

and Relationships; and (8) Financial Background, Financial Security, and Budget Systems.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Mr. Charles A. Richards, Designated Federal Official, Secretary of Labor's Task Force on Excellence in State and Local Government through Labor-Management Cooperation, U.S. Department of Labor, Room S-2203, Washington, DC 20210, (202) 219-6231.

Signed at Washington, DC this 16th day of June 1995.

Robert B. Reich,
Secretary of Labor.

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Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-31,038]

Baras Jersey, Incorporated, New York, New York; Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 USC 2273) as amended by the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act of 1988 (P. L. 100-418), the Department of Labor herein presents the results of an investigation regarding certification of eligibility to apply for worker adjustment assistance.

In order to make an affirmative determination and issue a certification of eligibility to apply for adjustment assistance each of the group eligibility requirements of Section 222 of the Act must be met. It is determined in this case that all of the requirements have been met.

The investigation was initiated in response to a petition received on April 10, 1995 and filed on behalf of workers at Baras Jersey, Incorporated, New York, New York. The workers manufactured and sold knitted cloth.

The investigation revealed that knitted cloth produced by Baras Jersey, Incorporated, New York, New York is marketed through normal retail channels. Thus, the articles manufactured by the subject firm have been impacted importantly by the high penetration of imports into this market.

U.S. imports of cotton print cloth increased absolutely in 1993, compared to 1992, and increased absolutely in the twelve-month period through June 1994 compared to the same period in 1993. In the twelve-month period ended June

1994, the ratio of imports to domestic production was more than 143%.

Conclusion

After careful review of the facts obtained in the investigation, I conclude that increases of imports of articles like or directly competitive with knitted cloth produced at Baras Jersey, Incorporated, New York, New York contributed importantly to the decline in sales or production and to the total or partial separation of workers of that firm. In accordance with the provisions of the Act, I make the following certification:

All workers of Baras Jersey, Incorporated, New York, New York who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after March 27, 1994 through two years from the date of certification are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 31st day of May, 1995.

Victor J. Trunzo,

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

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[TA-W-30,838]

Black Box Corporation of Pennsylvania, Lawrence, PA

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 USC 2273) the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on May 8, 1995, applicable to all workers at Black Box Corporation of Pennsylvania located in Lawrence, Pennsylvania. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on May 25, 1995 (60 FR 27793).

The Company requested that the Department review its certification for workers of the subject firm. New information received from the company shows that only the workers involved in the production of active devices, manual switches, and cables were adversely affected by increased imports. Accordingly, the Department is limiting its certification to only those workers at Black Box Corporation of Pennsylvania engaged in employment related to the production of active devices, manual switches, and cables, and revoking the certification for all workers.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include only those workers of Black Box Corporation of

Pennsylvania who were adversely affected by imports.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-30,838 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Black Box Corporation of Pennsylvania, Lawrence, Pennsylvania engaged in employment related to the production of active devices, manual switches, and cables who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after March 3, 1994 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 9th day of June 1995.

Victor J. Trunzo,

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

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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 July 3, 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 July 3, 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, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 12th day of June, 1995.

Victor J. Trunzo,

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

APPENDIX

Petitioner (union/workers/firm)	Location	Date received	Date of petition	Petition No.	Articles produced
Dante Fashions (ILGWU)	Jeannette, PA	06/12/95	05/22/95	31,117	Women's Pants and Skirts.
Lockhart (Milliken Plant) (Wkrs)	Spartanburg, SC	06/12/95	05/24/95	31,118	Yarn and Fabric.
Wirekraft Industries, Inc. (Co)	Cardington, OH	06/12/95	05/26/95	31,119	Electrical Wiring Harnesses.
Durez Div. Occidental Chemical Corp (Co/Wkr).	North Tonawanda, NY.	06/12/95	05/19/95	31,120	Phenolic Resins & Molding Compounds.
Standard Pennant Co., Inc. (Wkrs)	Big Run, PA	06/12/95	06/02/95	31,121	Chenille Jackets & Clothing Items.
Medalist Apparel, Inc. (Wkrs)	Reading, PA	06/12/95	05/30/95	31,122	Men & Women's Knitted Turtlenecks.
N.B. Co., Inc. (Co)	Russell, KS	06/12/95	05/31/95	31,123	Oil Well Drilling.
Great Bear Industries (Wkrs)	Cross City, FL	06/12/95	06/02/95	31,124	Boy's, Women & Men Slacks.
Market Manufacturing Co., Inc. (Co)	Moxley, GA	06/12/95	05/24/95	31,125	Industrial Work Shirts.
Sikorsky Aircraft (Wkrs)	Stratford, CT	06/12/95	05/10/95	31,126	Flight Mechanics.
Norcross Footwear, Inc. (Co)	Paterson, NJ	06/12/95	06/06/95	31,127	Hipper, Chest Wader, and Boots.

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Notice of Determinations Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance and NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, the Department of Labor herein presents summaries of determinations regarding eligibility to apply for trade adjustment assistance for workers (TA-W) issued during the period of June, 1995.

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

(1) that a significant number or proportion of the workers in the workers' firm, or an appropriate subdivision thereof, have become totally or partially separated,

(2) that sales or production, or both, of the firm or subdivision have decreased absolutely, and

(3) that increases of imports of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by the firm or appropriate subdivision have contributed importantly to the separations, or threat thereof, and to the absolute decline in sales or production.

Negative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In each of the following cases the investigation revealed that criterion (3) has not been met. A survey of customers indicated that increased imports did not

contribute importantly to worker separations at the firm.

TA-W-30,907; EVI Highland, Odessa, TX

TA-W-30,908; EVI Highland, Oklahoma City, OK

TA-W-30,877; Bogart Graphics, Erie, PA

TA-W-31,094; Upper Peninsula Power Co., Houghton, MI

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

TA-W-31,029; OSRAM Sylvania, Inc., Credit Dept., Camillus, NY

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

TA-W-30,990; Haskon International, Inc., Taunton, MA

Increased imports did not contribute importantly to worker separations at the firm.

TA-W-30,981; Continental Emsco Co., Duratech Div., Garland, TX

Aggregate US imports of oil well and oil field pumps were negligible through April, 1995.

TA-W-31,033; Atlantic Bouquet, Secaucus, NJ

Increased imports did not contribute importantly to worker separations at the firm.

TA-W-31,059; King Design, Inc., Eugene, OR

Increased imports did not contribute importantly to worker separations at the firm.

TA-W-30,987; Wind "A" Way Concepts, Livingston, TN

The investigation revealed that criterion (2) and (3) have not been met. Sales or production did not decline during the relevant period as required

for certification. Increases of imports of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by the firm or appropriate subdivision have not contributed importantly to the separations or threat thereof, and the absolute decline in sales or production.

Affirmative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance

TA-W-31,016; American Design and Fashions, Inc., Passaic, NJ

A certification was issued covering all workers separated on or after May 2, 1994,

TA-W-31,009; Mel Coat, Weehawken, NJ

A certification was issued covering all workers separated on or after April 26, 1994.

TA-W-30,917; Brunswick Defense, Costa Mesa, CA

A certification was issued covering all workers separated on or after April 2, 1994.

TA-W-30,997; Nabors Drilling USA, Inc., New Braunfels, TX

A certification was issued covering all workers separated on or after April 20, 1994.

TA-W-30,935; Travelers Insurance, Naperville, IL

A certification was issued covering all workers separated on or after April 4, 1994.

TA-W-30,916; Industrial Ceramics, Inc., Derry, PA

A certification was issued covering all workers separated on or after March 27, 1994.

TA-W-30,964; Marconi Technologies, Inc., Lancaster, PA