

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 10th day of July 1998.

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Acting Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Levi Strauss & Company; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for NAFTA-Transitional Adjustment Assistance

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At the request of the company, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New information received by the company shows that worker separations for those workers engaged in the manufacture of Dockers have also occurred, as well as separations from companies doing contract work at these Levi Strauss locations. Based on this new information, the Department is amending the certification to cover the subject firm's Docker workers as well as contract workers at the approved Levi Strauss facilities.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Levi Strauss and Company, including contract workers, who were adversely affected by increased imports from Mexico.

The amended notice applicable to NAFTA-01807 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Levi Strauss and Company, including Dockers and temporary or contract workers at the following facilities, who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after July 9, 1996 through August 7, 1999 are eligible to apply for NAFTA-TAA under Section 250 of the Trade Act of 1974:

NAFTA-01807K SAN FRANCISCO PLANT, San Francisco, CA 94103

NAFTA-01807L BLUE RIDGE PLANT, Blue Ridge, GA 30513

NAFTA-01807M VALDOSTA PLANT, Valdosta, GA 31601

NAFTA-01807N ROSWELL PLANT including RON'S PLACE, Roswell, NM 88201

NAFTA-01807O ALBUQUERQUE PLANT including THE PIT STOP Albuquerque, NM 87113

NAFTA-01807U WARSAW PLANT, Warsaw, VA 22572

NAFTA-01807Y FAYETTEVILLE PLANT including LIFESTYLES, and OFFICE FOR THE BLIND & VISUALLY IMPAIRED OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, Fayetteville AR

NAFTA-01807Z HARRISON PLANT including STAN PARTRIDGE CAFETERIA SERVICES, Harrison, AR

NAFTA-01807AB LEVI STRAUSS PRINT SHOP, Miami Lakes, FL.

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NAFTA-01807P CENTERVILLE PLANT, including ADAMS JANITORIAL SERVICES and FRANKS VENDING SERVICES, Centerville, TN 37033

NAFTA-01807Q KNOXVILLE SEWING PLANT, including CANTEEN FOOD SERVICES, GUARDSMARK, INC., and IH SERVICES, INC., Knoxville, TN 37917

NAFTA-01807R KNOXVILLE FINISHING PLANT, including CANTEEN FOOD SERVICES, MASTER AMERICA, and GUARDSMARK, Knoxville, TN 37917

NAFTA-01807S MOUNTAIN CITY PLANT, Mountain City, TN 37683

NAFTA-01807T POWELL PLANT, Powell, TN 37849

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- NAFTA-01807 Goodyear Cutting Facility, El Paso, TX 79936
- NAFTA-01807A Pellicano Finishing Facility, El Paso, TX 79936
- NAFTA-01807B Lomaland Plant, including Window Pros, Guardsmark, Inc., EAP Independent Counselor, and Judith's Cafeteria, El Paso, TX 79935
- NAFTA-01807C Eastside Plant, including Texas Commission for the Blind, El Paso, TX 79915
- NAFTA-01807D Cypress Plant, El Paso, TX 79905
- NAFTA-01807E Airway Plant, including Texas Commission for the Blind, Office of Janitorial Services, and Independent EAP Counselor, El Paso, TX 79925
- NAFTA-01808F Amarillo Finishing Plant, Amarillo, TX 79107
- NAFTA-01807G Brownsville Plant, Brownsville, TX 78521
- NAFTA-01807H Harlingen Plant, Harlingen, TX 78550
- NAFTA-01807I San Angelo Plant, including Classic Food Service, San Angelo, TX 76905
- NAFTA-01807J San Antonio Finishing Center, San Antonio, TX 78227
- NAFTA-01807V San Antonio Plant, San Antonio, TX 78227
- NAFTA-01807W Kastrin Street Plant, El Paso, TX 79907
- NAFTA-01807X San Benito Plant, San Benito, TX 78586

NAFTA-01807AA Dallas CF Regional Office, Dallas, TX 75252."

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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 construction projects of a similar character and in the localities specified therein.

The determinations in these decisions of prevailing rates and fringe benefits have been made in accordance with 29 CFR Part 1, by authority of the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931, as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 276a) and of other Federal statutes referred to in 29 CFR Part 1, Appendix, as well as such additional statutes as may from time to time be enacted containing provisions for the payment of wages determined to be prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act. The prevailing rates and fringe benefits determined in these decisions shall, in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing statutes, constitute the minimum wages payable on Federal and federally assisted construction projects to laborers and mechanics of the specified classes engaged on contract work of the character and in the localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not utilizing notice and public comment procedure thereon prior to the issuance of these determinations as prescribed in 5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay in the effective date as prescribed in that section, because the necessity to issue current construction industry wage determinations frequently and in large volume causes procedures to be

impractical and contrary to the public interest.

General wage determination decisions, and modifications and supersedes decisions thereto, contain no expiration dates and are effective from their date of notice in the **Federal Register**, or on the date written notice is received by the agency, whichever is earlier. These decisions are to be used in accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR Parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the applicable decision, together with any modifications issued, must be made a part of every contract for performance of the described work within the geographic area indicated as required by an applicable Federal prevailing wage law and 29 CFR Part 5. The wage rates and fringe benefits, notice of which is published herein, and which are contained in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon And Related Act," shall be the minimum paid by contractors and subcontractors to laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or governmental agency having an interest in the rates determined as prevailing is encouraged to submit wage rate and fringe benefit information for consideration by the Department. Further information and self-explanatory forms for the purpose of submitting this data may be obtained by writing to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division, Division of Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room S-3014, Washington, D.C. 20210.

Modifications to General Wage Determination Decisions

The number of decisions listed in the Government Printing Office document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts" being modified are listed by Volume and State. Dates of publication in the **Federal Register** are in parentheses following the decisions being modified.

Volume I

Connecticut

CT980001 (Feb. 13, 1998)

CT980003 (Feb. 13, 1998)

CT980004 (Feb. 13, 1998)

New York

NY980002 (Feb. 13, 1998)

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NY980004 (Feb. 13, 1998)

NY980007 (Feb. 13, 1998)

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NY980010 (Feb. 13, 1998)

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