

Register on September 29, 1999 (64 FR 52539).

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.

The petitioner acknowledges that the workers of Rust Tractor do not produce an article but asserts that the company is the only "Caterpillar Licensed" dealer in New Mexico and El Paso, and as such, considers the workers to be a subsidiary of Caterpillar, Inc. The petitioner states that the Rust Tractor layoffs were attributable to the loss of revenue resulting from competition from Komatsu haul trucks made in Japan.

The TAA petition, filed on behalf of workers of Rust Tractor Company, Silver City, New Mexico, engaged in employment related to selling and servicing of heavy equipment was denied because the workers provided a service and did not produce an article as required in Section 222(3) of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended. The Department does stand corrected that the workers of Rust Tractor Company, Silver City, New Mexico provided their services to the copper industry, not the petroleum industry as reported in the Department's August 4, 1999 determination. The findings of the investigation revealed that there was no corporate affiliation with Caterpillar or any other firm.

Only in very limited instances are service workers certified for TAA, namely the worker separation must be caused by a reduced demand for their services from a parent or controlling firm or subdivision whose workers produce an article and who are currently under a certification for TAA. There is no existing TAA certification for workers of Rust Tractor Company.

Conclusion

After review of the application and investigative findings, I conclude that there has been no error or misinterpretation of the law or of the facts which would justify reconsideration of the Department of Labor's prior decision. Accordingly, the application is denied.

Signed at Washington, DC this 4th day of October 1999.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-35,284S and TAS-W-35,284 T]

Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc.; 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 Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on January 21, 1999, applicable to workers of Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc., headquartered in New Orleans, Louisiana and operating off the shore of Louisiana in the Gulf of Mexico. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on February 25, 1999 (64 FR 9354).

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. The workers are engaged in the exploration and production of crude oil and natural gas. The company reports that Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc. "became also known as Shell International Exploration and Production, Inc." in July, 1999.

Accordingly, the Department is amended the certification determination to correctly identify the new title name to read "Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc., also known as Shell International Exploration and Production, Inc." headquartered in New Orleans, Louisiana and operating off the shore of Louisiana in the Gulf of Mexico.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc. who were adversely affected by increased imports.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-35,284S and TA-W-35,284T is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc., also known as Shell International Exploration and Production, Inc., headquartered in New Orleans, Louisiana (TA-W-35,284S) and operating off the shore of Louisiana in the Gulf of Mexico (TA-W-35,284T) who became totally or partially separated from

employment on or after November 16, 1997 through January 21, 2001 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC this 4th day of October, 1999.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-35,468]

Wilson Sporting Goods Company, Sparta, TN; Dismissal of Application for Reconsideration

Pursuant to 29 CFR 90.18(C) an application for administrative reconsideration was filed with the Director of the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance for workers at the Wilson Sporting Goods Company, Sparta, Tennessee. The application contained no new substantial information which would bear importantly on the Department's determination. Therefore, dismissal of the application was issued.

TA-W-35,468; *Wilson Sporting Goods Company, Sparta, Tennessee* (September 30, 1999)

Signed at Washington, DC this 4th day of October, 1999.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-36-297, 297A and 297B]

Woolrich, Incorporated; 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 Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on June 21, 1999, applicable to workers of Woolrich, Incorporated, Soperton Facility, Soperton, Georgia. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on July 20, 1999 (FR 64 38921).

At the request of the company, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New information shows that worker separations have occurred at the subject firms' Jersey Shore and Woolrich, Pennsylvania locations. Workers at these facilities are engaged in cutting and production of fabrics used in the production of ladies' and men's shirts/blouses at Woolrich, Incorporated. The Woolrich, Pennsylvania location is also the Headquarters and administrative office for the subject firm. The workers provide administration and support function services to Woolrich's manufacturing facilities.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Woolrich, Incorporated adversely affected by increased imports.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-36,297 is hereby issued as follows:

"All workers of Woolrich, Incorporated, Soperton facility, Soperton, Georgia (TA-W-36,297), Jersey Shore, Pennsylvania (TA-W-36,297A), and headquarters and production facility, Woolrich, Pennsylvania (TA-W-36,297B) who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after May 21, 1998 through June 21, 2001 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974."

Signed at Washington DC this 30th day of September, 1999.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment Standards Administration

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)]. This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be

properly assessed. Currently, the Employment Standards Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed extension collections of Final Regulations, 29 CFR Part 9, Executive Order 12933 of October 20, 1994; Nondisplacement of Qualified Workers under Certain Contracts. A copy of the proposed information collection request can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before December 17, 1999.

ADDRESSEES: Ms. Patricia A. Forkel, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Ave., NW, Room S-3201, Washington, DC 20210, telephone (202) 693-0339 (this is not a toll-free number), fax (202) 693-1451.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

On October 20, 1994, the President signed Executive Order 12933, Nondisplacement of Qualified Workers Under Certain Contracts. The Executive Order requires that workers on a service contract for maintenance of a public building be given the right of first refusal for employment in positions for which they were qualified with the successor contractor, if those employees would otherwise lose their jobs as a result of the termination of the predecessor contractor's contract.

II. Review Focus

The Department of Labor 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 submissions of responses.

III. Current Actions

The Department of Labor seeks the extension of approval to collect this information in order to carry out its obligation to determine compliance with the Executive Order and its regulations.

Type of Review: Extension.

Agency: Employment Standards Administration.

Title: 29 CFR Part 9—Executive Order 12933 of October 20, 1994; Nondisplacement of Qualified Workers Under Certain Contracts.

OMB Number: 1215-0190.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit; Individuals or households; Federal Government.

Total Respondents: 88.

Frequency: On occasion.

Total Responses: 88.

Average Time per Response: 15 minutes.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 22.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): \$0.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintenance): \$0.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: October 12, 1999.

Margaret J. Sherrill,

Chief, Branch of Management Review and Internal Control, Division of Financial Management, Office of Management Administration and Planning, Employment Standards Administration.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 99-132]

NASA Advisory Council, Advisory Committee on the International Space Station (ACISS); Meeting

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announces a meeting of the NASA Advisory Council, Advisory Committee on the International Space Station.

DATES: Tuesday, October 26, 1999, from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: National Aeronautics and Space Administration, 300 E Street, SW, Room MIC 7, Washington, DC 20546.