

sec. 15, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 sec. 16, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 sec. 22, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
 sec. 23, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$.

The area described contains 850 acres of National Forest System Land in Clear Creek County.

2. The withdrawal made by this order does not alter the applicability of those public land laws governing the use of National Forest System land under lease, license, or permit, or governing the disposal of their mineral or vegetative resources other than under the mining laws.

3. This withdrawal will expire 50 years from the effective date of this order unless, as a result of a review conducted before the expiration date pursuant to Section 204(f) of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1714(f) (1988), the Secretary determines that the withdrawal shall be extended.

Dated: December 6, 1996.

Bob Armstrong,

Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Housing Guaranty Program; Notice of Investment Opportunity

The U.S. Agency for International Development ("USAID") has authorized the guaranty of a loan as evidenced by the guaranteed promissory notes to be issued by Infrastructure Leasing & Financial Services Limited (the "Borrower") as part of USAID's development assistance program. USAID has approved the Tiruppur Area Development Programme for funding under the Financial Institution Reform and Expansion Program ("FIRE") of up to twenty five million dollars (\$25,000,000). The proceeds of the loan will be used to finance a portion of the architectural, engineering and construction cost of a water and wastewater delivery, treatment and disposal systems for the City of Tiruppur, India and surrounding areas. At this time, the Borrower has authorized Siebert Brandford Shank & Co. ("Financial Advisor") to request sealed bids from eligible investors to purchase the notes under this program

in the amount of twenty-five million U.S. Dollars (US \$25,000,000) (the "Notes").

The full repayment of the Notes will be guaranteed by USAID. The USAID guaranty will be backed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America and will be issued pursuant to authority in Section 222 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (the "Act").

The name and address of the Borrower's representatives to be contacted by interested U.S. lenders or investors, and the amount of the loan and project number are indicated below: \$25,000,000

USAID Project No: 386-HG-IV
Housing Guaranty Loan No.: 386-HG-015-AO1, 386-HG-016-AO1

Mr. Shahzaad Dalal, Infrastructure Leasing & Financial Services Ltd., Mahindra Towers, 4th Floor Dr. G.M. Bhosale Marg, Worli, Mumbai, INDIA 011-91-22-493-5148, 011-91-22-493-0080 (fax)

Mr. Peter C. Wong, Siebert Brandford Shank & Co., 220 Sansome Street, 15th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94104, 415-439-4450, 415-439-4480 (fax).

Interested lenders and investors should contact the Borrower or its Financial Advisor to obtain a copy of the complete bid package which includes a Preliminary Offering Circular, an Official Bid Form, a Note Purchase Agreement and a Paying and Transfer Agency Agreement (together, the Bid Package) which contain the terms and conditions for the submission of sealed bids on the proposed guaranteed Notes under the Housing Guaranty Program. Interested lenders and investors should submit their bids to the Borrower's representatives, with a copy to USAID, by Wednesday, January 15, 1997, 11:00 a.m. (New York Time). Any bid submitted after the deadline will not be accepted.

The Borrower is currently considering the following structure on the proposed Notes:

Par Amount: U.S. \$25,000,000.

Term: 30 years (final maturity).

Interest Rate: Floating rate based on a three-month LIBOR with quarterly reset.

Mandatory Redemption: The amortization of principal on the Notes will begin on May 1, 2007 with equal quarterly mandatory redemption of principal through final maturity on February 1, 2007.

Optional Redemption: The Notes are subject to redemption at the option of the Borrower as more fully described in the Bid Package.

Redemption in Connection with Project Agreement: USAID reserves the

right to accelerate the loan in connection with a breach by the Borrower of the Project Agreement, dated March 8, 1994, between USAID and the Borrower; any such redemption would be at par plus accrued interest.

Closing Date: Closing will be within four (4) weeks after the acceptance of bids and award of the Notes to the bidder submitting the lowest effective interest cost to the Borrower. The award of the Notes to the winning bidder and the delivery of the Notes are subject to certain conditions required of the Borrower by USAID as set forth in agreements between USAID and the Borrower.

Lenders and investors eligible to receive the USAID guaranty are those specified in Section 238(c) of the Act. They are: (1) U.S. citizens; (2) domestic U.S. corporations, partnerships, or associations substantially beneficially owned by U.S. citizens; (3) foreign corporations whose share capital is at least 95 percent owned by U.S. citizens; and (4) foreign partnerships or associations wholly owned by U.S. citizens.

Information as to the eligibility of investors and other aspects of the USAID housing guaranty program can be obtained from: Ms. Vivian Gary, Director, Office of Environment and Urban Programs, U.S. Agency for International Development, 1601 Kent Street, Rosslyn, VA 22209, Telephone: (703) 875-4510, Facsimile: (703) 875-4639.

Dated: December 20, 1996.

Michael G. Kitay,

Assistant General Counsel, Bureau for Global Programs, Field Support and Research, U.S. Agency for International Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Notice of Determinations Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance and NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, the Department of Labor herein presents summaries of determinations regarding eligibility to apply for trade adjustment assistance for workers (TA-W) issued during the period of December, 1996.

In order for an affirmative determination to be made and a certification of eligibility to apply for worker adjustment assistance to be

issued, each of the group eligibility requirements of Section 222 of the Act must be met.

(1) That a significant number or proportion of the workers in the workers' firm, or an appropriate subdivision thereof, have become totally or partially separated,

(2) That sales or production, or both, of the firm or subdivision have decreased absolutely, and

(3) That increases of imports of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by the firm or appropriate subdivision have contributed importantly to the separations, or threat thereof, and to the absolute decline in sales or production.

Negative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In each of the following cases the investigation revealed that criterion (3) has not been met. A survey of customers indicated that increased imports did not contribute importantly to worker separations at the firm.

TA-W-32,881; *National Food Products, Limited, Reading, PA*

In the following cases, the investigation revealed that the criteria for eligibility have not been met for the reasons specified.

TA-W-32,836; *Father & Sons Stores, Scranton, PA*

TA-W-32,785; *Midas International, Inc., North Brunswick, NJ*

TA-W-32,842; *Sara Lee Bodywear, Mcadoo, PA*

TA-W-32,937; *Cogema Resources, Inc., Pathfinder Mines Corp., Shirley Basin Mine, Mills, WY*

The workers firm does not produce an article as required for certification under Section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974.

TA-W-32,894A; *AMP, Inc., Gastonia, NC*

The investigation revealed that criteria (1) and criteria (3) have not been met. A significant number or proportion of the workers did not become totally or partially separated as required for certification. Increases of imports of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by the firm or appropriate subdivision have not contributed importantly to the separations or threat thereof, and the absolute decline in sales or production.

Affirmative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance

The following certifications have been issued; the date following the company name & location for each determination references the impact date for all workers for such determination.

TA-W-32,782; *Hydro-Fit, Inc., Eugene, OR: September 30, 1995.*

TA-W-32,904; *James River Corp., Old Town, ME: July 22, 1996.*

TA-W-32,897; *Kibak Tile, Redmond, OR: October 15, 1995.*

TA-W-32,009; *Alde, Inc., San Francisco, CA: November 18, 1995.*

TA-W-32,848; *Anchor Glass Container Corp., Zanesville Mould Div., Zanesville, OH: October 3, 1995.*

TA-W-32,861; *Keystone Fireworks & Speciality Co., Dunbar, PA: October 14, 1995.*

TA-W-32,890; *Lambda Electronics, Inc., McAllen, TX: October 18, 1995.*

TA-W-32,894; *AMP, Inc., Lowell, NC: October 28, 1995.*

TA-W-32,690; *Bruckner Manufacturing Corp., (Formerly Faberware, Inc), Bronx, NY: July 29, 1995.*

Also, pursuant to Title V of the North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (P.L. 103-182) concerning transitional adjustment assistance hereinafter called (NAFTA-TAA) and in accordance with Section 250(a) Subchapter D, Chapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act as amended, the Department of Labor presents summaries of determinations regarding eligibility to apply for NAFTA-TAA issued during the month of November and December, 1996.

In order for an affirmative determination to be made and a certification of eligibility to apply for NAFTA-TAA the following group eligibility requirements of Section 250 of the Trade Act must be met:

(1) That a significant number of proportion of the workers in the workers' firm, or an appropriate subdivision thereof, (including workers in any agricultural firm or appropriate subdivision thereof) have become totally or partially separated from employment and either—

(2) That sales or production, or both, of such firm or subdivision have decreased absolutely,

(3) That imports from Mexico or Canada of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by such firm or subdivision have increased, and that the increases in imports contributed importantly to such workers' separations or threat of separation and to the decline in sales or production of such firm or subdivision; or

(4) That there has been a shift in production by such workers' firm or subdivision to Mexico or Canada of articles like or directly competitive with articles which are produced by the firm or subdivision.

Negative Determinations NAFTA-TAA

In each of the following cases the investigation revealed that criteria (3) and (4) were not met. Imports from Canada or Mexico did not contribute importantly to workers' separations. There was no shift in production from the subject firm to Canada or Mexico during the relevant period.

NAFTA-TAA-01289; *Magnatek, Huntington, IN*

NAFTA-TAA-01330; *Jensports, Div. of Charland Sportswear, New Kensington, PA*

NAFTA-TAA-01337; *Rayonier, Inc., Port Angeles Mill, Port Angeles, WA*

NAFTA-TAA-01347; *AMP, Inc., Erie, PA*

NAFTA-TAA-01368; *Armour Swift Eckrich, El Paso, TX*

NAFTA-TAA-01278; *Fabry Glove & Mitten Co., Div., of Saranac Glove Co., Marinette, WI*

In the following cases, the investigation revealed that the criteria for eligibility have not been met for the reasons specified.

NAFTA-TAA-01290; *Sara Lee Bodywear, Mcadoo, PA*

The investigation revealed that the workers of the subject firm did not produce an article within the meaning of Section 250(a) of the Trade Act, as amended.

Affirmative Determinations NAFTA-TAA

The following certifications have been issued; the date following the company name & location for each determination references the impact date for all workers for such determination.

NAFTA-TAA-01314; *Kibak Tile, Redmond, OR: October 14, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01315; *Hecht Manufacturing Co., Inc., Milwaukee, WI: October 30, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01346; *Hamilton Beach—Proctor Silex, Inc., Southern Pines, NC: November 19, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01319; *AMP, Inc., Lowell, NC: October 28, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01317; *Timberline Forest Products, Burlington, WA: October 25, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01334; *Wright-Bernet, Inc., Div. of Elkco Group, Inc., Hamilton, OH: November 5, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01342; *Springs Industries, Springs Window Fashions, City of Industry, CA: October 24, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01335; *Plaid Clothing Group, Inc., J. Schoeneman, Chambersburg, PA: November 5, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01324; *Alde, Inc., San Francisco, CA: October 1, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01316; *Lambda Electronics, Inc., McAllen, TX: October 18, 1995.*

NAFTA-TAA-01338; *Miller International, Inc., Rocky Mountain Clothing Co., Baxley, GA: October 31, 1995.*

I hereby certify that the aforementioned determinations were issued during the month of December, 1996. Copies of these determinations are available for inspection in Room C-4318, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210 during normal business hours or will be mailed to persons who write to the above address.

Dated: December 20, 1996.

Linda G. Poole,

Acting Program Manager, Policy & Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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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 Program Manager 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 Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than January 10, 1997.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than January 10, 1997.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Ave, NW, Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 16th day of December, 1996.

Linda G. Poole,

Acting Program Manager, Policy & Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX—PETITIONS INSTITUTED ON 12/16/96

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of petition	Product(s)
33,016	Paramount Headware (Wkrs)	Mountain Grove, MO ..	10/17/96	Baseball Caps.
33,017	Amy Industries (Wkrs)	Fort Gaines, GA	10/06/96	Knit Underwear.
33,018	California Fashion Ind. (Comp).	Los Angeles, CA	11/26/96	Ladies' Apparel.
33,019	Fox Packaging (Wkrs)	McAllen, TX	11/25/96	Plastic and Burlap Bags.
33,020	Weldotron Corp (Comp)	Piscataway, NJ	11/27/96	Automatic Sealer Systems.
33,021	Crown Industries, Inc (Wkrs)	Selma, AL	11/20/96	Sweatpants.
33,022	Quality Apparel Mfg, Inc (Comp).	New Bedford, MA	11/15/96	Children's & Ladies' Apparel.
33,023	Associated Food Stores (Comp).	Pocatello, ID	11/14/96	Grocery Distribution & Warehouse.
33,024	Eagles Nest, Inc (UMWA)	Johnstown, PA	12/04/96	Metallurgical Coal.
33,025	Imco Recycling of Calif. (Comp).	Corona, CA	11/22/96	Recycling Aluminum.
33,026	Clay Sportswear (Wkrs)	Moss, TN	12/02/96	Ladies' Sportswear.
33,027	Hanna Instruments Inc (Comp).	Woonsocket, RI	11/27/96	Meters.
33,028	Fun-Tees, Inc (Comp)	Concord, NC	12/04/96	Men's & Boys' Tee Shirts.
33,029	Willamette Industries (Comp)	Dallas, OR	11/13/96	Plywood.
33,030	General Textiles (Comp)	Murphy, NC	11/25/96	Ladies' Apparel.
33,031	Eaton Corporation (Comp) ...	Belmond, IA	12/05/96	Engine Valves.
33,032	All-American Apparel, Inc (Wkrs).	Salem, MO	12/05/96	Men's Top Apparel.
33,033	Energy Development Corp (Wkrs).	Houston, TX	12/03/96	Oil & Gas Production, Exploration.
33,034	Bristol Lingerie, Inc (Wkrs) ...	Bristol, VA	11/12/96	Ladies' Sportswear.
33,035	R.H.O. Industries (UNITE) ...	Buffalo, NY	11/25/96	Chestpieces; Components.

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Texaco Trading & Transportation, Incorporated; 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 Notice of Certification Regarding Eligibility to

Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on August 8, 1996, applicable to all workers of Texaco Trading & Transportation, Incorporated located in Glendive, Montana. The notice was published in the Federal Register on August 26, 1996 (61 FR 43791).