

APPENDIX.—PETITIONS INSTITUTED ON 02/18/97—Continued

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of petition	Product(s)
33,209	Parker Abex Aerospace (UAW)	Kalamazoo, MI	02/01/97	Aerospace Components.
33,210	Singer Furniture Co. (Wkrs)	Lenior, NC	02/04/97	Bedroom and Dining Room Furniture.
33,211	General Motors Corp (Wkrs)	Goleta, CA	02/03/97	Turrets—Light Armored Vehicles.
33,212	Getinge Castle (Wkrs)	Mercersburg, PA	02/06/97	Hospital Disinfectant Equipment.

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Kingtree Knits, a Division of Texfi Industries, Incorporated; TA-W-32,561 Midway, GA and TA-W-32,516E Kingtree, SC

Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 USC 2273) the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on September 17, 1996, applicable to workers of Kingtree Knits, a Division of Texfi Industries, Incorporated, located in Midway, Georgia. The notice was published in the Federal Register on October 1, 1996 (61 FR 51303). The worker certification was subsequently amended to include workers at other production facilities of the subject firm.

At the request of petitioners, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New findings show that workers separations have occurred at the subject firm's Kingtree, South Carolina location. The workers produce tee shirts for women, men and boys.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Kingtree Knits who were affected by increased imports. Accordingly, the Department is amending the worker certification to include the workers of Kingtree Knits, a Division of Texfi Industries, Incorporated, located in Kingtree, South Carolina.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-32,561 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Kingtree Knits, a Division of Texfi Industries, Incorporated, Midway, Georgia (TA-W-32,561) and Kingtree, South Carolina (TA-W-32,516E), who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after July 11, 1995, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 21st day of February 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

Program Manager, Policy and Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)]. This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment and Training Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed reinstatement of the collection of the Worker Adjustment Annual Substate Area Report, ETA Form 9046. A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addresses section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before May 19, 1997. The Department of Labor is particularly interested in comments which:

- evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information,

including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

- enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

ADDRESSES: Zenowia Choma, Office of Worker Retraining and Adjustment Programs, Office of Work-Based Learning, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-5426, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210, 202-219-5577 (this is not a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The Worker Adjustment Annual Substate Area Report provides information on the available funds, expenditures and participants at the substate area level during the course of a program year.

II. Current Actions

This is a request for OMB approval of the reinstatement of a collection of information previously approved by OMB. The reinstatement will allow the Department to continue to monitor performance of the formula programs under Title III at the local level.

Type of Review: Reinstatement.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Worker Adjustment Annual Substate Area Report.

OMB Number: 1205-0346.

Affected Public: State, Local or Tribal Government.

Total Respondents: 52.

Frequency: Annually.

Average Time per Response: 1.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 52.

Comments submitted in response to this comment request will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information