

drapes and are not separately identifiable by product line.

New findings show that there was a previous certification, TA-W-38,779, issued on May 21, 2001, for workers of Maxxim Medical, Inc., Columbus, Mississippi who were engaged in employment related to the production of disposable surgical drapes. That certification expired May 21, 2003. To avoid an overlap in worker group coverage, the certification is being amended to change the impact date from December 18, 2002 to May 22, 2003, for workers of the subject firm.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-54,004 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Medline Industries, dba Maxxim Medical, Inc., Maxxim Boundary, Columbus, Mississippi, who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after May 22, 2003, through February 19, 2006, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Furthermore, after careful review, I determine that all leased workers from Kelly Services, Columbus, Mississippi are denied eligibility to apply for adjustment assistance under section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 5th day of March, 2004.

Elliott S. Kushner,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment And Training Administration

[TA-W-54,368]

Multi-Form, Inc., DBA Dack Industries, Bristol, CT; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on February 26, 2004, in response to a petition filed by a company official on behalf of workers of Multi-Form, Inc., dba Dack Industries, Bristol, Connecticut. The petition was filed more than one year after the subject firm was closed. Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 27th day of February, 2004.

Elliott S. Kushner,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-54,132]

National Textiles, Eden, NC; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on February 2, 2004 in response to a petition filed on behalf of workers at National Textiles, Eden, North Carolina.

On December 15, 2003, the workers of the subject firm were denied eligibility to apply for worker adjustment assistance, under petition number TA-W-53,487. The Department has received a request for reconsideration of that denial. The Department will provide a copy of this petition to be included in the review of the request for reconsideration of TA-W-53,487.

Further investigation of TA-W-54,132 would duplicate investigation efforts, and this investigation is terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 25th day of February, 2004.

Linda G. Poole,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-53,735]

Phillips Plastics Corporation Multi Shot Facility, Eau Claire, WI; Notice of Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration

By letter of February 6, 2004, a petitioner requested administrative reconsideration of the Department of Labor's Notice of Negative Determination Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance, applicable to workers of the subject firm. The determination was signed on January 16, 2004. The Notice of determination was published in the

Federal Register on February 6, 2004 (69 FR 5866).

The Department reviewed the request and has determined that the petitioner has provided additional information. Therefore, the Department will conduct further investigation to determine if the workers meet the eligibility requirements of the Trade Act of 1974.

Conclusion

After careful review of the application, I conclude that the claim is of sufficient weight to justify reconsideration of the Department of Labor's prior decision. The application is, therefore, granted.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 5th day of March, 2004.

Elliott S. Kushner,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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[TA-W-54,232]

R & R Hosiery Partner, Rainsville, AL; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on February 11, 2004 in response to a worker petition which was filed by a company official on behalf of workers at R & R Hosiery Partner, Rainsville, Alabama.

The petitioner has requested that the petition be withdrawn. Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 2nd day of March, 2004.

Linda G. Poole,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-54,196]

Shape Global Technology, Sanford, ME; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on February

6, 2004, in response to a petition filed by the company on behalf of workers at Shape Global Technology, Sanford, Maine.

The petitioner has requested that the petition be withdrawn. Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 2nd day of March, 2004.

Elliott S. Kushner,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-54,247]

Stitches Manufacturing, Inc., Huntington Valley, PA; Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on February 12, 2004, in response to a worker petition filed by a company official on behalf of workers of Stitches Manufacturing, Inc., Huntington Valley, Pennsylvania.

The investigation revealed that the subject firm did not separate or threaten to separate a significant number or proportion of workers as required by section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974. Significant number or proportion of the workers means that at least three workers in a firm with a workforce of fewer than 50 workers, or five percent of the workers in a firm with a workforce of more than 50 workers would have to be affected. Separations by the subject firm did not meet this threshold level; consequently the petition has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 2nd day of March, 2004.

Linda G. Poole,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment And Training Administration

[TA-W-54,341]

Textron Fastening Systems, LDR Division, Rockford, Illinois; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on February 24, 2004, in response to a petition filed by the International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America (UAW) on behalf of workers at Textron Fastening Systems, LDR Division, Rockford, Illinois.

The petitioner has requested that the petition be withdrawn. Consequently, the investigation has been terminated.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 27th day of February, 2004.

Linda G. Poole,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment And Training Administration

[TA-W-54,212]

The Timken Company, Pulaski, TN; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on February 9, 2004 in response to a petition filed by a company official on behalf of workers at The Timken Company, Pulaski, Tennessee.

The petitioner has requested that the petition be withdrawn. Consequently, further investigation would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 25th day of February, 2004.

Linda G. Poole,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-53, 994]

Union Tools, Inc., a Subsidiary of Acorn Products, Frankfort, NY; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance and Alternative Trade 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 January 23, 2004, applicable to workers of Union Tools, Inc., a subsidiary of Acorn Products, Frankfort, New York. The notice will be published soon in the **Federal Register**.

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. The workers are engaged in the production of lawn and garden tools.

New information from the State shows that the International Brotherhood of Boiler Makers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers, requested Alternative Trade Adjustment Assistance (ATAA) on behalf of the workers of the subject firm but that request was not addressed in the decision document.

Information obtained from the company indicates that a significant number of workers of the subject firm are age 50 or over, workers have skills that are not easily transferable, and conditions in the industry are adverse. Review of this information shows that all eligibility criteria under Section 246 of the Trade Act of 1974 (26 U.S.C. 2813), as amended, have been met.

Accordingly, the Department is amending the certification to reflect its finding.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-53,994 is hereby issued as follows:

“All workers of Union Tools, Inc., a subsidiary of Acorn Products, Frankfort, New York, who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after January 12, 2003, through January 23, 2006, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 and are also eligible to apply for Alternative Trade Adjustment Assistance under section 246 of the Trade Act of 1974.”