

APPENDIX—Continued

Subject firm	Location	Date received at Governor's office	Petition No.	Articles produced
Eurotherm Action (Co.)	San Diego, CA	10/17/2001	NAFTA-5, 645	Signal conditioners.
Smiley Hats (Co.)	Sparks, NV	11/09/2001	NAFTA-5, 646	Hats, mittens, scarfs, blankets.
Active Transportation (IBT)	Portland, OR	12/13/2001	NAFTA-5, 647	Heavy duty trucks.
Harper Wyman (Wkrs)	Princeton, IL	12/14/2001	NAFTA-5, 648	Engineering services.
IEC Electronics (Wkrs)	Newark, NY	10/25/2001	NAFTA-5, 649	Communications equipment.
Holland Binkley (Co.)	Dayton, OH	12/17/2001	NAFTA-5, 650	Semi trailer axles.
Bourns (Co.)	Logan, UT	12/17/2001	NAFTA-5, 651	Electronic components.
Magnequench International (UAW)	Anderson, ID	12/13/2001	NAFTA-5, 652	Permanent magnets & magnetic powders.
Empire Iron Mining Partnership—Tilden (Co.)	Cleveland, OH	12/12/2001	NAFTA-5, 653	Steel.
Hayes Lemmerz International (Wkrs)	Petersburg, MI	11/17/2001	NAFTA-5, 654	Plastic intake manifolds.
Kennametal (Co.)	Pine Bluff, AR	12/12/2001	NAFTA-5, 655	Drill.
Eaton Corporation—Actuator Esensor (Wkrs)	Sanford, NC	12/17/2001	NAFTA-5, 656	Right angle thermal expansion valve.
USNR (Wkrs)	Woodland, WA	12/17/2001	NAFTA-5, 657	Saw mill equipment and spare parts.
Perceptron (Co.)	Lake Oswego, OR	12/11/2001	NAFTA-5, 658	Sensor and robotic equipment.
Liz Claiborne (UNITE)	Mt. Pocono, PA	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 659	Men's and women's apparel.
Vanity Fair Intimates (Co.)	Monroeville, AL	12/20/2001	NAFTA-5, 660	Women's intimate apparel.
Tree Machine Tools (IAMAW)	Franklin, WI	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 661	Computer controlled machining centers.
Robert Mitchell—Douglas Brothers (Co.)	Portland, ME	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 662	Stainless steel pipe and fitting.
Exide Technologies (UAW)	Shreveport, LA	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 663	12 volt automotive batteries.
Neville Chemical (USWA)	Pittsburgh, PA	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 664	Hydro carbon resins for printing ink.
JBI, LP (Co.)	Osseo, WI	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 665	Parts washers and ovens.
Dana Corporation—Spicer Mfg. (Wkrs)	Pottstown, PA	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 666	Slip yokes, flange yokes etc.
Accuride International (Co.)	South Bend, IN	12/18/2001	NAFTA-5, 667	Ball bearing linear slides.
Parker Hannifin (Wkrs)	Eaton, OH	12/17/2001	NAFTA-5, 668	Tube fittings.
Midcom, Inc. (Co.)	Watertown, SD	12/18/2001	NAFTA-5, 669	Transformer for telecommunications.
Greenwood Mills (Co.)	Greenwood, SC	12/20/2001	NAFTA-5, 670	Textiles.
Beta Steel (Co.)	Portage, IN	12/26/2001	NAFTA-5, 671	Steel, hot rolled coils.
Pacific Scientific Instruments (Wkrs)	Crants Pass, OR	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 672	Particle counters and software.
Phoenix Gold International (Wkrs)	Portland, OR	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 673	Circuit board.
Loren Casting (Wkrs)	Hollywood, FL	12/20/2001	NAFTA-5, 674	Wax carving and wax stone setting.
STS Apparel (Wkrs)	Hialeah, FL	12/18/2001	NAFTA-5, 675	Embroidery for garments.
Nortel Networks (Wkrs)	Boca Raton, FL	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 676	Optical networking systems.
Swift Spinning Mills (Co.)	Columbus, GA	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 677	Denim.
Swift Spinning Mills (Co.)	Columbus, GA	12/19/2001	NAFTA-5, 678	Spun cotton yarn.
Biokiyowa (Co.)	Cape Girardeau, MO	12/21/2001	NAFTA-5, 679	Lysine amino acid feed supplement.
F.C. Mayer Packaging (Wkrs)	St. Louis, MO	12/21/2001	NAFTA-5, 680	Shoe cartons.
VF Jeanswear (Wkrs)	Springfield, MO	12/21/2001	NAFTA-5, 681	Jeans and casual wear.
Parallax Power Components (Co.)	Goodland, IN	12/20/2001	NAFTA-5, 682	Transformers.
Multi Products (Wkrs)	Erie, PA	12/27/2001	NAFTA-5, 683	Custom plastic injection molds.
Kraft Foods North America (Wkrs)	Allentown, PA	12/27/2001	NAFTA-5, 684	Barbecue sauce and salad dressing.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Employment Standards Administration; Wage and Hour Division****Minimum Wages for Federal and Federally Assisted Construction; General Wage Determination; Decisions**

General wage determination decisions of the Secretary of Labor are issued in accordance with applicable law and are based on the information obtained by the Department of Labor from its study of local wage conditions and data made

available from other sources. They specify the basic hourly wage rates and fringe benefits which are determined to be prevailing for the described classes of laborers and mechanics employed on construction projects of a similar character and in the localities specified therein.

The determinations in these decisions of prevailing rates and fringe benefits have been made in accordance with 29 CFR part 1, by authority of the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931, as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 276a) and of other Federal statutes referred to in 29 CFR part 1, Appendix, as well as such additional statutes as may from time to time be enacted containing provisions for the

payment of wages determined to be prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act. The prevailing rates and fringe benefits determined in these decisions shall, in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing statutes, constitute the minimum wages payable on Federal and federally assisted construction projects to laborers and mechanics of the specified classes engaged on contract work of the character and in the localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not utilizing notice and public comment procedure thereon prior to the issuance of these determinations as prescribed in 5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay in the effective date as prescribed in that section, because the necessity to issue

current construction industry wage determinations frequently and in large volume causes procedures to be impractical and contrary to the public interest.

General wage determination decisions, and modifications and supersedes decisions thereto, contain no expiration dates and are effective from their date of notice in the **Federal Register**, or on the date written notice is received by the agency, whichever is earlier. These decisions are to be used in accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the applicable decision, together with any modifications issued, must be made a part of every contract for performance of the described work within the geographic area indicated as required by an applicable Federal prevailing wage law and 29 CFR part 5. The wage rates and fringe benefits, notice of which is published herein, and which are contained in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon And Related Acts," shall be the minimum paid by contractors and subcontractors to laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or governmental agency having an interest in the rates determined as prevailing is encouraged to submit wage rate and fringe benefit information for consideration by the Department.

Further information and self-explanatory forms from the purpose of submitting this data may be obtained by writing to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division, Division of Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room S-3014, Washington, DC 20210.

Modification to General Wage Determination Decisions

The number of the decisions listed to the Government Printing Office document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and related Acts" being modified are listed by Volume and State. Dates of publication in the **Federal Register** are in parentheses following the decisions being modified.

Volume I

None

Volume II

None

Volume III

None

Volume IV

None

Volume V

None

Volume VI

None

Volume VII

None

General Wage Determination Publication

General wage determinations issued under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts, including those noted above, may be found in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon And Related Acts". This publication is available at each of the 50 Regional Government Depository Libraries and many of the 1,400 Government Depository Libraries across the country.

General wage determination issued under the Davis-Bacon and related Acts are available electronically at no cost on the Government Printing Office site at www.access.gpo.gov/davisbacon. They are also available electronically by subscription to the Davis-Bacon Online Service (<http://davisbacon.fedworld.gov>) of the National Technical Information Service (NTIS) of the U.S. Department of Commerce at 1-800-363-2068. This subscription offers value-added features such as electronic delivery of modified wage decisions directly to the user's desktop, the ability to access prior wage decisions issued during the year, extensive Help desk Support, etc.

Hard-copy subscriptions may be purchased from: Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402, (202) 512-1800.

When Ordering hard-copy subscription(s), be sure to specify the State(s) of interest, since subscriptions may be ordered for any or all of the six separate Volumes, arranged by State. Subscriptions include an annual edition (issued in January or February) which includes all current general wage determinations for the States covered by each volume. Throughout the remainder of the year, regular weekly updates will be distributed to subscribers.

Signed at Washington, DC this 3rd day of January 2002.

Carl J. Poleskey,

Chief, Branch of Construction Wage Determinations.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Bureau of Labor Statistics

Proposed Collection, Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a pre-clearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) is soliciting comments concerning the proposed revision of the "Consumer Price Index Commodities and Services Survey." A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the individual listed below in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice on or before March 12, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to Amy A. Hobby, BLS Clearance Officer, Division of Management Systems, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Room 3255, 2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Washington, DC 20212, telephone number 202-691-7628 (this is not a toll free number).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Amy A. Hobby, BLS Clearance Officer, telephone number 202-691-7628. (See **ADDRESSES** section.)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

Under the direction of the Secretary of Labor, the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) is directed by law to collect, collate, and report full and complete statistics on the conditions of labor and the products and distribution of the products of the same; the Consumer Price Index (CPI) is one of these statistics. The collection of data from a wide spectrum of retail establishments and government agencies is essential for the timely and accurate calculation of the Commodities and Services (C&S) component of the CPI.