

Worker Adjustment Assistance on July 24, 1997, applicable to all workers of Anvil Knitwear, Incorporated, Aynor, South Carolina. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on September 4, 1997 (62 FR 46775).

At the request of the petitioners, the Department reviewed the certification for workers on the subject firm. The workers are engaged in employment related to the production of T-shirts and tank tops. New information provided by the company shows that worker separations occurred at the subject firm's Gibson, North Carolina facility when it closed in September, 1997. The workers are engaged in employment related to the production of T-shirts. Accordingly, the Department is amending the certification to cover workers of Anvil Knitwear, Incorporated, Gibson, North Carolina.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Anvil Knitwear, Incorporated adversely affected by increased imports.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-33,665 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Anvil Knitwear, Incorporated, Aynor, South Carolina (TA-W-33,665) and Gibson, North Carolina (TA-W-33,665A) who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after May 24, 1996 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC this 14th day of October, 1997.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-32,949; TA-W-32,950]

Barclay Home Products; Cherokee, North Carolina and Robbinsville, North Carolina; Notice of Revised Determination on Reconsideration

On June 13, 1997, the Department issued an Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration, applicable to workers and former workers of Barclay Home Products located in Cherokee and Robbinsville, North Carolina. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on June 27, 1997 (62 FR 34712).

The petitioner presented evidence that the Department's survey of the

subject firm's customers was incomplete.

The initial determination reported that the workers at the subject firm produced quilted comforters. New information provided to the Department on reconsideration reveals that the workers at the subject firm plants in Cherokee and Robbinsville, North Carolina were also producing quilts and quilt ensembles. The workers producing quilted comforters, quilts and quilt ensembles are not separately identifiable by product.

New information provided by the subject firm show that sales and production of quilts and quilt ensembles declined during the time period relevant to the investigation. Employment declined to zero when the subject firm plants closed in December 1996.

The quantity of aggregate U.S. imports of quilts increased from 1995 to 1996 and in the twelve month time period of July through June 1997 compared to the same twelve month time period of 1996. The value of aggregate U.S. imports of quilts declined from 1995 to 1996, but increased in the twelve month time period of July through June 1997 compared to the same twelve month time period of 1996.

On reconsideration, the Department conducted a survey of the subject firm's major declining customers. Survey findings show that from 1995 to 1996, a major customer stopped purchasing quilts and quilt ensembles from Barclay Home Products in favor of increased purchases of quilts and quilt ensembles from other domestic sources that were wholly manufactured in other foreign countries.

Conclusion

After careful review of the additional facts obtained on reconsideration, I conclude that increased imports of articles like or directly competitive with quilts and quilt ensembles contributed importantly to the declines in sales or production and to the total or partial separation of workers of Barclay Home Products, Cherokee and Robbinsville, North Carolina.

In accordance with the provisions of the Act, I make the following certification:

All workers of Barclay Home Products, Cherokee, North Carolina (TA-W-32,949) and Robbinsville, North Carolina (TA-W-32,950), who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after November 7, 1995, are eligible to apply for worker adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 16th day of October 1997.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-33,430]

Bijur Lubricating Corporation, a Subsidiary of Vesper Corporation, Bennington, Vermont; Notice of Revised Determination on Reopening

On June 24, 1997, the Department issued a Negative Determination Regarding Eligibility to apply for worker adjustment assistance, applicable to workers and former workers of Bijur Lubricating Corporation, a subsidiary of Vesper Corporation, located in Bennington, Vermont. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on July 18, 1997 (62 FR 38584).

By letter of August 1, 1997, the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America (UE) Local 295, requested administrative reconsideration regarding the Department's denial of trade adjustment assistance for workers of the subject firm.

Workers at the subject firm were engaged in employment related to the production of automotive drive shafts, and lubrication equipment and accessories. The workers are separately identifiable by produce line.

New information provided by Bijur Lubricating Corporation shows that company sales of lubrication equipment and accessories decreased from May through June 1997 compared to May through June 1996. During this same time period, company imports of lubrication equipment and accessories increased relative to sales.

Conclusion

After careful review of the additional facts obtained on reopening, I conclude that increased imports of articles like or directly competitive with lubrication equipment and accessories contributed importantly to the declines in sales or production and to the total or partial separation of workers of Bijur Lubricating Corporation, Bennington, Vermont. In accordance with the provisions of the Act, I make the following certification:

All workers of Bijur Lubricating Corporation, a subsidiary of Vesper Corporation, Bennington, Vermont, engaged