

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993 Compass: Commercial Object Model of Products/Processes for an Advanced Shipbuilding System

Notice is hereby given that, on September 30, 1996, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Intergraph Corporation has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the venture. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are: Intergraph Corporation, Huntsville, AL; ABS Americas, Houston, TX, a division of American Bureau of Shipping, New York, NY; Newport News Shipbuilding, Newport News, VA; the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. The nature and objective of the joint venture is to develop a comprehensive next-generation design and data management platform that will integrate the entire ship lifecycle and enable the U.S. Commercial shipbuilding industry to automate and revitalize. The activities of this venture are partially funded through a Cooperative Agreement with the Office of Naval Research.

Constance K. Robinson,

Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

June 24, 1997.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection requests (ICRs) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). A copy of each individual ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of

Labor, Departmental Clearance Officer, Theresa M. O'Malley (202 219-5096 ext. 143) or by E-Mail to OMalley-Theresa@dol.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TTY/TDD) may call 202 219-4720 between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for ETA, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 (202 395-7316), within 30 days from the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

The OMB 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 submission of responses.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Customer Survey.

OMB Number: 1205-0190

(reinstatement with change).

Frequency: As needed.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit Government.

Number of Respondents: 2,220.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 1 hour 46 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 3,951.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: 0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): 0.

Description: Survey form designed to determine whether customers of firms who workers have applied for Trade Adjustment Assistance have increased imports.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Business Confidential Data Request.

OMB Number: 1205-0197 (reinstatement with change).

Frequency: As needed.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit Government.

Number of Respondents: 1,500.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 3 hours.

Total Burden Hours: 4,500.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: 0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): 0.

Description: Firms whose workers have applied for Trade Adjustment Assistance supply data to enable to Department of Labor to determine eligibility for benefits.

Agency: Employment and Training Administration.

Title: Confidential Data Request Oil and Gas Drilling and Exploration Oil Field Services (reinstatement with change).

OMB Number: 1210-0272.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 75.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 3 hours.

Total Burden Hours: 225.

Total Annualized capital/startup costs: 0.

Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services): 0.

Description: Firms in the petroleum industry whose workers have applied for Trade Adjustment Assistance supply data to enable to Department of Labor to determine eligibility for benefits.

Theresa M. O'Malley,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration**Notice of Determinations Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance and NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance**

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, the Department of Labor herein presents summaries of determinations regarding eligibility to apply for trade adjustment assistance for workers (TA-W) issued during the period of June, 1997.

In order for an affirmative determination to be made and a certification of eligibility to apply for worker adjustment assistance to be issued, each of the group eligibility

requirements of Section 222 of the Act must be met.

(1) That a significant number or proportion of the workers in the workers' firm, or an appropriate subdivision thereof, have become totally or partially separated,

(2) That sales or production, or both, of the firm or subdivision have decreased absolutely, and

(3) That increases of imports of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by the firm or appropriate subdivision have contributed importantly to the separations, or threat thereof, and to the absolute decline in sales or production.

Negative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In each of the following cases the investigation revealed that criterion (3) has not been met. A survey of customers indicated that increased imports did not contribute importantly to worker separations at the firm.

TA-W-33,364; Cone Mills, Granite Finishing Plant, Haw River, NC

TA-W-33,089; Industrial Dynamics Co., Ltd., Torrance, CA

TA-W-33,271; Complex Tooling & Molding, Boulder, CO

TA-W-33,196; GE-Transmission Systems (GETS) of General Electric Corp., Ft. Edward, NY

TA-E-33,354; Idaho Pole Co., Bozeman, MT

TA-W-33,439; Damrow Co., Inc., GEA Group, Fond Du Lac, WI

In the following cases, the investigation revealed that the criteria for eligibility have not been met for the reasons specified.

TA-W-33,403; Acme Boot Co., Clarksville, TN

TA-W-33,445; NCR St. Petersburg Repair Center, St. Petersburg, FL

The workers firm does not produce an article as required for certification under Section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974.

TA-W-33,443; Deputy Orthopaedics, Inc., Kellogg Industries, Jackson, MI

The preponderance in the declines in employment are related to a decision by management to consolidate production to a lower cost operation in Tracey, CA. Company sales and production increased during the relevant period.

TA-W-33,455; Mundet-Hermetite, Inc., Lexington, VA

All production at the subject plant was for export sales. Loss of export sales cannot be used as a basis for certification under the Trade Act of 1974.

TA-W-33,338; The Standard Products, Lexington, KY

TA-W-33,452; Precision Scientific Div., of Jovan, Inc., Chicago, IL

Increased imports did not contribute importantly to worker separations at the firm.

TA-W-33,483; Puget Sound Log Scaling & Grading Bureau, Thorne Bay, AK

The investigation revealed that criteria (1) has not been met. A significant number or proportion of the workers did not become totally or partially separated as required for certification.

Affirmative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance

The following certifications have been issued; the date following the company name & location for each determination references the impact date for all workers for such determination.

TA-W-33,490; Coats North America Talon, Inc., Cleveland, GA: April 21, 1996.

TA-W-33,480; Shana Knitwear, Inc., Greensboro, NC: May 2, 1996.

TA-W-33,412; Reggie Manufacturing, Inc., Byrdstown, TN: March 27, 1996.

TA-W-33,506; Louisiana-Pacific Corp., Chilco OSB, Chilco, ID: June 5, 1997.

TA-W-33,427; JH Collectibles, Pigeon Forge, TN: March 18, 1996.

TA-W-33,376; PL Subsidiary, Inc., PL Garment Finishers, Gibson, GA: March 1, 1996.

TA-W-33,501; Power Systems, Inc., Bloomfield, CT: May 5, 1996.

TA-W-33,393; Gramercy Mills, Inc., Fairfield, NJ: February 25, 1996.

TA-W-33,442; The Colber Corp., Irvington, NJ: April 9, 1996.

TA-W-33,405; Wayne Manufacturing, Inc., Byrdstown, TN: April 4, 1996.

TA-W-33,389; Rayovac Corp., Kingston, NC: March 25, 1996.

TA-W-33, 474; Fisher-Price, East Aurora, NY: April 30, 1996.

TA-W-33, 475; Mattel Fisher, Medina, NY: April 30, 1996.

TA-W-33, 459; Copper Basin Garments, Inc., Copperhill, TN: April 14, 1996.

TA-W-33, 236; Tinnin Garment Co., Fredericktown, MO: February 10, 1996.

TA-W-33, 463; Champion Products, Inc., Perry, NY: April 17, 1996.

TA-W-33, 406; G & L Apparel, Inc., Livingston, TN: March 12, 1996.

TA-W-33, 326; Owens-Illinois Closure, Inc., Erie, PA: February 28, 1996.

TA-W-33, 545; Sta-Kool Laundries, Inc., Rocky Mount, NC: May 21, 1996.

TA-W-33, 420; United Technologies Automotive, Inc., Zanesville, OH: March 25, 1996.

TA-W-33, 539; Activewear Co., Inc., Athens, GA: May 17, 1996.

TA-W-33, 539; Activewear Co., Inc., Athens, GA: May 17, 1996.

TA-W-33, 484; Cookson Pigments, Inc., Newark, NJ: April 28, 1996.

TA-W-33, 548; C.O.L.A., Jersey City, NJ: April 15, 1996.

TA-W-33, 503 & A; Jasper Textiles Co., Inc., Fremont, NC: May 27, 1996.

and Havelock, NC: May 30, 1996.

Also, pursuant to Title V of the North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (Pub. L. 103-182) concerning transitional adjustment assistance hereinafter called (NAFTA-TAA) and in accordance with Section 250(a) Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act as amended, the Department of Labor presents summaries of determinations regarding eligibility to apply for NAFTA-TAA issued during the month of June, 1997.

In order for an affirmative determination to be made and a certification of eligibility to apply for NAFTA-TAA the following group eligibility requirements of section 250 of the Trade Act must be met:

(1) That a significant number or proportion of the workers in the workers' firm, or an appropriate subdivision thereof, (including workers in any agricultural firm or appropriate subdivision thereof) have become totally or partially separated from employment and either—

(2) That sales or production, or both, of such firm or subdivision have decreased absolutely,

(3) That imports from Mexico or Canada of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by such firm or subdivision have increased, and that the increases in imports contributed importantly to such workers' separations or threat of separation and to the decline in sales or production of such firm or subdivision; or

(4) That there has been a shift in production by such workers' firm or subdivision to Mexico or Canada of articles like or directly competitive with articles which are produced by the firm or subdivision.

Negative Determinations NAFTA-TAA

In each of the following cases the investigation revealed that criteria (3) and (4) were not met. Imports from Canada or Mexico did not contribute importantly to workers' separations. There was no shift in production from the subject firm to Canada or Mexico during the relevant period.

NAFTA-TAA-01627; Deputy Orthopedics, Inc., Kellogg Industries, Jackson, MI

NAFTA-TAA-01617; The Standard Products Co., Lexington, KY

NAFTA-TAA-01624; Corning, Inc.,
Greenville, OH

NAFTA-TAA-01599; Rayovac Corp.,
Kinston, NC

NAFTA-TAA-01620; Damrow Co., Inc.,
GEA Group, Fond Du Lac, WI

NAFTA-TAA-01553; Associated Milk
Producers, Inc., El Paso, TX

NAFTA-TAA-01634; Pine Hill Plastics,
Inc., McMinnville, TN

In the following cases, the investigation revealed that the criteria for eligibility have not been met for the reasons specified.

None

Affirmative Determinations NAFTA-TAA

The following certifications have been issued; the date following the company name & location for each determination references the impact date for all workers for such determination.

NAFTA-TAA-01584; M & W Sewing,
Inc., Brooklyn, NY: March 19, 1996.

NAFTA-TAA-01641; Champion
Products, Inc., Perry, NY: April 14,
1996.

NAFTA-TAA-01644; Rockwood
Sportswear, Inc., Rockwood, TN:
April 30, 1996.

NAFTA-TAA-01637; Mundet-
Hermetite, Inc., Lexington, VA:
April 16, 1996.

NAFTA-TAA-01667; Special Plastic
Products, L.L.C., Fair Haven, MI:
April 16, 1996.

NAFTA-TAA-01588; Collins & Aikman,
U.S. Automotive Carpet Div., Port
Huron, MI: March 25, 1996.

NAFTA-TAA-01590; Lacy Diversified
Industries, Jessup Door Co. Div.,
Dowagiac, MI: March 19, 1996.

NAFTA-TAA-01659; CNI, Inc., Port
Huron Plant No. 1, Port Huron, MI:
May 9, 1996

I hereby certify that the aforementioned determinations were issued during the month of May 1997. Copies of these determinations are available for inspection in Room C-4318, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210 during normal business hours or will be mailed to persons who write to the above address.

Dated: May 30, 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-32,949; TA-W-32,950]

Barclay Home Products, Cherokee, NC and Robbinsville, NC; Notice of Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration

By letter of April 9, 1997, a former employee of the subject firm requested administrative reconsideration of the Department of Labor's Notice of Negative Determination Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance, applicable to petition numbers TA-W-32,949 and TA-W-32,950. The denial notice was signed on February 7, 1997 and published in the **Federal Register** on March 12, 1997 (62 FR 11472).

The petitioner presents new evidence that the Department's survey of the subject firm's customers was incomplete.

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 13th day of June 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

[TA-W-33,552]

Cascade Woolen Mill, Inc. Oakland, ME; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on June 2, 1997 in response to a worker petition which was filed on behalf of workers at Cascade Woolen Mill, Inc., Oakland, Maine.

The petitioning group of workers are subject to an ongoing investigation for which a determination has not yet been issued (TA-W-33,527). Consequently further investigation in this case would serve no purpose; and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 9th day of June, 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

[TA-2-33,015]

Sunbeam Corporation Cookeville, TN; Notice of Negative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration

By application dated April 12, 1997, the company requested administrative reconsideration of the Department's negative determination regarding worker eligibility to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The denial notice applicable to workers of the subject firm located in Cookeville, Tennessee, was signed on April 8, 1997 and published in the **Federal Register** on May 2, 1997 (62 FR 24134).

Pursuant to 29 CFR 90.18(c) reconsideration may be granted under the following circumstances:

- (1) If it appears on the basis of facts not previously considered that the determination complained of was erroneous;
- (2) If it appears that the determination complained of was based on a mistake in the determination of facts not previously considered; or
- (3) If in the opinion of the Certifying Officer, a misinterpretation of facts or of the law justified reconsideration of the decision.

Findings of the initial investigation showed that workers of Sunbeam Corporation in Cookeville produced armatures and fields for electric motors used in small kitchen appliances. The Department's denial of TAA for workers of the subject firm was based on the fact that the "contributed importantly" test of the Group Eligibility requirements of Section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, was not met. The articles produced by Sunbeam at the Cookeville plant were shipped to other Sunbeam facilities for assembly into small kitchen appliances. Sunbeam did not import component parts.

The company claims that the majority of the production at the Cookeville facility was shifted to a foreign facility. The components are being assembled into small kitchen appliances and are reentering the United States. Therefore,