DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Employment and Training Administration

[TA–W–71,047]

UAW—Chrysler National Training Center, Detroit, MI; Notice of Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration

By application dated June 15, 2010, the State of Michigan requested administrative reconsideration of the negative determination regarding workers’ eligibility to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) applicable to workers and former workers of the subject firm. The Department’s determination was issued on April 13, 2010, and the Notice of determination was published in the Federal Register on May 20, 2010 (75 FR 28301).

The initial investigation resulted in a negative determination based on the finding that a significant number or proportion of the workers in the UAW—Chrysler National Training Center, Detroit, Michigan, had not been separated or threatened with separation.

In the request for reconsideration, the petitioner provided additional information regarding the number of employees of the subject firm.

The Department has carefully reviewed the request for reconsideration and the existing record, and has determined that 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 U.S. Department of Labor’s prior decision. The application is, therefore, granted.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 21st day of June, 2010.

Del Min Amy Chen,
Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Employment and Training Administration

[TA–W–71,032]

AGY Holding Corporation, Huntington, PA; Notice of Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration

By application dated June 1, 2010, a petitioner requested administrative reconsideration of the negative determination regarding workers’ eligibility to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) applicable to workers and former workers of the subject firm. The determination was issued on April 27, 2010. The Notice of determination was published in the Federal Register on May 28, 2010 (75 FR 30072). Workers are engaged in employment related to the production of fine yarns and specialty glass yarns. The negative determination was based on the Department’s findings that increased imports of fine yarns and specialty glass yarns did not contribute importantly to worker separations at the subject firm and no shift of production abroad occurred.

In the request for reconsideration, the petitioner provided additional information regarding a shift in production abroad.

The Department has carefully reviewed the request for reconsideration and the existing record and has determined that 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 U.S. Department of Labor’s prior decision. The application is, therefore, granted.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 21st day of June, 2010.

Del Min Amy Chen,
Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Veterans’ Employment and Training Service

Final Notice of Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, Veterans’ Employment and Training Service (VETS) gives notice that it has submitted the information collection request (ICR) described below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. A copy of this ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, including, among other things, a description of the likely respondents, proposed frequency of response, and estimated total burden may be obtained from the RegInfo.gov Web site at http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain or by contacting Linda Watts Thomas on 202–469–4223 (this is not a toll-free number) and e-mail to: DOL_PRA_PUBLIC@dol.gov.

Interested parties are encouraged to send written comments to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for the Department of Labor—Veterans’ Employment and Training Service (VETS), Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, Telephone: 202–395–7316/Fax 202–395–5806 (these are not toll-free numbers), E-mail: OIRA_submission@omb.eop.gov within 30 days from the date of this publication in the Federal Register. In order to ensure the appropriate consideration, comments should reference the OMB Control Number (see below).

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.