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| Subject firm | Location | Date received at governor's office | Petition No. | Articles produced |
| Third Generation (Co.) | Ware Shoals, SC | 01/04/2000 | NAFTA-3,657 | ladies apparel. |
| Third Generation (Co.) | Honea Path, SC | 01/04/2000 | NAFTA-3,657 | ladies apparel. |
| Martin Mills (Fruit of the Loom) (Wkrs). | St. Martinville, LA | 01/06/2000 | NAFTA-3,658 | t-shirts and briefs. |
| First Fleet (Wkrs) | Murfreesboro, TN | 01/10/2000 | NAFTA-3,659 | trucking service. |
| Sony Electronics (Co.) | Frackville, PA | 01/11/2000 | NAFTA-3,660 | audio speakers. |
| Fasco Motors Group (Wrks) | Eldon, MO | 01/12/2000 | NAFTA-3,661 | Fractional Horsepower Motors. |
| Gatesville Walls Industries (Comp) | Gatesville, TX | 01/12/2000 | NAFTA-3,662 | Insulated Clothing. |
| Walls Industries, Inc (Comp) | Carthage, MO | 01/12/2000 | NAFTA-3,663 | Insulated Clothing. |
| Snap-On, Inc. (Wrks) | Ottawa, IL | 01/12/2000 | NAFTA-3,664 | Electrical Harnesses. |
| Cooper Lighting () | Elk Grove Village, IL | 01/12/2000 | NAFTA-3,665 | Lighting Fixtures. |
| Otis Elevator () | Bloomington, IN | 01/11/2000 | NAFTA-3,666 | Fixtures. |
| Winpak Portion Packaging () | Bristol, PA | 01/13/2000 | NAFTA-3,667 | Single Service Dairy Containers. |
| Barrick Goldstrike (Wrks) | Elko, NV | 01/13/2000 | NAFTA-3,668 | Gold. |
| Mineral Ridge Resources, Inc. | Silver Peak, NV | 01/11/2000 | NAFTA-3,669 | Gold Mine. |
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| PacifiCorp (Wrks) | Portland, OR | 01/14/2000 | NAFTA-3,670 | Power Electricity. |
| Southeast Stevedoring Corp (Wrks). | Ketchikan, AK | 01/13/2000 | NAFTA-3,671 | Hire Longshoremen. |
| Miller International, Inc (Comp) | Rocky Ford, CO | 01/18/2000 | NAFTA-3,672 | Ladies' Jeans and Vests. |
| Apparel Specialist (Co.) | Green Bay, WI | 01/21/2000 | NAFTA-3,673 | embroidered and screen print on clothes. |
| Florence Eiseman (Wkrs) | Milwaukee, WI | 01/21/2000 | NAFTA-3,674 | girls dresses, coats and baby clothes. |
| KTI Energy of Martinsville (Co.) | Martinsville, VA | 01/18/2000 | NAFTA-3,675 | steam. |
| BICC General (Wkrs) | Williamstown, MA | 01/13/2000 | NAFTA-3,676 | cord sets. |
| American Timber (Wkrs) | Olney, MT | 01/14/2000 | NAFTA-3,677 | stud lumber and byproducts. |
| John Plant Company (The) (Co.) | Ramseur, NC | 01/14/2000 | NAFTA-3,678 | lightweight industrial gloves. |
| Nordic Group (The) (Wkrs) | Hubbard, OR | 01/18/2000 | NAFTA-3,679 | outerwear. |
| Sause Bros./Southern Oregon Maine (Wkrs). | Coos Bay, OR | 01/14/2000 | NAFTA-3,680 | repair maintenance. |
| Smiley Container—Russell Stover Candies (PACE). | Poplar Bluff, MO | 01/25/2000 | NAFTA-3,681 | boxes, bows and ribbons. |
| Colorado Greenhouse (Co.) | Westminster, CO | 01/19/2000 | NAFTA-3,682 | tomatoes. |
| Nova Bus (Wkrs) | Roswell, NM | 01/19/2000 | NAFTA-3,683 | large commercial buses. |
| Allied Signal—Honeywell (Wkrs) | Torrance. CA | 01/18/2000 | NAFTA-3,684 | automotive turbo chargers. |
| ASC (Wkrs) | Rancho Domingez, CA | 01/19/2000 | NAFTA-3,685 | convertible tops. |
| General Electric (IUE) | Tell City, IN | 08/26/1999 | NAFTA-3,686 | industrial motors. |
| Hewlett Packard (Wkrs) | Vancouver, WA | 01/24/2000 | NAFTA-3,687 | inkjet printers for computers |
| Motor Coils (IUE) | Emporium, PA | 01/24/2000 | NAFTA-3,688 | rebuilt traction motor. |
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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[NAFTA-3635]

Whistler Corporation of Massachusetts, Whistler Auto-Mation Products, Novi Electronics Facility, Novi, MI; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on October 14, 1999, in response to a worker petition which was filed by a company official on behalf of its workers at Whistler Corporation of Massachusetts, Whistler Auto-Mation Products, Novi Electrics Facility, located in Novi, Michigan.

The petitioner has requested that the petition be withdrawn. Consequently

further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed in Washington, DC this 24th day of January, 2000.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment Standards Administration Wage and Hours 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 Acts," 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 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, NW, Room S–3014, Washington, DC 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

None.

VOLUME II

None.

VOLUME III

None.

VOLUME IV

None.

 $VOLUME\ V$

None.

VOLUME VI

None.

VOLUME VII

None.

General Wage Determination Publication

General wage determinations issued under the Davis-Bacon and related Acts, including those noted above, may be found in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under The Davis-Bacon and Related Acts." This publication is available at each of the 50 Regional Government Depository Libraries and many of the 1,400 Government Depository Libraries across the country.

The general wage determinations issued under the Davis-Bacon and related Acts are available electronically by subscription to the FedWorld Bulletin Board System of the National Technical Information Service (NTIS) of the U.S. Department of Commerce at 1–800–363–2068.

Hard-copy subscriptions may be purchased from: Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402, (202) 512–1800.

When ordering hard-copy subscription(s), be sure to specify the State(s) of interest, since subscriptions may be ordered for any or all of the seven separate volumes, arranged by State. Subscriptions include an annual edition (issued in January or February) which includes all current general wage determinations for the States covered by each volume. Throughout the remainder of the year, regular weekly updates are distributed to subscribers.

Signed at Washington, DC this 27th day of January 2000.

Carl J. Poleskey,

Chief, Branch of Construction Wage Determinations.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Mine Safety and Health Administration

Petitions for Modification

The following parties have filed petitions to modify the application of mandatory safety standards under section 101(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977.

1. CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc.

[Docket No. M-1999-143-C]

CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc., Consol Plaza, 1800 Washington Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15241-1421 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.701 (grounding metallic frames, casings, and other enclosures of electric equipment) to its Rhoades Branch H-4 Mine (I.D. No. 15-18212) located in Lechter County, Kentucky. The petitioner proposes to use a diesel-generated source of low and medium voltage, three-phase electrical power during transportation of certain mobile equipment underground. The petitioner has listed in this petition specific terms and conditions for using the generator system. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the mandatory standard.

2. CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc.

[Docket No. M-1999-144-C]

CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc., Consol Plaza, 1800 Washington Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15241-1421 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.901(a) (protection of low- and medium-voltage three-phase circuits used underground) to its Rhoades Branch H-4 Mine (I.D. No. 15-18212) located in Lechter County, Kentucky. The petitioner proposes to use a diesel-generated source of low- and medium-voltage, three-phase electrical power during transportation of certain mobile equipment underground. The petitioner proposes to derive a low-and mediumvoltage, three-phase, alternating current for use underground from a portable, diesel-driven generator. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as the mandatory standard.

3. CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc.

[Docket No. M-1999-145-C]

CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc., Consol Plaza, 1800 Washington Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15241–1421 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.1101–8 (water sprinkler systems; arrangement of sprinklers) to its Rhoades Branch H–4 Mine (I.D. No. 15–18212) located in Lechter County, Kentucky. The petitioner proposes to use a single line of automatic sprinklers for its fire protection system on main and secondary belt conveyors. The