

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Employment and Training Administration**

[TA-W-38,144]

Avoca Manufacturing, Avoca, Pennsylvania, including Leased Workers of Advanced Employee Services, Inc., Employed at Avoca Manufacturing, Avoca, Pennsylvania; 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 December 5, 2000, applicable to workers of Avoca Manufacturing, Avoca, Pennsylvania. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on December 21, 2000 (65 FR 80457).

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New information provided by the company shows that some employees of Avoca Manufacturing, Avoca, Pennsylvania were leased from Advanced Employee Services, Inc., Luzerne, Pennsylvania to produce children's clothing at the Avoca, Pennsylvania facility. Information also show that workers separated from employment at the subject firm had their wages reported under a separated unemployment insurance (UI) tax account for Advanced Employee Services, Inc.

Based on these findings, the Department is amending the certification to include workers of Advanced Employee Services, Inc. Luzerne, Pennsylvania leased to Avoca Manufacturing, Avoca, Pennsylvania.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-38,144 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Avoca Manufacturing, Avoca, Pennsylvania and leased workers of Advanced Employee Services, Inc., Luzerne, Pennsylvania who were engaged in employment related to the production of children's clothing for Avoca Manufacturing, Avoca, Pennsylvania who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after September 15, 1999 through December 5, 2002 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 11th day of January, 2001.

Linda G. Poole,*Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

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[TA-W-38,413]

Binns Machinery Products, Cincinnati, Ohio; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on December 11, 2000, in response to a worker petition which was filed by the company on behalf of its workers at Binns Machinery Products, Cincinnati, Ohio. The workers produce heavy duty lathes used in steelmaking.

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 5th day of January, 2001.

Linda G. Poole,*Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

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[TA-W-38,457]

Copper Range Company, White Pine, Michigan; Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

Pursuant to Title II, Section 2001, of the Tariff Suspension and Trade Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106-476), I make the following certification:

All workers of Cooper Range Company, White Pine, Michigan, who were employed at such facility at any time during the period covered by Trade Adjustment Assistance certification TA-W-31,402 (such period beginning on August 21, 1994 and ending on September 26, 1997) and who, on or after September 27, 1997, became totally or partially separated from employment which was necessary for the environmental remediation or closure of such mining facility, are eligible to apply for worker adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 18th day of December, 2000.

Linda G. Poole,*Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Employment and Training Administration****Investigations Regarding Certifications of 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 Division 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, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than February 2, 2001.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than February 2, 2001.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room C-5311, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC this 26th day of December, 2000.

Edward A. Tomchick,*Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*