production, or both, did not decline) and (a)(2)(B)(II.B.) (shift in production to a foreign country) have not been met.

TA-W-64,017; The News Messenger, Graphics Department, Fremont, WI

The investigation revealed that criteria (a)(2)(A)(I.C.) (increased imports) and (a)(2)(B)(II.B.) (shift in production to a foreign country) have not been met.

- TA-W-63,098; Ineos-Nova, LLC, Belpre, CT
- TA-W-64,001; Fleetwood Travel Trailers of Oregon, Inc., La Grande, MI
- TA-W-64,124; Certified Metal Finishing, Benton Harbor, TN
- TA-W-64,172; Zippo Manufacturing Company, Bradford, NC
- TA-W-64,194; Formica Corporation, Evendale, MI
- TA-W-64,208; Anchor Glass Container Corporation, Zanesville Mould Division, Zanesville, NC
- TA-W-64,364; Westlake USA, Inc., A Subsidiary of Glabman-Himes, High Point, TN

The workers' firm does not produce an article as required for certification under Section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974.

- TA-W-64,205; The Ohio Heart and Vascular Center, Transcription Department, Cincinnati, OH
- TA-W-64,272; The Nielsen Company (US), LLC, Fond du Lac, MA

The investigation revealed that criteria of Section 222(b)(2) has not been met. The workers' firm (or subdivision) is not a supplier to or a downstream producer for a firm whose workers were certified eligible to apply for TAA.

None.

I hereby certify that the aforementioned determinations were issued during the period of November 17 through November 21, 2008. Copies of these determinations are available for inspection in Room C–5311, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210 during normal business hours or will be mailed to persons who write to the above address.

Dated: December 3, 2008.

Erin Fitzgerald,

Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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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 *November 24 through November 28, 2008.*

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-64,304; American Die Corporation, Chesterfield, MI: October 10, 2007

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

None.

The following certifications have been issued. The requirements of section 222(b) (supplier to a firm whose workers are certified eligible to apply for TAA) of the Trade Act have been met.

The following certifications have been issued. The requirements of section 222(b) (downstream producer for a firm whose workers are certified eligible to apply for TAA based on increased imports from or a shift in production to Mexico or Canada) of the Trade Act have been met.

Affirmative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance and Alternative Trade 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) and section 246(a)(3)(A)(ii) of the Trade Act have been met.

- TA-W-63,880; Cequent Electrical Products, Inc., Tekonsha, MI: August 6, 2007
- TA-W-64,255; Hoffman/New Yorker, Inc., Dushore, PA: October 17, 2007
- TA-W-64,206; Hutchinson FTS, Inc., Reading, MI: October 9, 2007
- TA-W-64,233; Sun Mountain Lumber, Inc., Deer Lodge, MT: October 14, 2007
- TA-W-64,319A; McConkey and McConkey Machinery, Englewood, TN: October 28, 2007
- TA-W-64,319; Allied Hosiery Mill, Inc., Englewood, TN: October 28, 2007
- TA-W-64,153; Hart Schaffner and Marx dba Thorngate, Ltd; A Subsidiary of Hartmarx Corporation, Cape Girardeau, MO: September 30, 2007

The following certifications have been issued. The requirements of section 222(a)(2)(B) (shift in production) and section 246(a)(3)(A)(ii) of the Trade Act have been met.

- TA-W-64,083; American Axle and Manufacturing, Detroit Manufacturing Complex, Detroit, MI: September 16, 2007
- TA-W-64,118; Lincoln Brass Works, Inc., dba Mueller Gas Products, Jacksboro, TN: September 25, 2007
- TA-W-64,161; Titus Tool Co., Inc., Kent, WA: October 1, 2007
- TA-W-64,219; GKN Sinter Metals, Sinter Metals Division, Emporium, PA: October 3, 2007
- TA-W-64,229A; Hanesbrand, Inc., Formerly known as Sara Lee Branded Apparel, Forest City, NC: October 5, 2007
- TA-W-64,229B; Hanesbrand, Inc., Formerly known as Sara Lee Branded Apparel, Gastonia, NC: October 5, 2007
- TA-W-64,229C; Hanesbrand, Inc., Formerly known as Sara Lee Branded Apparel, Rockingham, NC: October 5, 2007
- TA-W-64,229; Hanesbrand, Inc., Formerly known as Sara Lee Branded Apparel, Eden, NC: October 5, 2007
- TA-W-64,265; Cooper-Crouse-Hinds, Cooper Interconnect Division, LaGrange, NC: October 16, 2007
- TA-W-64,276; American Safety Razor Co./Personna; Industrial/Medical Division, Verona, VA: October 23, 2007
- TA-W-64,356; Union Apparel, Inc., Norvelt, PA: November 4, 2007
- TA-W-64,400; Lincolnton Manufacturing, Inc., A Subsidiary of Century Place, Lincolnton, NC: November 11, 2007
- TA-W-64,427A; Worldtex, Inc., Greensboro Corporate Office, Greensboro, NC: November 13, 2007
- TA-W-64,427; Worldtex, Inc., Hickory Corporate Office, Hickory, NC: November 13, 2007
- TA-W-64,483; Fisher and Company, Inc., Corporate Office, St. Clair Shores, MI: November 19, 2007
- TA-W-64,350; Omega Motion, A Subsidiary of Legget and Platt, Inc., Saltillo, MS: November 3, 2007
- TA-W-64,261; LexisNexis; Elsevier Dayton IT Division, Miamisburg, OH: October 16, 2007
- TA-W-64,266; Katun Corporation, Environmental Business Systems Division, Austin, TX: October 21, 2007
- TA-W-64,283; STEC, Inc., Santa Ana, CA: October 22, 2007
- TA-W-64,438; Boston Scientific, Interventional Technologies Division, Murrieta, CA: November 12, 2007
- TA-W-64,476; Iowa Precision Industries, TDC Division, Cedar Rapids, IA: November 13, 2007

The following certifications have been issued. The requirements of section 222(b) (supplier to a firm whose workers are certified eligible to apply for TAA) and section 246(a)(3)(A)(ii) of the Trade Act have been met.

- TA-W-64,264; General Motors Corporation, Pittsburgh Metal Center, West Mifflin, PA: October 22, 2007
- TA-W-64,399; JC Tec Industries, Annville, KY: November 10, 2007
- TA-W-64,419; ATC Panels, Inc., Franklin, VA: November 12, 2007
- TA-W-64,456; ILPea, Inc., A Subsidiary of Holm Industries, Fort Smith, AR: October 13, 2008.

The following certifications have been issued. The requirements of section 222(b) (downstream producer for a firm whose workers are certified eligible to apply for TAA based on increased imports from or a shift in production to Mexico or Canada) and section 246(a)(3)(A)(ii) of the Trade Act have been met.

None.

Negative Determinations for Alternative Trade Adjustment Assistance

In the following cases, it has been determined that the requirements of 246(a)(3)(A)(ii) have not been met for the reasons specified.

The Department has determined that criterion (1) of section 246 has not been met. The firm does not have a significant number of workers 50 years of age or older.

TA-W-64,304; American Die Corporation, Chesterfield, MI

The Department has determined that criterion (2) of section 246 has not been met. Workers at the firm possess skills that are easily transferable.

None.

The Department has determined that criterion (3) of section 246 has not been met. Competition conditions within the workers' industry are not adverse.

None.

Negative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance and Alternative Trade Adjustment Assistance

In the following cases, the investigation revealed that the eligibility criteria for worker adjustment assistance have not been met for the reasons specified.

Because the workers of the firm are not eligible to apply for TAA, the workers cannot be certified eligible for ATAA.

The investigation revealed that criteria (a)(2)(A)(I.A.) and (a)(2)(B)(II.A.) (employment decline) have not been met.

TA-W-64,195; Enefco USA, Inc., Auburn, ME

The investigation revealed that criteria (a)(2)(A)(I.B.) (Sales or production, or both, did not decline) and (a)(2)(B)(II.B.) (shift in production to a foreign country) have not been met. *None*.

The investigation revealed that criteria (a)(2)(A)(I.C.) (increased imports) and (a)(2)(B)(II.B.) (shift in production to a foreign country) have not been met.

TA-W-63,981; Prime Tanning Company, Inc., Berwick, ME TA-W-64,145; Flakeboard America, LLC; Simsboro, LA

TA-W-64,214; KDH Defense Systems, Inc., Carmichaels, PA

TA-W-64,246; BorgWarner Morse Tech, Inc., Transmission Components, Ithaca, NY

TA-W-64,252; Lear Corporation; Seating Systems Division, Wentzville, MO

The workers' firm does not produce an article as required for certification under section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974.

TA-W-64,190; Hafner USA, Inc., New York. NY

TA-W-64,394; Ameriprise Financial, Inc., Service Delivery, Online Documentation, Minneapolis, MN

TA-W-64,473; Magnolia Garment Corporation, Tylertown, MS

The investigation revealed that criteria of section 222(b)(2) has not been met. The workers' firm (or subdivision) is not a supplier to or a downstream

producer for a firm whose workers were certified eligible to apply for TAA.

None.

I hereby certify that the aforementioned determinations were issued during the period of *November 24 through November 28, 2008.* Copies of these determinations are available for inspection in Room C–5311, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210 during normal business hours or will be mailed to persons who write to the above address.

Dated: December 3, 2008.

Erin FitzGerald,

Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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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 December 22, 2008.

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 December 22, 2008.

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 26th day of November 2008.

Erin Fitzgerald,

Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX

[TAA petitions instituted between 11/10/08 and 11/14/08]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
64372	Mitsubishi Motors Manufacturing (Union)	Normal, IL	11/10/08	11/06/08
64373	Whirlpool (Wkrs)	Milan, TN	11/10/08	11/04/08
64374	G.E. Healthcare, Verification-Validation Dept. (State)	Seattle, WA	11/10/08	11/04/08
64375	Emerson Network Power (Comp)	Lorain, OH	11/10/08	11/07/08
64376	Johnson Controls, Inc. (State)	Suwanee, GA	11/10/08	11/05/08
64377	Ryder (State)	Norcross, GA	11/10/08	11/05/08
64378	Hancock Company/DBA Gitman & Co/IAG (Comp)	Ashland, PA	11/10/08	11/07/08
64379	Chole Hersee Company (Comp)	So. Boston, MA	11/10/08	11/05/08
64380	Alcoa Rockdale Operations (USW)	Rockdale, TX	11/10/08	11/06/08
64381	Metlife Insurance (Wkrs)	Tulsa, OK	11/10/08	11/07/08
64382	Blumenthal Mills (Wkrs)	Marion, SC	11/10/08	11/07/08
64383	IBM (State)	Hopewell Junction, NY	11/10/08	11/04/08
64384	Timken Company (State)	Dahlonega, GA	11/10/08	11/05/08
64385	Android Industries, LLC (State)	Norcross, GA	11/10/08	11/05/08
64386	Victaulic (USW)	Easton, PA	11/10/08	11/03/08
64387	U.S.G. (Wkrs)	Cloquet, MN	11/10/08	10/27/08
64388	Foam Fabricators, Inc. (State)	Forrest City, AR	11/10/08	11/07/08
64389	A. Schulman, Inc. (Wkrs)	Sharon Center, OH	11/10/08	10/17/08
64390	Sensata Technologies, Inc. (Comp)	Brownsville, TX	11/10/08	11/05/08
64391	Harris Stratex Networks (Comp)	San Antonio, TX	11/10/08	11/06/08
64392	Columbus McKinnon (Wkrs)	Lexington, TN	11/10/08	10/30/08
64393	Nikko America (Comp)	Dallas, TX	11/12/08	10/15/08
64394	Ameriprise Financial Incorporated (Wkrs)	Minneapolis, MN	11/12/08	10/31/08
64395	Armstrong Hardwood Flooring Company (IBT)	Beverly, WV	11/12/08	11/10/08