

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training
Administration

[TA-W-34,683]

Topps Safety Apparel Greensburg, KY;
Notice of Revised Determination on
Reopening

On November 9, 1998, the petitioners requested Administrative Reconsideration for workers and former workers of the subject firm engaged in the production of safety apparel.

The initial investigation resulted in a negative determination issued on September 29, 1998, because imports did not contribute importantly to the worker separations. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on October 9, 1998 (63 FR 54495).

New information submitted to the Department by the petitioners and additional information supplied by the primary customer of the subject firm revealed that, although the subject firm's inability to provide the service-after-purchase option offered by its competitor, that competitor will be providing an important percentage of the goods it sells to the customer from foreign sources.

Conclusion

After careful consideration of the new facts obtained on reopening, it is concluded that increased imports of articles like or directly competitive with apparel produced by the subject firm contributed importantly to the decline in sales and to the total or partial separation of workers of the subject firm. In accordance with the provisions of the Trade Act of 1974, I make the following revised determination:

All workers of Topps Safety Apparel, Greensburg, Kentucky who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after June 12, 1997 through two years from the date of this certification are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC., this 28th day of December 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training
AdministrationWestark Garment Manufacturing, TA-
W-34,460, Waldron, AR, TA-W-
34,460B, Magazine, AR, and, TA-W-
34,460C, Fort Smith, AR; Amended
Certification Regarding Eligibility To
Apply for Worker Adjustment
Assistance

In accordance with section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2273) the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on May 18, 1998 applicable to all workers of Westark Garment Manufacturing, Waldron, Arkansas. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on June 22, 1998 (63 FR 33958).

At the request of the company, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New information from the company shows that worker separations will occur at Westark Garment Manufacturing's Magazine and Fort Smith, Arkansas production facilities when they close December 23, 1998. The workers are engaged in employment related to the production of jackets used for decoration and recognition.

Accordingly, the Department is amending the certification to cover workers at Westark Garment Manufacturing, Magazine and Fort Smith, Arkansas.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Westark Garment Manufacturing adversely affected by increased imports.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-34,460 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Westark Garment Manufacturing, Waldron Arkansas, (TA-W-34,460), Magazine, Arkansas (TA-W-34,460B) and Fort Smith, Arkansas (TA-W-34,460C) who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after March 25, 1997 through May 18, 2000 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 22nd day of December, 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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[TA-W-35,364]

Westark Garment Manufacturing,
Magazine, AR; Notice of Termination of
Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on December 14, 1998 in response to a worker petition which was filed on behalf of workers at the Westark Garment Manufacturing, Magazine, Arkansas.

An active certification covering the petitioning group of workers is already in effect (TA-W-34,460B). Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 22nd day of December, 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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[TA-W-35,324]

Cooper Cameron Corp., Cooper
Turbocompressor Division,
Cheektowaga, NY; Notice of
Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on December 7, 1998 in response to a worker petition which was filed on behalf of workers at Cooper Cameron Corporation, Cooper Turbocompressor Division, Cheektowaga, New York.

The petitioning group of workers is subject to an ongoing investigation for which a determination has not yet been issued (TA-W-35,247). Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 22nd day of December, 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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