DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Investigations Regarding Certifications of Eligibility To Apply for NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance

Petitions for transitional adjustment assistance under the North American Free Trade Agreement-Transitional Adjustment Assistance Implementation Act (P.L. 103–182), hereinafter called (NAFTA–TAA), have been filed with State Governors under Section 250(b)(1) of Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, are identified in the Appendix to this Notice. Upon notice from a Governor that a NAFTA–TAA petition has been received, the Acting Director of the Office Trade Adjustment Assistance (OTAA), Employment and Training Administration (ETA), Department of Labor (DOL), announces the filing of the petition and takes actions pursuant to paragraphs (c) and (e) of Section 250 of the Trade Act.

The purpose of the Governor's actions and the Labor Department's investigations are to determine whether the workers separated from employment of after December 8, 1993 (date of enactment of P.L. 103–182) are eligible to apply for NAFTA–TAA under Subchapter D of the Trade Act because of increased imports from or the shift in production to Mexico or Canada.

The petitioners or any other persons showing a substantial interest in the subject matter of the investigations may request a public hearing with the Acting Director of OTAA at the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) in Washington, D.C. provided such request is filed in writing with the Acting Director of OTAA not later than May 16, 1998.

Also, interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the petitions to the Acting Director of OTAA at the address shown below not later than May 16, 1998.

Petitions filed with the Governors are available for inspection at the Office of the Acting Director, OTAA, ETA, DOL, Room C–4318, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20210.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 22nd day of April, 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

Appendix

Subject firm	Location	Date received at Governor's office	Petition number	Articles produced
Babcock and Wilcox (BBF)	Paris, TX	03/27/1998	NAFTA–2,277	boiler components.
Superior Pants (Co.)	Athens, GA	03/23/1998	NAFTA–2,278	formalwear pants.
Hit Apparel (Wkrs)	Athens, GA	03/18/1998	NAFTA–2,279	cutting and sewing sportswear.
Denise Lingerie (UNITE)	Johnson City, TN	03/25/1998	NAFTA–2,280	sportswear, jogging suits, pants, tops.
Collins Products (IAMAW)	Klamath Falls, OR	03/25/1998	NAFTA–2,281	plywood, particle board and hardboard.
Georgia Pacific (IBU)	Eugene, OR	03/26/1998	NAFTA–2,282	softwood dimension lumber.
Dana Corporation (BBF)	Marion, OH	03/20/1998	NAFTA–2,283	truck axles.
IBP (Wkrs)	Luverne, MN	03/26/1998	NAFTA–2,284	beef processing plant.
Delta Woodside Industrial (Co.)	Wallace, NC	03/25/1998	NAFTA–2,285	knit fabrics.
Lane Plywood (Wkrs)	Portland, OR	03/27/1998	NAFTA–2,286	BC milmeter.
Heritage Hills (Co.)	Tustin, CA	03/25/1998	NAFTA–2,287	television cabinets.
Chic by H.I.S. (Wkrs)	Monticello, KY	03/27/1998	NAFTA–2,288	jeans and casual pants.
Weyerhaeuser (Wkrs)	Alameda, CA	03/30/1998	NAFTA–2,289	container board.
Golden City Hosiery Mill (Wkrs)	Villa Rica, GA	03/30/1998	NAFTA–2,290	socks.
Crown Pacific (Wkrs)	Gilchrist, OR	03/26/1998	NAFTA–2,291	timber products.
Caliber Logistics (Wkrs)	Vancouver, WA	03/25/1998	NAFTA–2,292	ink jet printers & circuit boards.
Jostens (Wkrs)	Attleboro, MA	03/26/1998	NAFTA–2,293	high school class rings.
Gent J (UNITE)	Plymouth, PA	03/31/1998	NAFTA–2,294	ladies' blazers/jackets & sportswear.
Alcoa Fujikura (Co.)	Del Rio, TX	03/31/1998	NAFTA–2,295	electrical junction boxes for automobile.
Dale Electronics (Co.)	Yankton, SD	03/27/1998	NAFTA–2,296	electronic components.
Russell-Newman (Co.)	Cisco, TX	03/31/1998	NAFTA–2,297	ladies sleepwear, underwear and robes.
Superior Design (Wkrs)	Liverpool, NY	03/30/1998	NAFTA–2,298	piece parts and assembly drawings.
Richfield Apparel (Wkrs)	Richfield, PA	03/31/1998	NAFTA–2,299	garments.
Action West (Wkrs)	El Paso, TX	03/31/1998	NAFTA–2,300	sportswear pants.
Boeing Company (The) (Co.)	Mesa, AZ	04/03/1998	NAFTA–2,301	commercial light helicopters.
V.F. Corporation—Red Kap Industries (Wkrs).	Nashville, TN	04/02/1998	NAFTA–2,302	workshirts & coveralls (uniform apparel).
General Dynamics Defense Systems (IUE)	Pittsfield, MA	03/31/1998	NAFTA–2,303	transmissions.
Metex (Co.)	Edison, NJ	03/24/1998	NAFTA–2,304	seals for exhaust systems.
Penn Traffic (Wkrs)	Scranton, PA	04/01/1998	NAFTA–2,305	warehouse and distribution services.
Covington Industries (Co.)	OPP, AL	04/1/1998	NAFTA–2,306	jeans and trousers.
Westark Garments (Wkrs)	Magazine, AR	03/30/1998	NAFTA–2,307	coats.
Southport Aviation (Wkrs)	Kansas City, MO	03/31/1998	NAFTA–2,308	transportation services.
Harry G. Kramer III (Co.)	Pittsburgh, PA	04/03/1998	NAFTA–2,309	construction work.
North American Refractories (USWA)	Curwensville, PA	04/03/1998	NAFTA–2,310	refractories for steel.
B and W Manufacturing (Wkrs)	Indiana, PA	04/03/1998	NAFTA–2,311	women's skirts, denim pants, dress pants.
TRW Steering Wheel Systems (Co.)	Yaphank, NY	04/01/1998	NAFTA–2,312	steering wheels, airbag covers.
Champion Products (Co.)	Dunn, NC	04/01/1998	NAFTA–2,313	t-shirts, sweatshirts.
Applied United Industries (IAM)	Beloit, WI	04/02/1998	NAFTA–2,314	stainless steel tubular products.
Beloit Corporation (IAM)	Francis, WI	04/02/1998	NAFTA–2,315	pulp & papermaking machinery & systems.
Taylor Lumber & Treating (IAM)	Sheridan, OR	04/02/1998	NAFTA–2,316	dimensional lumber, beams.
Emerson Boot (Wkrs)	Cuba, MO	04/01/1998	NAFTA–2,317	english riding boots.
American West Trading (Co.)	Waverly, TN	04/01/1998	NAFTA–2,318	boots and shoes.
RAM Manufacturing (Co.)	Roanoke, AL	04/06/1998	NAFTA–2,319	women's jackets and vest.

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Eastman Kodak (Wkrs)	Rochester, NY	04/13/1998	NAFTA–2,320	CD writable data storage disks.
Garment Finishers International (Co.)	El Paso, TX	04/13/1998	NAFTA–2,321	stone washing of jeans, jackets, vests.
American Powder—Coatings (Wkrs)	El Paso, TX	04/08/1998	NAFTA–2,322	metal furniture (beds, chairs).
Walls Industries (Co.)	Hamilton, TX	04/07/1998	NAFTA–2,323	insulated clothing.
ADH Manufacturing (Co.)	Farner, TN	04/07/1998	NAFTA–2,324	ladies & childrens pants and tops.
T.L. Edwards (Co.)	Statesville, NC	04/08/1998	NAFTA–2,325	tank tops, knit t-shirts, sweatershirts.
Bugatti New England Leather (Wkrs)	Rocherster, NH	04/09/1998	NAFTA–2,326	Leather goods, bags, belts, etc.
Lone Star Cutting Services (Wkrs)	El Paso, TX	04/08/1998	NAFTA–2,327	cutting of pants, shorts.
Larcan—TTC (Co.)	Louisville, CO	04/09/1998	NAFTA–2,328	broadcast transmitters equipment.
Penske Logistics—Leaseway Trucking (IBT).	Reading, PA	04/06/1998	NAFTA–2,329	trucking.
Young Morgan Trucking (Co.)	Mill City, OR	04/09/1998	NAFTA–2,330	transport of lumber products.
Ocean Beauty (UFCW)	Astoria, OR	04/09/1998	NAFTA–2,331	bottom fish, crock, cod, snapper.
Northrop Grumman (Wkrs)	Fleetville, PA	04/10/1998	NAFTA–2,332	electronic components.
Procter and Gamble (Co.)	Greenville, SC	04/16/1998	NAFTA–2,333	prescription drugs.
Marshall Electric (Co.)	Rochester, IN	04/14/1998	NAFTA–2,334	automotive ignition coils.
American Cemwood (Co.)	Albany, OR	04/14/1998	NAFTA–2,335	wood fiber, cement product.
Springs Industries (UNITE)	Rock Hill, SC	04/16/1998	NAFTA–2,336	printed and finished textile fabrics.
Kaufman Footwear (Wkrs)	Dushore, PA	04/17/1998	NAFTA–2,337	nylon and leather boot uppers.
Johnson Wholesale (Wkrs)	Punta Gorda, FL	04/15/1998	NAFTA–2,338	distribution center.
Eagle Precision Technology (Co.)	Jackson, MI	04/02/1998	NAFTA–2,339	endforming equipment.
NEPECO (Co.)	Byron, WY	04/21/1998	NAFTA–2,340	oil.
DRS Ahead Technology (Co.)	Dassel, MN	04/20/1998	NAFTA–2,341	magnetic tape heads.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[NAFTA–02291]

Crown Pacific Crescent Creek Logging Gilchrist, OR; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Title V of the North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (P.L. 103–182) concerning transitional adjustment assistance, hereinafter called (NAFTA–TAA), and in accordance with Section 250(a), Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2273), an investigation was initiated on March 26, 1998 in response to a petition filed on behalf of workers at Crescent Creek Logging, located in Gilchrist, Oregon (NAFTA–02291).

The Department of Labor has determined that the petitioner is covered by an existing certification, as amended (NAFTA 02030B). Consequently, further investigation in this matter would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 23rd day of April 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[NAFTA—02266]

Intercraft, Mundelein, IL; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Title V of the North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (P.L. 103–183) concerning transitional adjustment assistance, hereinafter called (NAFTA–TAA), and in accordance with Section 250(a), Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2273), an investigation was initiated on March 18, 1998 in response to a petition filed on behalf of workers at Intercraft, Mundelein, Illinois (NAFTA–02089A).

The Department of Labor has determined that the petitioners are covered by an existing certification, as amended (NAFTA–02089A). Consequently, further investigation in this matter would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 24th day of April 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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[NAFTA–02144]

Powers Holdings, Incorporated Curtis Industries Division Milwaukee, WI; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for NAFTA-Transitional Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 250(a), Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2273), the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for NAFTA-Transitional Adjustment Assistance on April 8, 1998, applicable to all workers of Powers Holdings, Incorporated located in Burlington, Washington. The notice was will soon be published in the **Federal Register**.

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New findings on review show that there are two divisions of Powers Holdings operating at the Milwaukee plant. Workers, subject of the petition investigation, producing terminal blocks, along with some production of controls, RFI filters, and sockets are affiliated with the Curtis Industries Division of the subject firm. Accordingly, the Department is amending the adjustment assistance certification to reflect this matter.