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February 12, 2024

Honorable Members of the
City Council of the
City of Los Angeles

CD No. 15

Attention: Mr. Andrew Suh, City Clerk's Office

Subject: RESOLUTION NO. 23-10227: APPROVAL OF FOREIGN-TRADE ZONE (FTZ)
GENERAL PURPOSE OPERATING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LOS
ANGELES HARBOR DEPARTMENT AND LAXFUEL CORPORATION, FTZ 202, SITE
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Pursuant to Section 373 of the City Charter and Section 10.5 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code; enclosed for your approval is Resolution No. 23-10227 for the proposed approval of a Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) Operating Agreement No. 23-9975 between the City of Los Angeles Harbor Department and LAXFuel Corporation (LAXFuel), to operate its facility within FTZ No. 202, Site 25, located at 9900 Laxfuel Road, Los Angeles, CA 90045. Site 25 consists of various liquid bulk terminal refineries, storage tanks, and pipelines totaling 710.8 acres. Site 25 includes three liquid bulk terminals located on Harbor Department properties at Berths 118, 119, 167, 168, 169, 188, and 189. The proposed Agreement is for a term of five years with three, five-year renewal options. If the proposed Agreement is approved, the Harbor Department will receive \$10,000 annually from LAXFuel (per FTZ Tariff No. 2). There is no impact to the General Fund.

RECOMMENDATION FOR CITY COUNCIL:

1. ADOPT the determination by the Board of Harbor Commissioners that the proposed action is administratively exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under Article II Section 2(f) of the Los Angeles City CEQA Guidelines and;
2. APPROVE POLA Resolution No. 23-10227 for the for the proposed Foreign-Trade Zone Operating Agreement No. 23-9975 between the Harbor Department and LAXFuel Corporation

Respectfully Submitted,


AMBER M. KLESGES
Commission Secretary

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