

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN TRADE
SUBZONE, SPACE SYSTEMS/LORAL INC.,
SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA AREA**

The City of San Jose, Grantee of Foreign Trade Zone #18, has applied to the U.S. Foreign Trade Zones Board for a special-purpose foreign trade subzone for Space Systems/Loral Inc. in the San Jose area. The application was filed on May 24, 2005 pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign-Trade Zones Act and the regulations of the Board.

The proposed subzone is located at five sites on 37 acres. Site 1 is located on 28.4 acres at 3825, 3850 and 3875 Fabian Way, Palo Alto; Site 2 is one acre at 3977 and 3963 Fabian Way, Palo Alto; Site 3 is five acres, located at 1034-1036 and 1025 E. Meadow Circle, Palo Alto; Site 4 is comprised of 110,000 square feet and is located at 1205 and 1145 Hamilton Court, Menlo Park; and Site 5 is 2.5 acres located at 2288 Charleston Road, Mountain View.

The facilities are used for the manufacture of satellites and satellite systems. Foreign Trade Zone procedures would exempt Space Systems/Loral Inc. from customs duty payments on the foreign components used in export production.

Public comment is invited from interested parties. The closing period for public comment is August 1, 2005. Submissions (original and three copies) shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at one of the following addresses:

Submissions Via U.S. Postal Service - Foreign Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, Franklin Court Building, Suite 4100W, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20230

Submissions Via Express Delivery Service – Foreign Trade Zones Board, U.S. Department of Commerce, Franklin Court Building, Suite 4100W, 1099 14th Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20005, Phone (202) 482-2862

A copy of the application and accompanying exhibits is available for public inspection at the following addresses:

U.S. Department of Commerce Export Assistance Center, 152 N. Third Street, Suite 550, San Jose, California

Office of the Foreign Trade Zones Board Executive Secretary, U.S. Department of Commerce, Franklin Court Building, Suite 4100W, 1099 14th Street, NW, Washington, D.C.;