

Submission #940003 or #940004 may do so by filing written statements or briefs with the NAO, which must be received by February 1. Persons desiring to present oral testimony at a hearing must submit a request in writing at the time the written statement or brief is filed. Separate documents should be filed for each submission for which information is provided or permission to testify is sought.

**ADDRESSES:** The hearings will be held in San Antonio, Texas, at a location to be announced. Written statements or briefs and requests to present oral testimony may be mailed or hand delivered to the U.S. National Administrative Office, Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room C-4327, Washington, DC 20210.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Irasema T. Garza, Secretary, U.S. National Administrative Office, Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room C-4327, Washington, DC 20210. Telephone: (202) 501-6653 (this is not a toll-free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Nature and Conduct of Hearings**

As set out in the notices published in the **Federal Register** on October 20 and November 10, 1994, the objective of the NAO's review of the submissions is to gather information to assist it to better understand and publicly report on the Government of Mexico's promotion of compliance with, and effective enforcement of, its labor law through appropriate government action, as set out in Article 3 of the NAALC, and on related matters.

The hearings will be conducted by the Secretary of the NAO or the Secretary's designee. They will be open to the public. All proceedings will be conducted in English, with simultaneous translation provided. The public file for each submission, including written statements, briefs, and requests to present oral testimony, will be made a part of the appropriate hearing record. The public files will also be available for inspection at the NAO prior to the hearings.

The hearings will be transcribed. A transcript of the proceedings will be made available for inspection, as provided for in Section E of the procedural guidelines, or may be purchased from the reporting company.

Disabled persons should contact the Secretary of the NAO no later than January 30, 1995 if special accommodations are needed.

**II. Written Statements or Briefs and Requests To Present Oral Testimony**

Written statements or briefs shall provide a discussion of the information presented or position taken and shall be legibly typed or printed. Requests to present oral testimony shall include the name, address, and telephone number of the witness, the organization represented, if any, and any other information pertinent to the request. Five copies of a statement or brief and a single copy of a request to present oral testimony shall be submitted to the NAO at the time of filing. Separate documents should be filed for each submission for which information is provided or permission to testify is sought.

No request to present oral testimony will be considered unless accompanied by a written statement or brief. A request to present oral testimony may be denied if the written statement or brief suggests that the information sought to be provided is unrelated to the review of the submission or for other appropriate reasons. The NAO will notify each requester of the disposition of the request to present oral testimony.

In presenting testimony, the witness should summarize the written statement or brief, may supplement the written statement or brief with relevant information, and should be prepared to answer questions from the Secretary of the NAO or the Secretary's designee. Oral testimony will ordinarily be limited to a ten minute presentation, not including the time for questions. Persons desiring more than ten minutes for their presentation should so state in the request, setting out reasons why additional time is necessary.

The requirements relating to the submission of written statements or briefs and requests to present oral testimony may be waived by the Secretary of the NAO for reasons of equity and the public interest.

Signed at Washington, DC, on January 9, 1995.

**Irasema T. Garza,**

*Secretary, U.S. National Administrative Office.*

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**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(a) 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 Director of the Office of 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 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 Director of OTAA at the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) in Washington, D.C., provided such request is filed in writing with the Director of OTAA not later than January 23, 1995.

Also, interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the petitions to the Director of OTAA at the address shown below not later than January 23, 1995.

Petitions filed with the Governors are available for inspection at the Office of the Director, OTAA, ETA, DOL, Room C-4318, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 3rd day of January, 1995.

**Victor J. Trunzo,**

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

APPENDIX

Petitioner (union/workers/firm)	Location	Date received at governor's office	Petition No.	Articles produced
Brookshire Knitting Mills (ILGW) .....	Dallas, TX .....	12/05/94	NAFTA-00295 ..	Knit clothing; sweaters, skirts, pants, blouses, dresses.
Mac Tool; of Stanley Work (USAW) .....	Washington, OH .....	12/02/94	NAFTA-00296 ..	Hand tools for professional mechanics.
D&R Lumber Corporation; dba Blaney Lumber & Mfg. (Co.) .....	Bethesda, OH .....	12/02/94	NAFTA-00297 ..	Rough lumber and logs.
Carter-Wallace, Inc; Wampole (OCAW) .....	East Windsor, NJ ...	12/05/94	NAFTA-00298 ..	Diagnostic aides.
BEST Shingle Co. (Workers) .....	Aberdeen, WA .....	12/05/94	NAFTA-00299 ..	Western red cedar products (ie. shingles).
Woods Geophysical, Inc. (Co.) .....	Mt. Pleasant, MI .....	12/02/94	NAFTA-00300 ..	Geophysical processing for oil and gas exploration.
Asten Dryer Fabrics, Inc. (Co.) .....	Salem, OR .....	12/06/94	NAFTA-00301 ..	Paper machine clothing (industrial product) for paper making.
Washington Public Power Supply system (OCAW) .....	Richland, WA .....	12/07/94	NAFTA-00302 ..	Electricity.
Iowa Assemblies, Inc.; Lucas Products (Workers) .....	Lucas, IA .....	12/05/94	NAFTA-00303 ..	Automotive wire harnesses, wire assemblies.
Crouzet Corporation; Gordes Division (Workers) .....	Rogers, AR .....	12/12/94	NAFTA-00304 ..	Industrial controls (ie. solid state relays).
Hospitak Inc. (Workers) .....	Lindenhurst, NY .....	12/13/94	NAFTA-00305 ..	Disposable respiratory medical devices (ie. oxygen tubes, masks, and other breathing equipment).
Pigeon Manufacturing (Workers) .....	Troy, MI .....	12/13/94	NAFTA-00306 ..	Truck parts.
H. Grabell & Sons, Inc. (Workers) .....	Paterson, NJ .....	12/14/94	NAFTA-00307 ..	Lamp shades.
A.B. Chance Company; Parkersburg Plant (ABGW) .....	Parkersburg, WV ...	12/16/94	NAFTA-00308 ..	Porcelain electrical insulators.
Eutectic Corporation (Workers) .....	Flushing, NY .....	12/12/94	NAFTA-00309 ..	Spray powders, fluxes, and trodes.
Tennessee Valley Steel (USW) .....	Rockwood, TN .....	12/19/94	NAFTA-00310 ..	Steel reinforcement bars, angles, flats, squares, and rounds.
Indiana Sportwear and Columbus Sportswea (IGA) .....	Clinton, IN .....	12/19/94	NAFTA-00311 ..	Women's tailored sportswear.
Frigidaire Co.; Microwave Division (Workers) .....	Dalton, GA .....	12/20/94	NAFTA-00312 ..	Electric microwave ovens (small).
Yocom Knitting (ACTWU) .....	Stowe, PA .....	12/20/94	NAFTA-00313 ..	T-shirts.
Gannett Outdoor Co.; Advertising Div. (Workers) .....	Denver, CO .....	12/20/94	NAFTA-00314 ..	Hand painted billboard faces.
Mobil Chemical; Commercial Films (Workers) .....	Maccoon, NY .....	12/20/94	NAFTA-00315 ..	PXS film (saran coated, polypropylene film).
Ansell Pacific, Inc.; Pacific Dunlop, Inc. (Workers) .....	Salem, OR .....	12/20/94	NAFTA-00316 ..	Natural rubber latex gloves for nuclear, industrial and electronic use.
Nelson Yacht Corporation; Snohomish (Co.) .....	Snohomish, WA .....	12/20/94	NAFTA-00317 ..	Custom built yachts.

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**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 Office 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, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than January 23, 1995.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than January 23, 1995.

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

Signed at Washington, DC this 19th day of December, 1994.

**Victor J. Trunzo,**  
Program Manager, Policy & Reemployment Services.

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H. Grabell & Sons, Inc (Workers) .....	Paterson, NJ .....	12/19/94	12/06/94	30,565	Lamp shades.