

or fill material into waters of the United States. The consent decree with Morris Brothers Farms further requires Morris Brothers Farms to pay (a) a \$20,000 civil penalty and (b) \$47,000 into an interest-bearing Registry Account of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois, to be used to conduct a wetland restoration at the Site if the United States obtains access to the Site through litigation or other means. In addition, the consent decree with Morris Brothers Farms provides that if the United States is not able to obtain access to the Site to conduct a wetland restoration, all funds in the Registry Account (except for 10% of the interest that is to be paid to the Court) will be deposited by the Clerk of the Court into the United States Treasury.

The consent decree between the United States and Joseph M. Morris permanently enjoins Joseph M. Morris from taking any actions, or causing others to take any actions, which result in the discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States. The consent decree with Joseph M. Morris further requires Joseph M. Morris, subject to the right of prior approval by the United States Army Corps of Engineers, to convey to an appropriate entity for conservation 68.7 acres of land that are immediately adjacent to the violation Site. The purpose of the conveyance is to provide a conservation area in which no development, excavation, or other disturbance will occur. To achieve that end, the conveyance shall contain several restrictions that are set forth in an exhibit to the consent decree with Joseph M. Morris.

The Department of Justice will receive written comments relating to the consent decrees for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this notice. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, United States Department of Justice, Attention: Steven E. Rusak, Trial Attorney, Environmental Defense Section, P.O. Box 23986, Washington, D.C. 20026-3986, and should refer to *United States v. Jane A. Young, et al.*, DJ Reference No. 90-5-1-6-580.

The proposed consent decrees may be examined at the Clerk's Office, United States District Court, United States Courthouse, 301 West Main Street, Benton, Illinois, 62812.

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Office of Justice Programs

#### Bureau of Justice Statistics; Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Request OMB emergency approval: National Prisoner Statistics: Prison Population Reports Midyear Counts (NPS-1A) and Advance Yearend Counts (NPS-1B)—Revision of a currently approved collection.

The Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Statistics has submitted the following information collection request, utilizing emergency review procedures, to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with Section 1320.13(a)(1)(ii) and (a)(2)(iii) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The Bureau of Justice Statistics has determined that it cannot reasonably comply with the normal clearance procedures under this Part because normal clearance procedures are reasonably likely to prevent or disrupt the collection of information. Therefore, OMB approval has been requested by April 15, 1998. If granted, the emergency approval is valid only for 180 days.

The proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. All comments should be directed to OMB, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs: Attention: Mr. Dennis Marvich, 202-395-3122, Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20503. Comments regarding the emergency submission of this information collection may also be submitted via facsimile to Mr. Marvich at 202-395-7285. During the first 60 days of this same period, a regular review of this information collection is also being undertaken. During the regular review period, BJS requests written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until June 9, 1998. During the 60-day regular review All comments and suggestions, or questions regarding additional information, to include obtaining a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, should be directed to Mr. James Stephan, Statistician, Corrections Statistics Branch, Bureau of Justice Statistics, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice, 810 7th Street N.W. Washington, DC 20531.

Comments regarding this information collection may also be submitted via facsimile to Mr. Stephan at 202-307-1463.

Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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.

Overview of this information collection:

(1) Type of information collection. Revision of a currently approved information collection.

(2) The title of the Form/Collection: National Prisoner Statistics: Prison Population Reports Midyear Counts (NPS-1A); and Prison Population Report Advance Yearend Counts (NPS-1B).

(3) The agency form number and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection. Form: NPS-1A; and NPS-1B. Correction Statistics, Bureau of Justice Statistics, Office of Justice Programs, United States Department of Justice.

(4) Affected public who will be asked to respond, as well as a brief abstract: Primary: State Departments of Corrections. Others: The Federal Bureau of Prisons. For the NPS-1A Form, 52 central reporters (one from each State, the District of Columbia, and the Federal Bureau of Prisons) responsible for keeping records on inmates will be asked to provide information for the following categories:

(a) As of June 30 of the current year and June 30 of the previous year, the number of male and female inmates under this jurisdiction with maximum sentences of more than one year, one year or less; and unsentenced inmates; and

(b) As of June 30 of the current year, and June 30 of the previous year, the number of male and female inmates in their custody with maximum sentences

of more than one year, one year or less; and unsentenced inmates.

For the NPS-1B form, 52 central reporters (one from each State, the District of Columbia, and the Federal Bureau of Prisons) responsible for keeping records on inmates will be asked to provide information for the following categories:

(a) As of December 31 of the current year, and December 31 of the previous year, the number of male and female inmates under their jurisdiction with maximum sentences of more than one year, one year or less; and unsentenced inmates;

(b) The number of inmates housed in county or other local authority correctional facilities, or in other state or Federal facilities on December 31 of the current year solely to ease prison crowding;

As of the direct result of state prison crowding during the current year, the number of inmates released via court order, administrative procedure or statute, accelerated release, sentence reduction, emergency release, or other expedited release; and

(d) The aggregate rated, operational, and design capacities, by sex, of each State's correctional facilities at yearend. The Bureau of Justice Statistics uses this information in published reports and for the U.S. Congress, Executive Office of the President, practitioners, researchers, students, the media, and others interested in criminal justice statistics.

(5) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time needed for an average respondent to respond: 52 respondents each taking an average 2.5 hours to respond.

(6) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: 130 annual burden hours.

If additional information is required during the first 60 days of this same regular review period, contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: April 6, 1998.

**Robert B. Briggs,**

*Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-34, 048 and TA-W-34, 048A]

#### **Dresser-Rand Company, Painted Post and Corning, New York; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance**

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 USC 2273) the Department of Labor issued a Notice of Certification Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on January 21, 1998, applicable to workers of the Dresser-Rand Company located in Painted Post, New York. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on February 18, 1998 (63 FR 8211).

At the request of the company, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. The company reports that as a result of the layoffs at the Painted Post facility layoffs have also occurred at the Dresser-Rand Company headquarters in Corning, New York.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of the Dresser-Rand Company adversely affected by increased imports. Accordingly, the Department is amending the certification to include workers of Dresser-Rand Company in Corning, New York.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-34,048 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Dresser-Rand Company, Painted Post, New York (TA-W-34,048) and Dresser-Rand Company in Corning, New York (TA-W-34, 048A) who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after November 18, 1996 through January 21, 2000, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed in Washington, DC this 30th 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-34,297]

#### **Dresser-Rand Co., Corning, NY; 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 February 23, 1998 on behalf of workers at Dresser-Rand Company located in Corning, New York (TA-W-34,297).

The petitioning group of workers are covered under an existing Trade Adjustment Assistance certification (TA-W-34,048A). Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 30th 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 Worker 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 of 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