

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 July 21, 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 July 21, 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 Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 16th day of June, 1997.

Linda G. Poole,

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

APPENDIX

[Petitions Instituted on 06/16/97]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of petition	Product(s)
33,564	Hudson Valley Tree (Comp)	Newburgh, NY	05/05/97	Christmas Wreaths.
33,565	Concord Fabrics, Inc (Comp)	New York, NY	06/03/97	Woven & Knitted Fabrics.
33,566	Fleet Service Corp. (Wrks)	Charlestown, MA	06/03/97	Irrevocable Letter of Credit.
33,567	Lee Sportswear, Inc (Comp)	Plantersville, MS	05/29/97	Medical Uniforms.
33,568	Burlington Industries (Comp)	Monticello, AR	05/28/97	Area Rugs & Similar Floor Coverings.
33,569	EG&G Instruments, Inc. (Wrks)	Trenton, NJ	05/30/97	Research—Electrochemistry.
33,570	Butterick Co., Inc.	Altoona, PA	05/27/97	Dress Sewing Patterns.
33,571	PCC Composites, Inc. (Wrks)	Pittsburgh, PA	05/30/97	Precision Cast Parts.
33,572	Agnatech, Inc. (Wrks)	Cookeville, TN	05/22/97	Denim Garments.
33,573	Bethlehem Corp (The) (Comp)	Easton, PA	06/03/97	Parcupine Processor.
33,574	Active Products Corp (UAW)	Marion, IN	06/02/97	Auto Part Stampings.
33,575	Landmark USA (Wrks)	Berlin, WI	06/04/97	Moccasins, Slippers, Sandles.
33,576	Micro Energy, Inc. (Wrks)	Memphis, MO	06/02/97	Computer Power Parts.
33,577	North Safety Products (Comp)	Rockford, IL	06/05/97	First Aid Kits & Medical Scrubs.
33,578	Simpson Paper Co. (Wrks)	Anderson, CA	06/05/97	Pulp & Paper.
33,579	AMP, Inc. (Comp)	Middletown, PA	06/06/97	Custom Cable Assemblies.
33,580	Imapct Furniture Co. (Comp)	Hickory, NC	06/04/97	Bedroom Furniture & Living Room Tables.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-A-33,333]

Siebe, Incorporated; A/K/A Ranco North America; A/K/A Ranco Industries; A/K/A Rantrol Corporation; Quality Control Department; Brownsville, Texas; 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 April 21, 1997, applicable to all workers of Ranco North America, Quality Control Department, Brownsville, Texas. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on May 9, 1997 (62 FR 25659).

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. The workers were engaged in the production of temperature and pressure controls. The investigation findings show that Siebe, Incorporated is the parent firm of Ranco North America. Findings also show that workers separated from employment at Ranco North America had their wages reported under four separate unemployment insurance (UI) tax accounts, Siebe, Incorporated, Ranco North America, Ranco Industries, and Rantrol Corporation. Accordingly, the Department is amending the certification to reflect this matter.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-33,333 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Siebe, Incorporated, also known as Ranco North America, also known as Ranco Industries, also known as Rantrol Corporation, Quality Control Department, Brownsville, Texas, who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after March 7, 1996, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 20th day of June, 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-33, 068]

Smith & Wesson Springfield, MA; Notice of Revised Determination on Reconsideration

On May 13, 1997, the Department issued an Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration, applicable to all workers of Smith & Wesson, located in Springfield, Massachusetts. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on May 29, 1997 (FR 62 29152).

Initial investigation findings show that the workers produce handguns. The workers were denied eligibility to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 because the "contributed importantly" test of the Group Eligibility Requirements of the Trade Act was not met. This test is generally determined through a survey of the workers' firm's major declining customers.

On April 17, 1997, Smith & Wesson requested administrative reconsideration of the Department's findings.

Findings on reconsideration revealed that major customers of the subject firm increased their purchases of important handguns in 1996 compared to 1995.

Conclusion

After careful consideration of the new facts obtained on reconsideration, it is concluded that the workers of Smith & Wesson, located in Springfield, Massachusetts were adversely affected by increased imports of articles like or directly competitive with handguns produced at the subject firm.

All workers of Smith & Wesson, located in Springfield, Massachusetts who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after December 13, 1995 through two years from the date of certification are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed in Washington, D.C. this 12th day of June 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-33,155]

Springlift Corporation Division of Attwood Corporation, Monticello, Arkansas; Notice of Revised Determination on Reopening

At the request of the State agency, the Department has reviewed the findings of the subject case.

The initial investigation resulted in the determination that workers of Springlift Corporation engaged in the production of gas springs were denied eligibility to apply for TAA, while all other workers of the subject firm were eligible to apply for TAA. The notice of Determinations Regarding Eligibility to

Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance, applicable to workers of the subject firm will soon be published in the **Federal Register**.

New information reported by adversely affected workers of the subject firm show that workers at Springlift Corporation are not separately identifiable by product line. All workers at the Monticello plant were engaged in the production of gas springs and seat pedestals.

Conclusion

After careful consideration of the new facts obtained on reopening, it is concluded that increased imports of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by the subject firm contributed importantly to the decline in sales and to the total or partial separation of workers of the subject firm. In accordance with the provisions of the Trade Act of 1974, I make the following revised determination:

"All workers of Springlift Corporation, Division of Attwood Corporation, Monticello, Arkansas who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after January 22, 1996, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974."

Signed in Washington, D.C. this 12th day of June 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

School-to-Work Opportunities Act: Out-of-School Youth

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Notice of Availability of Funds and Solicitation for Grant Application (SGA).

SUMMARY: All information required to submit a proposal is contained in this announcement. The U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration (DOL/ETA), in collaboration with the U.S. Department of Education and the National School-to-Work Office, announces the availability of \$1,270,000 to award competitive grants to youth employment and/or education program providers that currently have a solid foundation of serving out-of-school youth in a school-to-work framework. The purpose of the

grants will be to support the adaptation of school-to-work principles by existing out-of-school youth initiatives and to connect their efforts to the Federally-funded school-to-work systems in their states. This project is not designed to help existing youth programs plan how to serve out-of-school youth in a school-to-work framework. Rather, the purpose is to select a variety of types of youth initiative that already are implementing school-to-work elements for out-of-school youth, and to help them build on this foundation. Applications are required to demonstrate that they have already designed and begun implementation of a substantial number of the components and strategies of a school-to-work system, as described in the School-to-Work Opportunities Act of 1994, to be considered.

DATES: The closing date for receipt of proposals at the Department of Labor shall be August 14, 1997, at 2:00 P.M., Eastern time. Any proposal not received at the designated place, date and time of delivery specified will not be considered.

ADDRESSES: Proposals shall be mailed to: Division of Acquisition and Assistance, Attention: Ms. Brenda Banks, Reference SGA/DSS 97-017, U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room S-4203, Washington, D.C. 20210.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brenda Banks or Laura Cesario, Division of Acquisition and Assistance. Telephone (202) 219-8694 (**Note:** This is not a toll-free telephone number. This solicitation will also be published on the Internet at "http://www.doleta.gov." To gain access to the solicitation, click on "What's Hot."

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This announcement consists of four parts: Part I Background/Description, Part II Application Process, Part III Statement of Work, and Part IV Evaluation Criteria for Award.

Part I. Background/Description

The School-to-Work Opportunities Act of 1994 is intended to create statewide systems to help all students attain high academic and occupational standards and identify and navigate paths to rewarding roles in the workplace "All student" is defined in the Act as "both male and female students from a broad range of background and circumstances, including disadvantaged students, students with diverse racial, ethnic or cultural backgrounds, American Indians, Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians, students with disabilities,