

exhausted all rights to regular benefits and is potentially eligible for EB (20 CFR 615.13(c)(1)).

Persons who believe they may be entitled to EB, or who wish to inquire about their rights under the program, should contact the nearest State employment service office or unemployment compensation claims office in their locality.

Signed at Washington, DC, on April 7, 1997.

Raymond Uhalde,

Acting Assistant Secretary of Labor for Employment and Training.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[NAFTA-01397 Cartersville, Georgia, and NAFTA-01397A Atlanta, Georgia]

Atlantic Steel Industries, Incorporated; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 250(a), Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 USC 2273), the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance on February 11, 1997, applicable to all workers of Atlantic Steel Industries, Incorporated located in Cartersville, Georgia. The notice was published in the Federal Register on March 12, 1997 (62 FR 11473).

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New findings show that worker separations have occurred at the subject firm's Atlanta plant also in Georgia. The workers are engaged in employment related to the production of steel billets, bars, rods, and flats.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Atlantic Steel Industries Incorporated who were affected by increased imports from Mexico or Canada. Accordingly, the Department is amending the worker certification to include the workers of Atlantic Steel Industries Incorporated, Atlanta, Georgia.

The amended notice applicable to NAFTA-01397 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Atlantic Steel Industries, Inc., Cartersville, Georgia (NAFTA-01397) and Atlanta, Georgia (NAFTA-01397A), who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after December 13,

1995 are eligible to apply for NAFTA-TAA under Section 250 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 4th day of April 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

Program Manager, Policy and Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[NAFTA-01436]

Binks Sames Corporation, Franklin Park, IL; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 250(a), Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 USC 2273), the Department of Labor issued a Certification for NAFTA-Transitional Adjustment Assistance on March 12, 1997, applicable to workers of Binks Sames Corporation located in Franklin Park, Illinois. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on March 31, 1997 (62 FR 15200).

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. The workers were engaged in the production of spray booths and other paint spraying equipment. Findings show that the Department incorrectly set the worker certification impact date at January 7, 1997. The impact date should be January 7, 1996, one year prior to the date of the petition. Accordingly, the Department is amending the certification to reflect this matter.

The amended notice applicable to NAFTA-01436 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Binks Sames Corporation, Franklin Park, Illinois who were engaged in employment related to the production of spray booths who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after January 7, 1996, are eligible to apply for NAFTA-TAA under Section 250 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 3d day of April, 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

Program Manager, Policy and Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[NAFTA-01334]

Wright-Bernet, Inc. Division of Ekco, Group Inc., Hamilton, OH; Notice of Termination of Certification

This notice terminates the Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance issued by the Department on December 16, 1996, for all workers of Wright-Bernet, Inc., Division of Ekco Group Inc. located in Hamilton, Ohio. The notice of certification was published in the **Federal Register** on December 31, 1996 (61 FR 69110).

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of Wright-Bernet, Inc. Workers of the subject firm produced brooms, brushes, and mops. When the worker certification was issued it was determined that the requirements of (a)(1)(B) of section 250 were met. The company was shifting production of brushes, brooms, and mops from the workers' firm to Mexico.

New information provided by the company reveals that the Ekco Group will not shift production to Mexico as originally planned. Ekco Group will consolidate their Easthampton, Massachusetts production into the Hamilton, Ohio location. The consolidation will result in increased employment.

Since there are no adversely affected workers of the subject firm, the continuation of the certification would serve no purpose and the certification has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 24th day of March 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

Program Manager, Policy and Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Mine Safety and Health Administration

Proposed Information Collection Request Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations; Fire Protection (Underground Coal Mines)

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden conducts a preclearance 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.

Currently, the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) is soliciting comments about the proposed reinstatement of the information collection related to program of instruction, location and use of fire fighting equipment, location of escapeways, exits and routes of travel, and evacuation procedures. MSHA is also soliciting comments about certain existing information collections which were determined to be certifications under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 and were therefore not considered to be a paperwork burden under that statute. These collections are related to examinations of chemical fire extinguishers, fire drills, examinations and tests of automatic fire sensor and warning device systems, and tests of fire hydrants and fire hose. MSHA is particularly interested in comments which:

- 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;
- 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;

- enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- 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 submissions of responses.

A copy of the proposed information collection request can be obtained by contacting the employee listed below in the For Further Information Contact section of this notice.

DATES: Submit comments on or before June 16, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to Patricia W. Silvey, Director, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances, 4015 Wilson Boulevard, Room 627, Arlington, VA 22203-1984. Commenters are encouraged to send their comments on a computer disk, or via E-mail to psilvey@msha.gov, along with an original printed copy. Ms. Silvey can be reached at (703) 235-1910 (voice) or (703) 235-5551 (facsimile).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: George M. Fesak, Director, Office of Program Evaluation and Information Resources, U.S. Department of Labor, Mine Safety and Health Administration, Room 715, 4015 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22203-1984. Mr. Fesak can be reached at gfesak@msha.gov (Internet E-mail), (703) 235-8378 (voice), or (703) 235-1563 (facsimile).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

Subpart L of 30 CFR 75 establishes minimum fire protection requirements

for underground coal mines. This subpart contains provisions requiring that a program for the instruction of miners in fire fighting and evacuation procedures be adopted by the mine operator and approved by the MSHA district manager. Subpart L also contains provisions requiring fire extinguishers to be examined every 6 months, fire drills to be conducted every 90 days, automatic fire sensor and warning device systems to be examined weekly and tested annually, and fire hydrants and hose to be tested at least once a year. These provisions also require that the mine operator maintain a record or certification that the fire drills and examinations and tests were conducted.

II. Current Actions

MSHA believes that the requirement for distinct fire fighting and evacuation programs for coal mines promotes the objectives of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 by ensuring that miners are able to safely evacuate a mine in the event of a fire and that fires are extinguished as soon as possible. MSHA uses the programs and the fire drill and fire fighting equipment certifications to determine whether a mine operator has adequate procedures and equipment to protect miners in the event of a fire.

Type of Review: Reinstatement (without change) and approval of existing collections in use without an OMB control number.

Agency: Mine Safety and Health Administration.

Title: Fire Protection (Underground Coal Mines).

OMB Number: 1219-0054.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit institutions.

Cite/reference	Total respondents	Frequency	Total responses	Average time per response (minutes)	Burden (hours)
75.1100-3	1,117	Semi-annually	47,560	2	1,585
75.1101-23(a)	1,117	On occasion	376	30	188
75.1101-23(c)	1,117	Quarterly	13,404	30	6,702
75.1103-8 (Inspection)	838	Weekly	174,304	15	43,576
75.1103-8 (Certification)	838	Weekly	43,576	10	7,263
75.1103-8 (Test)	838	Annually	3,352	15	838
75.1103-11	838	Annually	50,280	30	25,140
Totals	1,117	332,852	15	85,292

Estimated Total Burden Cost: \$1,880.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the

information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: April 9, 1997.

George M. Fesak,
Director, Program Evaluation and Information Resources.

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