CITY OF CARSON



PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

CONTINUED

PUBLIC HEARING: November 22, 2016

SUBJECT: Conditional Use Permit No. 978-15

APPLICANT: Inland Star

3146 S. Chestnut Avenue

Fresno, CA 93725

Attn: Mr. Michael Kelton, CEO

PROPERTY OWNER: Prologis, c/o: Danny Williams

Pier 1, Bay 1, San Francisco, CA 94111

REQUEST: To store high-piled, non-regulated/regulated, combustible and

flammable hazardous chemicals/poisons within an existing

254,000-square-foot warehouse building

PROPERTIES INVOLVED: 2132-A East Dominguez Street

COMMISSION ACTION

<u>AYE</u>	NO		AYE	NO	
		Chairman Diaz			Mitoma
		Vice-Chair Madrigal			Pimentel
	***************************************	Andrews			Post
		Fe'esago, Jr.			Thomas
		Guidry			Cinco

I. Introduction

Property Owner:

Prologis c/o: Danny Williams, Pier 1, Bay 1, San Francisco, CA 94111

Applicant:

Michael Kelton, CEO/Chairman, Inland Star 3146 S. Chestnut Avenue, Fresno, CA 93725

Project Address:

2132-A East Dominguez Street

Project Description:

The applicant was previously requesting approval of CUP No. 978-15 (after the fact) for high-piled, non-regulated/regulated, combustible and flammable hazardous chemicals/poisons storage at 2132-A E. Dominguez Street within an existing warehouse building with approximately 254,000 square feet on a 12.4-acre site zoned MH (Manufacturing, Heavy).

Staff Recommendation:

That the Planning Commission accept the attached withdrawal letter of Conditional Use Permit Application No. 978-15 dated November 8, 2016. The City Attorney's office has approved an indemnification agreement with Inland Star and Inland Star has submitted a new conditional use permit application for staff review.

Project Site and Surrounding Land Uses

The project site is located at 2132-A East Dominguez Street.

Site Information				
Existing Land Use	Heavy Industrial			
Proposed Land Use Designation	General Plan designates "Heavy Industrial"			
Existing Zoning District	МН			
Site Size	12.4 acres			
Present Use and	254,000-square-foot industrial warehouse building storing			
Development	hazardous chemicals/poisons, flammable, non-hazardous, and non-flammable materials			
Surrounding	North: Heavy Industrial uses zoned MH			
Uses/Zoning	South: Heavy Industrial uses zoned MH			
	East: Heavy Industrial uses zoned MH			
	West: Heavy Industrial uses zoned MH			
Access	Ingress/Egress: Dominguez Street			

II. Recommendation

That the Planning Commission accept the request to withdraw Conditional Use Permit No. 978-15 for the storage of high-pile regulated/non-regulated, combustible/flammable hazardous chemicals/poisons within an existing 254,000-square-foot building located at 2132-A East Dominguez Street." Street Assessor's Parcel No. 7316-026-025.

III. Exhibits

1. Inland Star Withdrawal Letter Dated November 8, 2016

Prepared by: Zak Gonzalez II, Associate Planner



ELIZABETH A. CAMACHO Senior Counsel

10100 Santa Monica Blvd. Suite 2200 Los Angeles, CA 90067

Direct 310.282.2075 Main 310.282.2000 Fax 310.510.6735 ecamacho@loeb.com

Via E-mail (snaaseh@carson.ca.us)

November 8, 2016

Mr. Saied Naaseh Planning Manager City of Carson 701 E. Carson Street Carson, California 90745

RECEIVED NOV 1 4 2016 City of Carson Planning Division

Re: Withdrawal of Conditional Use Permit Application 978-15

Dear Mr. Naaseh:

As you know, in April, 2015 Inland Star filed an application for a conditional use permit for a packaged chemical warehouse operation at 2132-A E. Dominguez Street (CUP 978-15). This CUP application was noticed for hearing on September 27, 2016, which hearing was subsequently continued to October 25 and then to November 22, 2016.

Prior to the October 25, 2016 hearing for CUP 978-15, the City requested that Inland Star submit a new Conditional Use Permit Application. In accordance with this request, Inland Star submitted a new Development Permit Application form and supporting documentation to you on October 25, 2016, followed by additional supporting materials and a draft Initial Study on November 1, 2016. On October 31, 2016, Inland Star submitted to the City a \$25,000 deposit for the processing of the new CUP application, as well as \$41,000 for costs previously incurred by the City in connection with CUP 978-15, pursuant to the Reimbursement Agreement between the City and Inland Star dated October 25, 2016.

We understand that the City has acknowledged receipt of Inland Star's new Conditional Use Permit Application, and has issued it Conditional Use Permit Application Number 1017-2016 with an associated date of November 1, 2016, and that this new application is currently under review.

Accordingly, and in accordance with your request, Inland Star hereby withdraws Conditional Use Permit Application No. 978-15. We understand that staff will recommend that the Planning Commission take CUP No. 978-15 off-calendar for the November 22, 2016 Planning Commission meeting and will issue a new public hearing notice for CUP No. 1017-2016 at the appropriate time.

EXMIDIT NO. 1 -





If you have any questions please let us know. We appreciate staff's work on this matter and look forward to working with you on the new application.

Sincerely,

Senior Counsel

Michael Kelton CC:

Michael O'Donnell

Mr. Ken Farfsing, City Manager

Mr. Zak Gonzalez, Associate City Planner Ms. Sunny Soltani, City Attorney Ms. Elena Gerli, Assistant City Attorney