

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Investigations Regarding Certifications of Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance and Alternative Trade 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 June 4, 2007.

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 June 4, 2007.

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 15th day of May 2007.

Ralph DiBattista,

Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX

[TAA petitions instituted between 5/7/07 and 5/11/07]

| TA-W | Subject firm (petitioners) | Location | Date of institution | Date of petition |
|-------|---|-------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 61450 | Kentucky Derby Hosiery, Inc./Gildan Plant 3 (Comp) | Mt Airy, NC | 05/07/07 | 05/03/07 |
| 61451 | Irving Forest Products (Wkrs) | Strong, ME | 05/07/07 | 05/14/07 |
| 61452 | Commonwealth Home Fashions (Wkrs) | Willsboro, NY | 05/07/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61453 | Deckerville Metal Systems LLC (Comp) | Deckerville, MI | 05/07/07 | 04/30/07 |
| 61454 | Leader Manufacturing (Wkrs) | St. Louis, MO | 05/07/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61455 | Ogihara America Corportion (Comp) | Howell, MI | 05/07/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61456 | Brillcast Inc. (Comp) | Grand Rapids, MI | 05/07/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61457 | Featherlite Steel Division (Comp) | Shenandoah, IA | 05/07/07 | 05/03/07 |
| 61458 | S&S Plastics (Wkrs) | Hillside, NJ | 05/07/07 | 05/02/07 |
| 61459 | Honeywell Aerospace-Engines System Services (State) | Tucson, AZ | 05/07/07 | 05/01/07 |
| 61460 | Lozier Corporation (Comp) | Pittsburgh, PA | 05/07/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61461 | The Troxel Company (Comp) | West Point, MS | 05/07/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61462 | Tecumseh Products Company (Comp) | Tecumseh, MI | 05/07/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61463 | Leick Furniture (Wkrs) | Sheboygan, WI | 05/07/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61464 | Saint Gobain Performance Plastics (Comp) | Mundelein, IL | 05/08/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61465 | IIG DSS Technologies (Comp) | Fair Haven, MI | 05/08/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61466 | Twiss Associates (Wkrs) | Opelika, AL | 05/08/07 | 05/02/07 |
| 61467 | Federal Mogul (Wkrs) | Frankfort, IN | 05/08/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61468 | Duracell (Gillette) (Comp) | Lexington, nc | 05/08/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61469 | Southern Tool Mfg. Co. (Comp) | Winston-Salem, NC | 05/08/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61470 | General Motors Springhill Mfg. (UAW) | Springhill, TN | 05/08/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61471 | Bond Cote Corp (Wkrs) | Dublin, VA | 05/08/07 | 05/01/07 |
| 61472 | Strategic Distribution, Inc. (Wkrs) | Bristol, PA | 05/08/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61473 | ICT Group, Inc. (Wkrs) | Dubois, PA | 05/08/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61474 | Interface Fabrics, Inc. (Wkrs) | Elkin, NC | 05/08/07 | 05/04/07 |
| 61475 | Plastiflex (State) | Santa Ana, CA | 05/09/07 | 05/08/07 |
| 61476 | Eureka Manufacturing Company (Comp) | Norton, MA | 05/09/07 | 05/08/07 |
| 61477 | Gibraltar Industries (UAW) | Buffalo, NY | 05/09/07 | 05/08/07 |
| 61478 | Royal Home Fashions (Comp) | Oxford, NC | 05/09/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61479 | Maui Pineapple Company, Ltd (ILWU) | Kahului, HI | 05/09/07 | 05/08/07 |
| 61480 | Elston-Richards Inc. (Union) | Anderson, IN | 05/09/07 | 05/01/07 |
| 61481 | Continental Structural Plastics (Wkrs) | Carey, OH | 05/09/07 | 04/30/07 |
| 61482 | Avon Products, Inc. (Wkrs) | Cincinnati, OH | 05/09/07 | 04/24/07 |
| 61483 | GE Consumer Finance (Wkrs) | Kettering, OH | 05/09/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61484 | Intermet-Archer Creek (USWA) | Lynchburg, VA | 05/09/07 | 05/03/07 |
| 61485 | QRS Music Technologies, Inc. (Comp) | Seneca, PA | 05/09/07 | 05/01/07 |
| 61486 | Thompson Steel Company, Inc. (USWA) | Franklin Park, IL | 05/10/07 | 05/09/07 |
| 61487 | Pennsylvania House Showroom (Wkrs) | Hickory, NC | 05/10/07 | 05/09/07 |
| 61488 | Webb Furniture (Comp) | Galax, VA | 05/10/07 | 05/09/07 |
| 61489 | Lake Region Manufacturing (State) | Chaska, MN | 05/10/07 | 05/09/07 |
| 61490 | Cooper Manufacturing Company (State) | Searcy, AR | 05/10/07 | 05/09/07 |
| 61491 | Decor Originals, Inc. (Comp) | Conover, NC | 05/10/07 | 05/09/07 |
| 61492 | Woodward Controls, Inc. (Comp) | Niles, IL | 05/10/07 | 05/09/07 |
| 61493 | Alsco Ind. Inc. (Comp) | Sturbridge, MA | 05/10/07 | 05/09/07 |
| 61494 | Vanity Fair Brands, LP (Comp) | Monroeville, AL | 05/11/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61495 | Irvin Automotive Products, Inc. (Wkrs) | Pontiac, MI | 05/11/07 | 05/07/07 |
| 61496 | M&K Textiles, Inc. (Comp) | Moultrie, GA | 05/11/07 | 05/10/07 |

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|-------|---|----------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 61497 | Sentinel Consumer Products, Inc. (Comp) | Mentor, OH | 05/11/07 | 05/10/07 |
| 61498 | Sentinel Consumer Products, Inc. (Comp) | Anniston, AL | 05/11/07 | 05/10/07 |
| 61499 | Sentinel Consumer Products, Inc. (Comp) | Clearfield, UT | 05/11/07 | 05/10/07 |
| 61500 | Lancaster Glass Corporation (USW) | Lancaster, OH | 05/11/07 | 04/17/07 |
| 61501 | Visteon Regional Assembly and Mfg., LLC (Union) | Chesapeake, VA | 05/11/07 | 05/10/07 |

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Employment and Training Administration****Notice of Determinations Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance and Alternative Trade Adjustment Assistance**

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2273) the Department of Labor herein presents summaries of determinations regarding eligibility to apply for trade adjustment assistance for workers (TA-W) number and alternative trade adjustment assistance (ATAA) by (TA-W) number issued during the period of *May 7 through May 11, 2007*.

In order for an affirmative determination to be made for workers of a primary firm and a certification issued regarding eligibility to apply for worker adjustment assistance, each of the group eligibility requirements of Section 222(a) of the Act must be met.

I. Section (a)(2)(A), all of the following must be satisfied:

A. A significant number or proportion of the workers in such workers' firm, or an appropriate subdivision of the firm, have become totally or partially separated, or are threatened to become totally or partially separated;

B. The sales or production, or both, of such firm or subdivision have decreased absolutely; and

C. Increased imports of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by such firm or subdivision have contributed importantly to such workers' separation or threat of separation and to the decline in sales or production of such firm or subdivision; or

II. Section (a)(2)(B), both of the following must be satisfied:

A. A significant number or proportion of the workers in such workers' firm, or an appropriate subdivision of the firm, have become totally or partially

separated, or are threatened to become totally or partially separated;

B. There has been a shift in production by such workers' firm or subdivision to a foreign country of articles like or directly competitive with articles which are produced by such firm or subdivision; and

C. One of the following must be satisfied:

1. The country to which the workers' firm has shifted production of the articles is a party to a free trade agreement with the United States;

2. The country to which the workers' firm has shifted production of the articles to a beneficiary country under the Andean Trade Preference Act, African Growth and Opportunity Act, or the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act; or

3. There has been or is likely to be an increase in imports of articles that are like or directly competitive with articles which are or were produced by such firm or subdivision.

Also, in order for an affirmative determination to be made for secondarily affected workers of a firm and a certification issued regarding eligibility to apply for worker adjustment assistance, each of the group eligibility requirements of Section 222(b) of the Act must be met.

(1) Significant number or proportion of the workers in the workers' firm or an appropriate subdivision of the firm have become totally or partially separated, or are threatened to become totally or partially separated;

(2) The workers' firm (or subdivision) is a supplier or downstream producer to a firm (or subdivision) that employed a group of workers who received a certification of eligibility to apply for trade adjustment assistance benefits and such supply or production is related to the article that was the basis for such certification; and

(3) Either—

(A) The workers' firm is a supplier and the component parts it supplied for the firm (or subdivision) described in paragraph (2) accounted for at least 20 percent of the production or sales of the workers' firm; or

(B) A loss of business by the workers' firm with the firm (or subdivision) described in paragraph (2) contributed importantly to the workers' separation or threat of separation.

In order for the Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance to issue a certification of eligibility to apply for Alternative Trade Adjustment Assistance (ATAA) for older workers, the group eligibility requirements of Section 246(a)(3)(A)(ii) of the Trade Act must be met.

1. Whether a significant number of workers in the workers' firm are 50 years of age or older.

2. Whether the workers in the workers' firm possess skills that are not easily transferable.

3. The competitive conditions within the workers' industry (i.e., conditions within the industry are adverse).

Affirmative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance

The following certifications have been issued. The date following the company name and location of each determination references the impact date for all workers of such determination.

The following certifications have been issued. The requirements of section 222(a)(2)(A) (increased imports) of the Trade Act have been met.

TA-W-61, 241; *Navisa, Inc., Brenham, TX: April 2, 2006.*

TA-W-61, 254; *American and Efirid, Inc., dba Robison Anton Textile Company, Fairview Division, Fairview, NJ: April 5, 2006.*

The following certifications have been issued. The requirements of Section 222(a)(2)(B) (shift in production) of the Trade Act have been met.

TA-W-61, 162; *Hoffman LaRoche, Inc., Quality Management—Analytical Development Division, Nutley, NJ: March 20, 2006.*

TA-W-61, 230; *Transwitch Corporation, Reference Systems Development Department, Shelton, CT: March 27, 2006.*

The following certifications have been issued. The requirements of Section