

of the certification would serve no purpose and the certification has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 30th day of October 1996.

Russell T. Kile,

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

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Federal-State Unemployment Compensation Program: Certifications Under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act for 1996

On October 31, 1996, the Secretary of Labor signed the annual certifications under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, 26 U.S.C. 3301 *et seq.*, thereby enabling employers who make contributions to State unemployment funds to obtain certain credits for their liability for the Federal unemployment tax. By letter of the same date the certifications were transmitted to the Secretary of the Treasury. The letter and certifications are printed below.

Dated: November 1, 1996.

Timothy M. Barnicle,

Assistant Secretary of Labor.

October 31, 1996.

The Honorable Robert Rubin,

Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D.C. 20220.

Dear Secretary Rubin: Transmitted herewith are an original and one copy of the certifications of the States and their unemployment compensation laws for the 12-month period ending on October 31, 1996. One is required with respect to normal Federal unemployment tax credit by Section 3304 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and the other is required with respect to additional tax credit by Section 3303 of the Code. Both certifications list all 53 jurisdictions.

Sincerely,

Robert B. Reich

Enclosures

Department of Labor, Office of the Secretary, Washington, D.C.

Certification of States to the Secretary of the Treasury Pursuant to Section 3304 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3304(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 3304(c)), I hereby certify the following named States to the Secretary of the Treasury for the 12-month period ending on October 31, 1996, in regard to the unemployment compensation laws of those States which heretofore have been

approved under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act:

Alabama
Alaska
Arizona
Arkansas
California
Colorado
Connecticut
Delaware
District of Columbia
Florida
Georgia
Hawaii
Idaho
Illinois
Indiana
Iowa
Kansas
Kentucky
Louisiana
Maine
Maryland
Massachusetts
Michigan
Minnesota
Mississippi
Missouri
Montana
Nebraska
Nevada
New Hampshire
New Jersey
New Mexico
New York
North Carolina
North Dakota
Ohio
Oklahoma
Oregon
Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico
Rhode Island
South Carolina
South Dakota
Tennessee
Texas
Utah
Vermont
Virginia
Virgin Islands
Washington
West Virginia
Wisconsin
Wyoming

This certification is for the maximum normal credit allowable under Section 3302(a) of the Code.

Signed at Washington, DC, on October 31, 1996.

Robert B. Reich,

Secretary of Labor.

Department of Labor, Office of the Secretary, Washington, D.C.

Certification of State Unemployment Compensation Laws to the Secretary of the Treasury Pursuant to Section 3303(b)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986

In accordance with the provisions of paragraph (1) of Section 3303(b) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 3303(b)(1)), I hereby certify the unemployment compensation laws of the following named States, which heretofore have been certified pursuant to paragraph (3) of Section 3303(b) of the Code, to the Secretary of the Treasury for the 12-month period ending on October 31, 1996:

Alabama
Alaska
Arizona
Arkansas
California
Colorado
Connecticut
Delaware
District of Columbia
Florida
Georgia
Hawaii
Idaho
Illinois
Indiana
Iowa
Kansas
Kentucky
Louisiana
Maine
Maryland
Massachusetts
Michigan
Minnesota
Mississippi
Missouri
Montana
Nebraska
Nevada
New Hampshire
New Jersey
New Mexico
New York
North Carolina
North Dakota
Ohio
Oklahoma
Oregon
Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico
Rhode Island
South Carolina
South Dakota
Tennessee
Texas

Utah
 Vermont
 Virginia
 Virgin Islands
 Washington
 West Virginia
 Wisconsin
 Wyoming

This certification is for the maximum additional credit allowable under Section 3302(b) of the Code.

Signed at Washington, DC, on October 31, 1996.

Robert B. Reich,
Secretary of Labor.

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[NAFTA—00633]

General Electric Company, GE Transportation Systems—Erie, Erie, Pennsylvania; Notice of Revised Determination on Reconsideration

On November 21, 1995, the Department issued a Negative Determination Regarding Eligibility to Apply for NAFTA-Transitional Adjustment Assistance, applicable to all workers of General Electric Company, GE Transportation Systems located in Erie, Pennsylvania. The denial notice was published in the Federal Register on December 1, 1995 (60 FR 61711).

The initial investigation resulted in a negative determination because criteria (3) and (4) of the Eligibility Requirements of Section 250 of the Trade Act, as amended, were not met for workers at the subject firm. There was no shift in production from General Electric Company of locomotives or locomotive parts from Mexico or Canada, nor did the subject firm import these products from Mexico or Canada.

Based on new information received from counsel for the petitioners, the department, on its own motion,

reviewed the findings of the investigation. The petitioning workers were engaged in the production of locomotives and locomotive parts. New findings show that beginning in July 1995, the production of motor coils was shifted from the subject firm's Erie, Pennsylvania production facility to Mexico.

Conclusion

After careful review of the additional facts obtained on reopening, I conclude that there was a shift in production from the workers' firm to Mexico of articles that are like or directly competitive with those produced by the subject firm. In accordance with the provisions of the Act, I make the following revised determination:

"All workers of General Electric Company, GE Transportation Systems, Erie, Pennsylvania, engaged in the production of motor coils who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after October 2, 1994, are eligible to apply for NAFTA-TAA under Section 250 of the Trade Act of 1974."

Signed at Washington, DC, this 31st day of October 1996.

Russell T. Kile,

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

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Investigations Regarding Certifications of Eligibility To Apply for NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance

Petitions for transitional adjustment assistance under the North American Free Trade Agreement-Transitional Adjustment Assistance Implementation Act (P.L. 103-182), hereinafter called (NAFTA-TAA), have been filed with State Governors under Section 250(b)(1) of Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, are

identified in the Appendix to this Notice. Upon notice from a Governor that a NAFTA-TAA petition has been received, the Program Manager of the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance (OTAA), Employment and Training Administration (ETA), Department of Labor (DOL), announces the filing of the petition and takes actions pursuant to paragraphs (c) and (e) of Section 250 of the Trade Act.

The purpose of the Governor's actions and the Labor Department's investigations are to determine whether the workers separated from employment after December 8, 1993 (date of enactment of P.L. 103-182) are eligible to apply for NAFTA-TAA under Subchapter D of the Trade Act because of increased imports from or the shift in production to Mexico or Canada.

The petitioners or any other persons showing a substantial interest in the subject matter of the investigations may request a public hearing with the Program Manager of OTAA at the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) in Washington, D.C. provided such request is filed in writing with the Program Manager of OTAA not later than November 25, 1996.

Also, interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the petitions to the Program Manager of OTAA at the address shown below not later than November 25, 1996.

Petitions filed with the Governors are available for inspection at the Office of the Program Manager, OTAA, ETA, DOL, Room C-4318, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 5th day of November, 1996.

Russell Kile,

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

APPENDIX

Petitioner (union/workers/firm)	Location	Date received at Governor's office	Petition No.	Articles produced
Seams Right (Wkrs)	St. Mary's, MO	10/16/96	NAFTA-01274	Bras.
United Technologies Automotive (USWA).	North Manchester, IN	10/15/96	NAFTA-01275	Battery cables and wiring harnesses.
Dal-Tile International (Wkrs)	Pocatello, ID	10/11/96	NAFTA-01276	Tile.
U.S. Natural Resources (Wkrs)	Portland, OR	10/14/96	NAFTA-01277	Sawmill machinery.
Saranac (vabry) Glove and Mitten (Wkrs)	Marinette, WI	10/14/96	NAFTA-01278	Leather gloves.
Tri-Con Industries (Wkrs)	Livingston, TN	10/11/96	NAFTA-01279	Automotive seat covers.
Litco International (Co.)	Parkersburg, WV	10/19/96	NAFTA-01280	Wooden pallets.
Mont Source (Wkrs)	Newport Beach, CA	10/16/96	NAFTA-01281	Hair and shave care products and colognes.
Faneuil Research (Wkrs)	Chicago, IL	10/18/96	NAFTA-01282	Customer services.
Rexel, Inc. (Wkrs)	Miami, FL	10/17/96	NAFTA-01283	Distributor.