings of designation for the Kachemak Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve in Alaska pursuant to Section 315 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended, 16 U.S.C. 1461, and its implementing

regulations at 15 CFR Part 921. The Reserve duly received certification from the State of Alaska Coastal Zone Management Program that Reserve designation is consistent to the maximum extent practicable with its program. A copy of the official Record of Decision is available for public review from NOAA's Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management at the address below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Laurie McGilvray (301) 713-3155, Estuarine Reserves Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, National Ocean Service, NOAA, 1305 East West Highway, N/ORM5, Silver Spring, MD 20910. A copy of the Record of Decision for each Reserve is available upon request.

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Dated: April 16, 1999.

Nancy Foster,

Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Record of Decision for Pacific Missile Range Facility Enhanced Capability

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice of record of decision.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Navy, after carefully weighing the operational and environmental consequences, announces its decision to enhance the Pacific Missile Range Facility's (PMRF) capability to permit accommodation of the Department of the Navy Theater Ballistic Missile Defense (TBMD) and Department of Defense (DOD) Theater Missile Defense (TMD) testing, evaluation, and training.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Ms. Vida Mossman, Pacific Missile Range Facility, P.O. Box 128, Kekaha, Kauai, Hawaii, 96752-0128, telephone number (808) 335-4740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The text of the entire Record of Decision (ROD) is provided as follows:

The Department of the Navy, pursuant to section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969; the Council on Environmental Quality regulations implementing NEPA procedures, 40 CFR parts 1500-1508; SECNAVINST 5090.6; OPNAV

Instruction 5090.1B; and Executive Order 12114, announces its decision to enhance the Pacific Missile Range Facility's (PMRF) capability to accommodate the Department of the Navy Theater Ballistic Missile Defense (TBMD) and Department of Defense (DOD) Theater Missile Defense (TMD) testing, evaluation, and training. These enhancements of PMRF capabilities were described in the preferred alternatives in the Pacific Missile Range Facility Enhanced Capability Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) of December 18, 1998.

This decision adopts both the continuation of current PMRF functions and the development of new sites and implementation of new activities. Existing PMRF functions include range and land-based training and operations, research, development, test, and evaluation (RDT&E), and ongoing base operations and maintenance activities. The new sites and activities adopted include construction and modification of target and interceptor launch facilities, launches of target and interceptor missiles by air, land and/or sea, construction and modification of instrumentation facilities, construction of support facilities, and transportation of missile propellant. Locations that will be affected by this decision are PMRF (PMRF/Main Base, Restrictive Easement; Makaha Ridge; Kokee; Kamokala Magazines; and Port Allen, Kauai) PMRF support sites (Niihau; Kaula; Maui Space Surveillance System, Maui; Kaena Point, Oahu; Wheeler Network Segment Control/PMRF Communications Sites, Oahu; Department of Energy Communication Sites, Kauai and Oahu; and the Ocean Area inside and outside of U.S. territory. Tern Island and Johnston Atoll were eliminated as sites in the Final EIS.

Related State of Hawaii decisions will permit the use of State lands in proximity to PMRF to support missile launch and storage requirements. These State decisions will allow the U.S. Government to: (1) Continue to exclude non-participants from the ground hazard area during missile launches at PMRF, (2) permit the Navy to construct additional ordnance storage facilities to accommodate missile storage requirements, and (3) establish and maintain safety zones around the ordnance storage facilities.

Process

The Navy has complied with all applicable Executive Orders including consideration of the environmental effects of its actions outside the United States or its territories under the provisions of Executive Order 12114