

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 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, not later than January 18, 2000.

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, not later than January 18, 2000.

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, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC this 6th day of December, 1999.

Grant D. Beale,

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APPENDIX—PETITIONS INSTITUTED ON 12/06/1999

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of petition	Product(s)
37,131	Chevron Chemical (Wkrs)	Orange, TX	11/18/1999	Plastic and Polyethylene Resen.
37,132	Eileen Fisher (Wkrs)	Irvington, NY	11/03/1999	Ladies' Apparel.
37,133	Fuchs Systems (Co.)	Salisbury, NC	11/22/1999	Electric Arc Furnaces.
37,134	Advanced Manufacturing (Wkrs) ..	Willits, CA	11/09/1999	Precision Component Parts.
37,135	HI Fashion (UNITE)	Garfield, NJ	11/17/1999	Ladies' Jackets.
37,136	Lipton (Co.)	Suffolk, VA	11/23/1999	Instant Tea.
37,137	Hale Products (USWA)	Conshohocken, PA	11/18/1999	Pumps for Vehicles and Fire Trucks.
37,138	Headwear U.S.A. (Wkrs)	Pattonsburg, MO	11/18/1999	Caps.
37,139	Friendly Ice Cream (Wkrs)	Troy, OH	11/16/1999	Ice Cream.
37,140	Winatic Corporation (Wkrs)	Vestal, NY	11/15/1999	Transformers.
37,141	Summit Sportswear (Wkrs)	Minor Hill, TN	11/18/1999	T-Shirts.
37,142	Mitchell Energy (Co.)	The Woodlands, TX	11/12/1999	Crude Oil, Natural Gas.
37,143	William Carter Co. (The) (Wkrs) ...	Harlingen, TX	11/19/1999	Children's Apparel.
37,444	Allied Signal (Co.)	Mishawaka, IN	11/17/1999	Missile Targets.
37,145	HCC, Inc (Wkrs)	Earlville, IL	11/23/1999	Loaders—Agricultural.
37,146	National Standard (Wkrs)	Corbin, KY	11/24/1999	Steel Wire Rods.
37,147	Killark—Hubbell (Wkrs)	St. Louis, MO	11/24/1999	Presses.
37,148	Mt. Sterling—ILSCO (Co.)	Mt. Sterling, KY	11/24/1999	Electrical Connectors.
37,149	Moltrup Steel Products (USWA) ...	Beaver Falls, PA	11/15/1999	Steel Carbon and Alloy.
37,150	SCR Vision (Wkrs)	Medford, OR	11/22/1999	Optical Sorting/Grading Equipment.
37,151	GHagale Industries (Co.)	Marshfield, MO	11/23/1999	Casual Slacks and Shorts.
37,152	Goss Graphics Systems (USWA)	Wyomissing, PA	11/23/1999	Printing Presses.
37,153	Kelley's Controls	Odessa, TX	11/09/1999	Assemble Electrical Control Systems.
37,154	Phillips Joanna (Wkrs)	Ladd, IL	11/23/1999	Plastic Film.
37,155	Greenfield Industrial (Wkrs)	Solon, OH	11/19/1999	Subland Drills.
37,156	Ray Ban Sun Optics (Wkrs)	San Antonio, TX	11/20/1999	Sunglasses.
37,157	Chinet Company (The) (Co.)	Waterville, ME	11/30/1999	Laminated Molded Fiber Trays.
37,158	Paramount Knit (Co.)	Bourbon, MO	11/30/1999	Knit Headwear, Scarves, Dogswearers.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-37,149]

Moltrup Steel Products Company, Inc.,
Beaver Falls, PA; Notice of
Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on December 6, 1999 in response to a worker petition which was filed on behalf of workers at Moltrup Steel Products Company, Incorporated, Beaver Falls, PA.

The three petitioners were separated from the subject firm more than a year prior to the date of the petition (November 15, 1999). Section 223(b)(1) of the Trade Act of 1974 specifies that no certification may apply to any worker whose last separation occurred more than a year before the date of the petition. Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 17th day of December 1999.

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[TA-W-36,730]

Ray-Ban Sun Optics, Luxottica,
Formerly Known as Eyewear Division
of Bausch & Lomb, Rochester, New
York; 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 November 2, 1999, applicable to workers of Ray-Ban Sun Optics, Rochester, New York. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on December 2, 1999 (64 FR 67594). The certification was amended on December

6, 1999 to show that the company was formerly known as Eyewear Division of Bausch & Lomb. The notice will soon be published in the **Federal Register**.

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. The workers are engaged in the production of sunglasses. As indicated in the December 6, 1999 amended certification, the subject firm, originally named the Eyewear Division of Bausch & Lomb, was sold in June, 1999 to Luxottica and was renamed Ray-Ban Sun Optics. The State agency reports that some workers wages at the subject firm have been reported to the Unemployment Insurance (UI) tax account of Luxottica.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of the subject firm affected by increased imports. Therefore, the certification is again amended to include the workers at the Rochester, New York plant whose wages were reported to the Luxottica tax account.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-36,730 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Ray-Ban Sun Optics, Luxottica, formerly known as Eyewear