

of Umbro International adversely affected by increased imports.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-34,003 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Umbro International, Umbro North America, Fairbluff, North Carolina (TA-W-34,003) and Greenville, South Carolina (TA-W-34,003A) who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after October 28, 1996 through January 8, 2000 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 31st day of March 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-32,826]

UNOCAL, Sugar Land, TX; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 USC 2273) the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on December 6, 1996 applicable to all workers of UNOCAL, Oil and Gas Division, located in Sugar Land, Texas. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on December 24, 1996 (61 FR 67858).

At the request of the company, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New findings show that the Department incorrectly limited the certification to the Oil and Gas Division. The investigation conducted for the subject firm was conducted on behalf of the entire Sugar Land, Texas facility. The Oil and Gas Division was only one division of several divisions of UNOCAL's Sugar Land, Texas facility. The Department is amending the certification determination to correctly identify the title name to read UNOCAL, Sugar Land, Texas.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-32,826 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of UNOCAL, Sugar Land, Texas (TA-W-32,826) and at various locations in Texas (TA-W-32,826A), Alabama (TA-W-32,826B), Louisiana (TA-W-32,826C), Michigan (TA-W-32,826D), New

Mexico (TA-W-32,826E), Oklahoma (TA-W-32,826F) and Utah (TA-W-32,826G) who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after December 9, 1996 through December 6, 1998 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 27th day of March 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Job Training Partnership Act: Office of Job Corps Proposed Collection; Comment Request

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 Employment and Training Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed reinstatement with change of the standard Job Corps Center Request for Proposal and Related Contracting Information Gathering Reporting Requirements.

A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before June 9, 1998.

The Department of Labor 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 clarify 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.

ADDRESSEE: Andra Rebar, Office of Job Corps, 200 Constitution Avenue, Room N-4510, Washington, DC 20210. E-mail Internet address: Rebara@doleta.gov; Telephone number: (202) 219-8550 (This is not a toll-free number); Fax number: (202) 219-5183 (this is not a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The Job Corps is an intensive training program for economically disadvantaged young people aged 16-24 who are out of school and out of work. The enabling legislation, Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) requires that 80% of all Job Corps enrollees ("Students") be residential students. The program is principally carried out through a nationwide network of 114 Job Corps centers. These are located at facilities either owned or leased by the Federal Government. The Department has a direct role in the operation of Job Corps, and does not serve as a pass-through agency for this program. Job Corps centers are established by the Department and it is the Department's responsibility to select operators for them. Of the 114 current centers, 28 are operated by the Department of Agriculture and the Interior through interagency agreements. These centers are located on Federal lands controlled by these two agencies. The remaining 86 centers are operated by contractors selected by the Department, 3 are operated by public organizations on a noncompetitive basis, and the remainder are operated by private organizations, including private for profit companies. These contracts are negotiated procurement done through competition. Many of the current contractors operate more than one center.

II. Current Actions

The Request for Proposal provides the Government's expectations of potential

offerors for the development of proposals to operate Job Corps Centers. The proposals developed by offerors in response to the RFP are evaluated in terms of technical factors and costs. These proposals serve as the principal basis for selection of a successful offeror.

The operation of the Job Corps program is such that many activities required of contractors must be coordinated with other organizations, both Federal and nonfederal. Most of the information collection requirements of Job Corps center operators stem directly from operational needs or are necessary to ensure compliance with Federal requirements and the terms of the contract. Statistical reports are normally generated from source

documents directly by the Federal Government, not the contractors. During the last year several paper forms have been eliminated. Data is entered directly into a database and several reports are generated as a result of the data. Examples of this are ETA Forms 6-106, Initial Allowance Authorization, 6-101, Request for Change of Job Corps Living Allowance and Allotment, 6-102, Transmittal Letter for Job Corps, 6-103, Signature Cards, 6-142B, WSSR Log. In addition several other forms have been combined into one computer generated form. These forms are ETA 6-10, Voucher for Allocation for Living Expenses and Partial Payment of Readjustment, 6-105, Receipt for Taxable Clothing and Transportation, 6-107, Receipt for Cash Payment, and 6-

108, Receipt for Miscellaneous Cash Collections.

Type of Review: Reinstatement with Change.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration, Office of Job Corps.

Title: Standard Center Job Corps Request for Proposal and Related Contractor Information Gathering Reporting Requirements.

OMB Number: 1205-0219.

Recordkeeping: Center operators are required to keep accurate records on each Job Corps student. All records are required to be maintained on Center for five years.

Affected Public: Business, for profit and not-for-profit institutions, and tribal Government.

TOTAL ESTIMATED BURDEN

Required activity	ETA form No.	Number of respondents	Responses per year	Total responses	Hours per response	Total burden hours
Inspection Residential & Educational Facilities	6-37	114	4	456	1	456
Inspection Water Supply Facilities	6-38	114	4	456	1.25	570
Inspection of Waste Treatment Facilities	6-39	114	4	456	1.25	570
Program Description—Narrative Section	6-124	114	1	114	1	114
Job Corps Health Staff Activity	6-125	114	1	114	.25	28.5
Job Corps Utilization Summary	6-127	114	12	1368	2	2736
Job Corps Health Annual Service Costs	6-128	114	1	114	.25	28.5
Immunization Record	6-112	60000	1	60000	.10	6000
CM Health Record Envelope	6-135	60000	1	60000	.25	15000
CM Health Record Folder	6-136	60000	1	60000	.25	15,000
Center Operations Budget	2181/2181A	250	2	500	2.0	1,000
Center Financial Report	2110	114	12	1368	3.25	4,446
Property Inventory Transcription	3-28	175	12	2100	.75	1,575
Disciplinary Discharge	6-131 A	1500	1	1500	.5	750
Review Board Hearings	6-131 B	1500	1	1500	.10	150
Rights to Appeal	6-131 C	1500	1	1500	.10	150
Other plans:						
Center Operating Plan		86	1	86	30	2580
Maintenance		114	1	114	5	570
C/M Welfare		114	1	114	2	228
Annual VST (if applicable)		114	1	114	4	456
Annual Staff Training		114	1	114	1	114
Energy Conservation		114	1	114	5	570
Outreach (if applicable)		114	1	114	2	228
TWX Authorized Medical Terms		1500	1	1500	.20	300
Automated Forms:						
Notice of Termination	6-61	60000	1	60000	.03 (2 Minutes)	1800
Student Profile	6-640	60000	1	60000	.017 (1 Minute)	1020
Automated Records (see information collected electronically below).		60000	1	60000	.03 (2 Minutes)	1800
Payment Receipt (See Combined forms that have been automated into one form below).		65000	4	260000	.03 (2 Minutes)	7800

Combined forms that have been automated into one form: The below listed forms have been combined into one computer generated form listed above (Payment Receipt). For each form it previously took at least 5 minutes to complete. The data can now be entered in less than one minute and a form generated.

Required activity	ETA form No.
Voucher for Allocation for Living Expense and Partial Payment of Readjustment	6-104
Receipt for taxable Clothing and Transportation	6-105
Receipt for Cash Payment	6-107
Receipt for Miscellaneous Cash Collections	6-108

Previously the burden for preparing these forms manually was approximately 19,900 hours. This has resulted in a burden hour reduction of 12,100 burden hours.

Information collected electronically: The information from the below listed forms is now entered directly into a single data base. No hard copies of the forms are produced. It is estimated that

it takes approximately 2 minutes to complete the form.

Required activity	ETA form No.
Allowance and Allotment Change ..	6-101
Forms Transmittal Letter	6-102
Signature Card	6-103
Voucher for Allocation for Living Expense	6-104
Initial Allowance Authorization	6-106
WSSR Log	6-142B

Burden hour for collecting information electronically: Previously the burden for preparing these forms manually was approximately 8,177 hours. This has resulted in a reduction of 6,377 burden hours for these activities.

Total Estimated Burden: 65,890.

Total Burden Cost (Capital/startup): The Office of Job Corps is the process of automating of its Centers. The Center Information System (CIS) will allow all centers to directly input data into a national database. It is anticipated that the burden hours associated with preparation of forms will decrease significantly when the CIS is completely finalized. The capital/startup of this system is estimated to be \$8.08 Million for Hardware and Software.

Total Burden Cost (Operating/Maintaining): Operating and maintenance services associated with these are contracted yearly by the Federal government with various contractors. This is one of the many functions the contractors perform for which precise cost cannot be identified. However, at the present time, based on past experience, the annual costs for contractor staff and related costs estimated to be \$733,524 at an average cost of \$11.43 per hour.

Comments submitted in response to this comment request 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.

Signed at Washington, DC this 6, day of April 1998.

Mary H. Silva,

Director, Office of Job Corps.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[NAFTA-02127]

Omak Wood Products Inc., Omak, WA; Notice of Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration

By letter of March 6, 1998, the Washington State Labor Council, AFL-CIO, requested administrative reconsideration of the Department of Labor's Notice of Negative Determination Regarding Eligibility to Apply for NAFTA-Transitional Adjustment Assistance (NAFTA-02127) for workers of the subject firm. The denial notice was signed on February 20, 1998, and published in the **Federal Register** on March 16, 1998 (63 FR 12838).

The petitioner presents evidence that the investigation did not cover all products produced by workers of the subject firm.

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 27th day of March 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[NAFTA-02016 and NAFTA-02016A]

Umbro International and Umbro North America, Fairbluff, NC and Greenville, SC; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 250(a), Subchapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2273), the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance on January 8, 1998, applicable to all workers of Umbro North America located in Fairbluff, North Carolina. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on January 22, 1998 (63 FR 3352).

At the request of the company, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. The investigation findings show that Umbro International is the parent firm of Umbro North America. Findings also show that worker separations are expected to occur at the subject firm's Greenville, South Carolina location in March 1998 and continue through June 1998 when the entire company closes. The workers produce soccer shorts and jerseys as well as provide administrative and support function services for Umbro International. Also, the Department incorrectly limited the certification to "all workers engaged in employment related to the production of soccer shorts and jerseys."

Accordingly, the Department is amending the certification to cover workers at the Umbro International, Greenville, South Carolina.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include "all workers" of Umbro International, adversely affected by imports from Mexico and Canada.

The amended notice applicable to NAFTA-02016 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Umbro International, Umbro North America, Fairbluff, North Carolina (NAFTA-02016) and Greenville, South Carolina (NAFTA-02016A) who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after October 28, 1996 through January 8, 1998 are eligible to apply for NAFTA-TAA under Section 250 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 31st day of March 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment Standards Administration

Wage and Hour Division

Minimum Wages for Federal and Federally Assisted Construction; General Wage Determination Decisions

General wage determination decisions of the Secretary of Labor are issued in accordance with applicable law and are based on the information obtained by the Department of labor from its study of local wage conditions and data made available from other sources. They specify the basic hourly wage rates and fringe benefits which are determined to be prevailing for the described classes of laborers and mechanics employed on