

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Investigations Regarding Certifications of Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

Petitions have been filed with the Secretary of Labor under Section 221(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 (“the Act”) and are identified in the Appendix to this notice. Upon receipt of these petitions, the Director of the Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, has instituted investigations pursuant to Section 221(a) of the Act.

The purpose of each of the investigations is to determine whether the workers are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Title II, Chapter 2, of the Act. The investigations will further relate, as appropriate, to the determination of the date on which total or partial separations began or threatened to begin and the subdivision of the firm involved.

The petitioners or any other persons showing a substantial interest in the subject matter of the investigations may request a public hearing, provided such request is filed in writing with the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than August 29, 2005.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the

subject matter of the investigations to the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than August 29, 2005.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room C-5311, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC this 11th day of August 2005.

Timothy Sullivan,

Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX

[Petitions instituted between 07/25/2005 and 07/29/2005]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
57,612	Warvel Products, Inc. (Comp)	Linwood, NC	07/25/2005	07/19/2005
57,613	Advantek, Inc. (State)	Minnetonka, MN	07/25/2005	07/22/2005
57,614	EMP (AFLCIO)	Escanaba, MI	07/25/2005	07/13/2005
57,615	Alfred Paquette (Wkrs)	Los Angeles, CA	07/25/2005	07/13/2005
57,616	Bubblegum USA-DBA Komex (State)	Los Angeles, CA	07/26/2005	07/13/2005
57,617	Gemtron Corporation (Comp)	Holland, MI	07/26/2005	07/20/2005
57,618	Albemarle Knitting Corporation (Comp)	Albemarle, NC	07/26/2005	07/20/2005
57,619	National Spinning Co., LLC (Comp)	Whiteville, NC	07/26/2005	07/15/2005
57,620	International Manufacturing (Wkrs)	El Paso, TX	07/26/2005	07/20/2005
57,621	Abbott Laboratories (State)	North Chicago, IL	07/26/2005	07/26/2005
57,622	K and K (Comp)	Booneville, MS	07/27/2005	07/23/2005
57,623	Lambert of Arkansas (State)	Hughes, AR	07/27/2005	07/25/2005
57,624	Northwest Manufacturing Corp. (Wkrs)	Corry, PA	07/27/2005	07/26/2005
57,625	GST AutoLeather (Comp)	Williamsport, MD	07/27/2005	07/26/2005
57,626	Willowbrook Hoisery (Wkrs)	Burlington, NC	07/27/2005	07/26/2005
57,627	Clearwater Loader, Inc. (Wkrs)	Kinston, NC	07/27/2005	07/19/2005
57,628	Black Hawk Products Group (Comp)	Hayesville, NC	07/27/2005	07/22/2005
57,629	Vivitone, Inc. (State)	Paterson, NJ	07/27/2005	07/27/2005
57,630	Regal Ware, Inc. (PACE)	Kewaskum, WI	07/27/2005	07/27/2005
57,631	Brodnax Mills, Inc. (Comp)	Brodnax, VA	07/27/2005	06/29/2005
57,632	Guilford Mills, Inc. (Wkrs)	Pine Grove, PA	07/27/2005	07/18/2005
57,633	Corona Clipper, Inc. (Comp)	Corona, CA	07/28/2005	07/19/2005
57,634	General Henry Biscuit (State)	DuQuoin, IL	07/28/2005	07/25/2005
57,635	St. John Knits (State)	Alhambra, CA	07/28/2005	07/01/2005
57,636	Delafoil Ohio, Inc. (Comp)	Perrysburg, OH	07/28/2005	07/25/2005
57,637	Merck and Company (Wkrs)	Danville, PA	07/28/2005	07/28/2005
57,638	Selma Oak Flooring (State)	Tillar, AR	07/28/2005	07/28/2005
57,639	Bernhardt Furniture Company (Comp)	Shelby, NC	07/28/2005	07/28/2005
57,640	Molex, Inc. (State)	Lisle, IL	07/28/2005	07/28/2005
57,641	Ryobi Technologies (State)	Anderson, SC	07/28/2005	07/28/2005
57,642	Andrews Center (Wkrs)	Tyler, TX	07/29/2005	07/29/2005
57,643	Madeleine Manufacturing, Inc. (Comp)	Union, SC	07/29/2005	07/28/2005
57,644	Eastman Kodak Company (Comp)	Rochester, NY	07/29/2005	07/27/2005
57,645	Meridian Beartrack Company (Comp)	Salmon, ID	07/29/2005	07/25/2005
57,646	Mason Shoe Companies (NPU)	Chippewa Falls, WI	07/29/2005	07/28/2005
57,647	PPG Fiber Glass Products (Comp)	Shelby, NC	07/29/2005	07/28/2005
57,648	U.S. Textiles (Comp)	Newland, NC	07/29/2005	07/22/2005
57,649	Hoover Company (The) (IBEW)	North Canton, OH	07/29/2005	07/29/2005
57,650	Meromex USA, Inc. (Comp)	El Paso, TX	07/29/2005	07/21/2005

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Bureau of Labor Statistics****Business Research Advisory Council;
Notice of Renewal**

The Secretary of Labor has determined that re-establishment of the charter of the Business Research Advisory Council (BRAC) is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Commissioner of Labor Statistics by 29 U.S.C. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9. This determination follows consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration.

Name of Committee: Business Research Advisory Council.

Purpose and Objective: The Council presents advice and makes recommendations to the Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics from the perspective of the business community. The Council reviews Bureau programs, presents priorities for business users, suggests the addition of new programs, suggests changes in the emphasis of existing programs, and suggests dropping old programs. It also suggests alternative approaches for data collection and reporting.

Balanced Membership Plan: The BRAC membership is comprised of representatives from a broad perspective of the U.S. economy, with large and small companies represented as well as goods- and non-goods-producing industries. In order to maintain the independence and credibility of the advice, members of BRAC are designated by the Commissioner of Labor Statistics, under authorization from the Secretary of Labor, from nominations by the BRAC Membership Committee.

Duration: Continuing.

Agency Contact: Tracy Jack, 202-691-5869.

Signed in Washington, DC this 12th day of August, 2005.

Elaine L. Chao,

Secretary of Labor.

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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY
COMMISSION**

[Docket No. 50-263; ASLBP No. 05-841-02-LR]

**In the Matter of Nuclear Management
Company, LLC; Establishment of
Atomic Safety and Licensing Board**

Pursuant to delegation by the Commission dated December 29, 1972, published in the **Federal Register**, 37 FR 28,710 (1972), and the Commission's regulations, *see* 10 CFR 2.104, 2.300, 2.303, 2.309, 2.311, 2.318, and 2.321, notice is hereby given that an Atomic Safety and Licensing Board is being established to preside over the following proceeding:

**Nuclear Management Company, LLC
(Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant)**

This proceeding concerns a July 9, 2005 request for hearing submitted by petitioner North American Water Office, in response to a May 5, 2005 notice of opportunity for hearing, 70 FR 25,117 (May 12, 2005), regarding the March 16, 2005 application of Nuclear Management Company, LLC, (NMC) for renewal of the operating license for its Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant. In its application, NMC requests that the operating license for its Monticello facility be extended for an additional twenty years beyond the period specified in the current license, which expires on September 8, 2010.

The Board is comprised of the following administrative judges: Lawrence G. McDade, Chair, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001. Dr. Anthony J. Baratta, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001. Dr. Richard E. Wardwell, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

All correspondence, documents, and other materials shall be filed with the administrative judges in accordance with 10 CFR 2.302.

Issued at Rockville, Maryland, this 12th day of August 2005.

G. Paul Bollwerk, III,

Chief Administrative Judge, Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel.

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION**

[Release No. 34-52244; File No. SR-Amex-2005-026]

**Self-Regulatory Organizations;
American Stock Exchange LLC; Order
Granting Approval to Proposed Rule
Change Relating to Quotes in Nasdaq
UTP Stocks To Be Disseminated by
Amex Specialists before 9:30 a.m.**

August 11, 2005.

On February 24, 2005, the American Stock Exchange LLC ("Amex" or "Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act")¹ and Rule 19b-4 thereunder,² a proposed rule change to codify its existing practice of allowing indicative quotes in Nasdaq UTP stocks to be disseminated by specialists between 9:25 and 9:30 a.m. for testing purposes. On April 14, 2005, the Amex amended the proposed rule change.³ On May 26, 2005, the Amex amended the proposed rule change.⁴ The proposed rule change, as amended, was published for comment in the **Federal Register** on June 20, 2005.⁵ The Commission received no comments on the proposed rule change, as amended. This order approves the proposed rule change, as amended.

The Commission finds that the proposed rule change, as amended, is consistent with the requirements of the Act and the rules and regulations thereunder applicable to a national securities exchange⁶ and, in particular, the requirements of Section 6 of the Act⁷ and the rules and regulations thereunder. Specifically, the Commission believes the proposal to be consistent with Section 6(b)(5) of the Act,⁸ in that it is designed to prevent fraudulent and manipulative acts and practices, to promote just and equitable principles of trade, and, in general, to protect investors and the public interest. The Commission believes that by

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

³ In Amendment No. 1, the Exchange made minor, non-substantive changes to the text of the proposed rule change and filing.

⁴ In Amendment No. 2, the Exchange made minor, non-substantive changes to the text of the proposed rule change and filing.

⁵ *See* Securities Exchange Act Release No. 51834 (June 13, 2005), 70 FR 35466 (June 20, 2005) (SR-Amex-2005-026).

⁶ In approving this proposed rule change, as amended, the Commission has considered the proposed rule's impact on efficiency, competition, and capital formation. *See* 15 U.S.C. 78c(f).

⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78f.

⁸ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).