

Products Corp., Bound Brook, NJ: January 21, 1997.

TA-W-34,166; *Mitsubishi Consumer Electronics America, Inc., Engineering Center; Costa Mesa, CA: January 9, 1997.*

TA-W-34,086; *Takata Restraint Systems, Inc., Highland Industries, Cheraw, SC: November 25, 1996.*

TA-W-34,165 & A; *Mitsubishi Consumer Electronics America, Inc., Braselton, GA and Norcross, GA: January 9, 1997.*

TA-W-34,192; *Handy Girl, LLC, Deer Park, MD: January 20, 1997.*

TA-W-33,830; *Calvin Klein, New York, NY: September 3, 1996.*

TA-W-34,127; *Country Elegance Wedding Weeds, Studio City, CA: December 14, 1996.*

TA-W-34,301 & A; *Tultex Corp., Dobson Plant, Dobson, NC and Chilhowie Plant, Chilhowie, VA: February 18, 1997.*

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 March, 1998.

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 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 Determination 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-01988; *Henschel*

Manufacturing, Potosi, MO

NAFTA-TAA-02220; *Klamath*

Machinery Co., Inc., Klamath Falls, OR

NAFTA-TAA-02189; *Oh My Goodknits, Allentown, PA*

NAFTA-TAA-02082; *C.R. Bard, Inc., Billerica, MA*

NAFTA-TAA-02184; *Michigan Carton Co., Battle Creek, MI*

NAFTA-TAA-02092; *Country Elegance*

Wedding Weeds, Studio City, CA

NAFTA-TAA-02178; *Oxford*

Automotive, Winchester, IN

NAFTA-TAA-02066; *Precision Textile, Inc., Hialeah, FL*

NAFTA-TAA-02157; *Fort James Corp., Towels and Tissue Div., Ashland, WI*

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

NAFTA-TAA-02232; *NPC Services, Inc., Ticket Services, Phoenix, AZ*

NAFTA-TAA-02227; *Lady Ester*

Lingerie Corp., Berwick, PA

The investigation revealed that the workers of the subject firm did not produce an article within the meaning of Section 250(a) of the Trade Act, as amended.

Affirmative Determinations NAFTA-TAA

NAFTA-TAA-02248; *Preator Construction, Inc., Cody, WY: March 5, 1997.*

NAFTA-TAA-02193; *Tultex Corp., Dobson Plant, Dobson, NC: January 29, 1997.*

NAFTA-TAA-02062; *Criterion Plastics, Inc., Kingsville, TX: Including Leased Workers of Manpower Temporary Services, Corpus Christi, TX and Kingsville, TX: December 5, 1996.*

NAFTA-TAA-02196; *Smartflex Systems, Inc., Tustin, CA: February 9, 1997.*

NAFTA-TAA-02228; *Hewlett-Packard Co., Vancouver Div. (VCD).*

Vancouver, WA: February 24, 1997

and Vancouver Printer Div. (VPR), Vancouver, WA: February 28, 1997.

NAFTA-TAA-02094; *Crown Cork and Seal Co., Inc., Philadelphia, PA:*

December 17, 1996.

NAFTA-TAA-02213; *Dee's*

Manufacturing, Inc., Burnsville, NC: February 24, 1997.

NAFTA-TAA-02206 & A; *Premier Knits, Inc., Daviston, AL and Wedowee, AL: February 21, 1997.*

NAFTA-TAA-02207; *Alabama Apparel, Inc., Dadeville, AL: February 18, 1997.*

NAFTA-TAA-02242; *Ringgold Apparel, Inc., Ringgold, GA: February 25, 1997.*

NAFTA-TAA-02116; *Viti Fashions, Inc., Hialeah, FL: December 5, 1996.*

NAFTA-TAA-02225; *Tray Special Products, a/k/a Gitsch Special Products, Inc., Dallas, TX: February 25, 1997.*

NAFTA-TAA-02173; *VIZ*

Manufacturing Co., a/k/a/ Sippican, Inc., Philadelphia, PA: January 28, 1997.

I hereby certify that the aforementioned determinations were issued during the month of March 1998. 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: March 24, 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-34,306]

DAA Draexlmaier Automotive of America, Duncan, SC; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on March 9, 1998 in response to a worker petition which was filed on behalf of workers and former workers at DAA Draexlmaier Automotive of America, located in Duncan, South Carolina (TA-W-34,306).

The Department of Labor has determined that the petitioner is covered by an existing certification, as amended (TA-W-31,128). Consequently, further investigation in this matter would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 23rd 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-31,128]

NETP, Inc., A/K/A DAA Draexlmaier Automotive of America, Niagara Falls, 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 Notice of Certification Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on June 29, 1995, applicable to workers of NETP, Inc. located in Niagara Falls, New York. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on July 19, 1995 (60 FR 37083).

At the request of petitioners, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New findings on review show that after the closure of the plant, some of the workers wages were reported to the Unemployment Insurance tax account under the parent company, DAA Draexlmaier Automotive of America, Duncan, South Carolina. The intent of the Department's certification is to

include all workers of NETP, Inc., who were affected by increased imports. Accordingly, the Department is amending the worker certification to reflect this matter.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-31,128 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of NETP, Inc., Niagara Falls, New York, including workers whose wages were paid by DAA Draexlmaier Automotive of America, Duncan, South Carolina, who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after May 30, 1994 through June 29, 1997, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed in Washington, D.C. this 23rd 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

Investigations Regarding Certifications of Eligibility To Apply for Workers 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 Acting 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 Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address show below, not later than April 13, 1998.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than April 13, 1998.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 16th day of March, 1998.

Grant D. Beale,

Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

Appendix

[Petitions instituted on March 16, 1998]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of petition	Product(s)
34,315	Northside Manufacturing (Co.)	Philipsburg, PA	03/02/98	Men's Suits and Sportswear.
34,316	Pinewood Casuals, Inc (Co.)	Philipsburg, PA	03/02/98	Men's Pants.
34,317	Sports Spectacular Int'l (Co.)	Philipsburg, PA	03/02/98	Men's Sport Coats.
34,318	Streamline Manufacturing (Co.)	Philipsburg, PA	03/02/98	Men's Suit Coats.
34,319	Parsons and Rives, Inc (Wkrs)	Independence, VA	03/03/98	Pre-Wash, Pressing etc. of Garments.
34,320	Montgomery Kone (Wkrs)	Moline, IL	03/03/98	Traction Elevator Hoisting Equipment.
34,321	Jean Hosiery Mill, Inc (Wkrs)	Villa Rico, GA	03/02/98	Hosiery—Socks.
34,322	Triboro Electric Co. L.P. (IBEW)	Doylestown, PA	03/02/98	Electrical Wiring Devices.
34,323	Cranston Print Works Co (Co.)	Fletcher, NC	02/24/98	Printed Fabrics.
34,324	Paragon Trade Brands (Wkrs)	Waco, TX	02/24/98	Ultra and Economy Disposable Diapers.
34,325	Masonite Corporation (IBT)	Ukiah, CA	02/27/98	Molded Door Facings.
34,326	Rubber Maid—Cortland (Wkrs)	Cortland, NY	02/25/98	Molded Parts for Rubber Maid Containers.
34,327	G and W Manufacturing (Co.)	Paducah, KY	03/02/98	Annealed Floral Wire.
34,328	Mexicana Airlines (Wkrs)	San Antonio, TX	02/25/98	Passenger Airline.
34,329	Jostens, Inc (Wkrs)	Attleboro, MA	03/04/98	High School Class Rings.
34,330	Clark Embroidery, Inc (Wkrs)	Jasper, AL	03/04/98	Embroidery—Golf Bags, Shirts.
34,331	Preator Construction (Wkrs)	Cody, WY	03/04/98	Exploration, Drilling, Oil and Gas.
34,332	NGK Metals Corporation (USWA)	Temple, PA	03/05/98	Cu-Be, Rod, Bar, Shapes & Strip Plate.
34,333	Phenix, Inc (Wkrs)	Morristown, TN	03/05/98	Pillowcases, Patient Gowns.
34,334	Fort James (Wkrs)	Camas, WA	03/04/98	Bond Paper, Towel and Tissue.
34,335	Estle Tops (Wkrs)	Huntington Park, CA	02/26/98	Tops, Blouses.
34,336	Nobel Biocare (Co.)	Oglesby, IL	03/03/98	Titanium Dental Implants.
34,337	Newton Company (Wkrs)	Newton, MS	03/03/98	Cotton denim jeans.