

Signed at Washington, DC, this 9th day of March 2005.

Elliott S. Kushner,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-56,449]

Fisher Scientific Company, A Division of Fisher Scientific International, Inc., Laboratory Equipment Division, Indiana, PA; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on February 1, 2005, in response to a petition filed by a company official on behalf of workers at Fisher Scientific Company, a division of Fisher Scientific International, Inc., Laboratory Equipment Division, Indiana, Pennsylvania.

The petitioner has requested that the petition be withdrawn. Consequently, the investigation has been terminated.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 8th day of March, 2005.

Richard Church,

Certifying Officer, Division 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 to this notice. Upon receipt of these petitions, the Director of the Division 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 Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than April 7, 2005.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than April 7, 2005.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room C-5311, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 15th day of March, 2005.

Timothy Sullivan,

Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX

[Petitions instituted between 02/28/2005 and 03/04/2005]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
56,648	Hamilton Sundstrand (Comp)	Grand Junction, CO	02/28/2005	02/22/2005
56,649	Seneca Foods Corp. (Wkrs)	Dayton, WA	02/28/2005	02/22/2005
56,650	Barnes Supply Co., Inc. (Comp)	Collinsville, VA	02/28/2005	02/24/2005
56,651	Profile Metal Forming (Comp)	Tullahoma, TN	02/28/2005	02/24/2005
56,652	Vishay Sprague (Comp)	Sanford, ME	02/28/2005	02/25/2005
56,653	Mercury Marine—Brunswick (Wkrs)	Fond du Lac, WI	02/28/2005	02/25/2005
56,654	ECC Corporation (Wkrs)	Jefferson, MA	02/28/2005	02/17/2005
56,655	BASF Corporation Agricultural Products (Comp)	Beaumont, TX	02/28/2005	02/02/2005
56,656	ICS Cutting Tools (Comp)	Casco, WI	03/01/2005	02/14/2005
56,657	Vernay Laboratories, Inc. (IUECWA)	Yellow Springs, OH	03/01/2005	02/14/2005
56,658	Pacific Coast Feather Co. (Wkrs)	Henderson, NC	03/01/2005	02/21/2005
56,659	Healthco International, LLC (Comp)	Dixville Notch, NH	03/01/2005	02/28/2005
56,660	GE Security (Comp)	Gladewater, TX	03/02/2005	02/28/2005
56,661	Johnston Textiles, Inc. (Wkrs)	Valley, AL	03/02/2005	03/01/2005
56,662	Olsonite Corporation (Comp)	Newnan, GA	03/02/2005	02/17/2005
56,663	Sohnen Enterprises, Inc. (State)	Santa Fe Spring, CA	03/02/2005	02/18/2005
56,664	Osram Sylvania (Comp)	Bangor, ME	03/02/2005	02/17/2005
56,665	Casual Lamps (State)	Gardena, CA	03/02/2005	02/25/2005
56,666	Aim Nationalease (Comp)	Old Fort, NC	03/02/2005	02/14/2005
56,667	Industrial Distribution Group (Comp)	West Jefferson, NC	03/03/2005	03/03/2005
56,668	Agrium U.S., Inc. (Comp)	Kenai, AK	03/03/2005	03/02/2005
56,669	Positive Systems, Inc. (Comp)	Whitefish, MT	03/03/2005	03/02/2005
56,670	Carolina Mills, Inc. (NC)	Maiden, NC	03/03/2005	02/14/2005
56,671	TSI Logistics (Wkrs)	Stockbridge, GA	03/03/2005	03/02/2005
56,672	Golden Northwest Aluminum (USWA)	Goldendale, WA	03/03/2005	03/01/2005
56,673	Keystone Weaving Mills, Inc. (Comp)	York, PA	03/03/2005	03/01/2005
56,674	CTS Wireless Componets (Wkrs)	Albuquerque, NM	03/03/2005	02/28/2005
56,675	Continental Tire North America (Wkrs)	Akron, OH	03/03/2005	02/02/2005
56,676	Regent Meg Co. (Wkrs)	San Francisco, CA	03/03/2005	03/01/2005
56,677	Wyeth Pharmaceutical (Wkrs)	Westchester, PA	03/03/2005	03/02/2005
56,678	Honeywell International, Inc. (Comp)	Lynn Haven, FL	03/03/2005	02/28/2005

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[Petitions instituted between 02/28/2005 and 03/04/2005]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
56,679	Beverly Enterprise (Wkrs)	Fort Smith, AR	03/03/2005	03/02/2005
56,680	Industrial Metal Products (State)	Lansing, MI	03/04/2005	02/24/2005
56,681	Lobdell-Emery/Oxford Automotive (Wkrs)	Greencastle, IN	03/04/2005	03/03/2005
56,682	American Express (Wkrs)	Phoenix, AZ	03/04/2005	03/03/2005
56,683	Intel (Wkrs)	Hillsboro, OR	03/04/2005	03/03/2005
56,684	Roaring and Cumberland Mfg., Inc. (Comp) ...	Sparta, TN	03/04/2005	03/01/2005
56,685	Global Textile Robotics, LLC (Wkrs)	Greenville, SC	03/04/2005	03/01/2005
56,686	McDade Apparel, LLC (Wkrs)	Warrenton, NC	03/04/2005	03/03/2005
56,687	KL-Arrow, Inc. (Comp)	Asheboro, NC	03/04/2005	03/02/2005
56,688	Lands' End (Wkrs)	Dodgeville, WI	03/04/2005	03/03/2005

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training
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[TA-W-53,997]

**Hollister, Inc., Kirksville
Manufacturing, Kirksville, MO; Notice
of Determination of Alternative Trade
Adjustment Assistance on Remand**

The U.S. Court of International Trade (USCIT) granted the Secretary of Labor's motion for a voluntary remand for further investigation in *Former Employees of Hollister, Inc. v. Elaine Chao, U.S. Secretary of Labor*, No. 04-00262, on February 1, 2005.

The workers of Hollister, Inc., Kirksville Manufacturing, Kirksville, Missouri ("Hollister") were certified as eligible to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) on February 11, 2004. The Notice of determination was published in the **Federal Register** on March 12, 2004 (69 FR 11890).

By letter dated March 19, 2004, the United Automotive Workers, Local 710, requested that Alternative Trade Adjustment Assistance (ATAA) be included in the TAA petition. The request was dismissed because the application for ATAA was not filed with the TAA petition, as required by the Secretary's interpretation of Section 246 of the Trade Act, Training and Employment Guidance Letter No. 2-03 (August 6, 2003). 69 FR 60904, October 13, 2004.

On June 28, 2004, the Plaintiff appealed to the USCIT, asserting that the workers were not provided the assistance and opportunity to request ATAA because the requirements for applying for ATAA were ambiguous.

On October 29, 2004, the Department issued Training and Employment Guidance Letter No. 2-03, Change 2,

"Requests for Certification under the Alternative Trade Adjustment Assistance (ATAA) Program for Certain Worker Groups Covered by Certified TAA Petitions" (TEGL 2-03, Change 2). 70 FR 8829-02, February 23, 2005. The Department's new TEGL concerning the filing of requests for group ATAA certification provides that worker groups whose petitions were still in process at the time of implementation of the ATAA program on August 6, 2003 and certified worker groups who filed petitions which did not include an option to apply for ATAA may request group ATAA certification after the filing of a TAA petition.

The Department construes the Plaintiff's letters as timely requests for group ATAA certification under TEGL 2-03, Change 2. Accordingly, the Department has conducted an investigation to determine the workers' eligibility to apply for ATAA certification.

The group eligibility certification criteria for the ATAA program under Section 246 the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2813), as amended, established that the Department must determine whether a significant number of workers in the workers' firm are 50 years of age or older, whether the workers in the workers' firm possess skills that are not easily transferable, and whether the competitive conditions within the workers' industry are adverse.

The remand investigation revealed that at least five percent of the workforce at the subject firm is at least fifty years of age, the workers possess skills that are not easily transferable, and competitive conditions within the industry are adverse.

Conclusion

After careful review of the facts, I conclude that the requirements of Section 246 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, have been met for workers at the subject firm. In accordance with the

provisions of the Act, I make the following certification:

All workers at Hollister, Inc., Kirksville Manufacturing, Kirksville, Missouri, who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after January 7, 2003 through February 11, 2006, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974, and are also eligible to apply for alternative trade adjustment assistance under Section 246 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 10th day of March, 2005.

Elliott S. Kushner,

*Certifying Officer, Division of Trade
Adjustment Assistance.*

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training
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[TA-W-56,497]

**Johnson Controls, Inc., Wamsutta
Plant, Anderson, SC; Notice of
Termination of Investigation**

Pursuant to section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on February 4, 2005 in response to a petition filed by a company official on behalf of workers at Johnson Controls, Inc., Wamsutta Plant, Anderson, South Carolina. Johnson Controls is an on site leased worker company for Springs Industries Wamsutta Plant, Anderson, South Carolina.

The petitioning group of workers is covered by an active certification, (TA-W-56,295A) which expires on February 16, 2007. Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose; therefore the investigation under this petition has been terminated.