HALLIBURTON ENERGY SERVICES, INC. TECHNOLOGY, DUNCAN, OKLAHOMA; NOTICE OF REVISED DETERMINATION ON RECONSIDERATION

On August 22, 2016, the Department of Labor issued an Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration for the workers and former workers of Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., Technology, Duncan, Oklahoma.

To support the request for reconsideration, the petitioners supplied additional information regarding their activities to supplement that which was gathered during the initial investigation. In the initial investigation, the Department determined that the worker group was engaged in the production of crude oil, natural gas, and natural gas liquids (NGLs). The petitioners supplied additional information that the worker group is engaged in activities related to the production of oilfield equipment, specifically.

Based on information from the petitioners and the company officials provided during the reconsideration investigation, the Department of Labor determines that the worker group is engaged in activities related to the production of oilfield equipment, specifically designing internal and customer-specified oilfield service equipment to be manufactured. The Department also determines that increased company imports of oilfield equipment have contributed importantly to the production declines and workers separations at Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., Technology, Duncan, Oklahoma.

Conclusion

After careful review of the additional facts obtained on reconsideration, I determine that workers of Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., Technology, Duncan, Oklahoma, who were engaged in activities related to the production of oilfield equipment, meet the worker group certification criteria under Section 227(a) of the Act, 19 U.S.C. 2272(a). In accordance with Section 223 of the Act, 19 U.S.C. 2273, I make the following certification:

All workers of Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., Technology, Duncan, Oklahoma who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after March 7, 2015, through two years from the date of this certification, and all workers in the group threatened with total or partial separation from employment on date of certification through two years from the date of certification, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Chapter 2 of Title II of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 20th day of October, 2016.

Hope D. Kinglock,
Certifying Officer, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Investigations Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

Petitions have been filed with the Secretary of Labor under Section 221(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 (“the Act”) and are identified in the Appendix to this notice. Upon receipt of these petitions, the Director of the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, has instituted investigations pursuant to Section 221(a) of the Act.

The purpose of each of the investigations is to determine whether the workers are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Title II, Chapter 2, of the Act. The investigations will further relate, as appropriate, to the determination of the date on which total or partial separations began or threatened to begin and the subdivision of the firm involved.

The petitioners or any other persons showing a substantial interest in the subject matter of the investigations may request a public hearing, provided such request is filed in writing with the Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, no later than December 12, 2016.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, no later than December 12, 2016.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N–5428, 200 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 18th day of November 2016.

Hope D. Kinglock,
Certifying Officer, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX

[41 TAA petitions instituted between 9/5/16 and 9/16/16]