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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-62,232]

Philips Lighting Company Lamps Division, Danville, KY; Notice of Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration

By application dated December 20, 2007, the United Steel, Paper and Forestry, Rubber, Manufacturing, Energy, Allied Industrial and Service workers International Union (the Union) requested administrative reconsideration of the Department's Notice of Negative Determination Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance applicable to workers and former workers of the subject firm. The determination was issued on November 9, 2007. The Department's Notice of determination was published in the **Federal Register** on November 21, 2007 (72 FR 65607). The subject workers are engaged in the production of incandescent glass bulbs and glass ornaments. Workers are separately identifiable by product line.

The determination was based on the Department's findings that the subject firm did not shift production of incandescent glass bulbs or glass ornaments to a foreign country; the subject firm exports glass bulbs abroad for further processing; the subject firm does not import articles that are like or directly competitive with the glass bulbs produced by the subject firm; and the subject firm's major customers of glass ornaments did not purchase imports of glass ornaments during the relevant period.

In the request for reconsideration, the Union alleged that the subject firm is importing incandescent lamps with glass bulbs that are like or competitive with those produced at the Danville, Kentucky facility and that a major customer of the subject firm has replaced purchases of glass ornaments from the subject firm with imports. The Union's request for reconsideration included support documentation.

The Department has carefully reviewed the workers' request for reconsideration and has determined that

the Department will conduct further investigation.

Conclusion

After careful review of the application, I conclude that the claim is of sufficient weight to justify reconsideration of the U.S. Department of Labor's prior decision. The application is, therefore, granted.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 2nd day of January 2008.

Elliott S. Kushner,

*Certifying Officer, Division of Trade
Adjustment Assistance.*

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Alan T. Waterman Award Committee; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Alan T. Waterman Award Committee, #1172.

Date and Time: February 8, 2008, 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Room 1295.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd, Arlington, Virginia.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Ms. Mayra Montrose, Program Manager, Room 1282, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: 703-292-8040.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations in the selection of the Alan T. Waterman Award recipient.

Agenda: To review and evaluate nominations as part of the selection process for awards

Reason for Closing: The nominations being reviewed include information of a personal nature where disclosure would constitute unwarranted invasions of personal privacy. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: January 8, 2008.

Susanne Bolton,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

National Science Board; Task Force on Cost Sharing; Committee on Strategy and Budget; Sunshine Act; Notice

The National Science Board's Task Force on Cost Sharing of the Committee on Strategy and Budget, pursuant to NSF regulations (45 CFR Part 614), the

National Science Foundation Act, as amended (42 U.S.C.1862n-5), and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), hereby gives notice in regard to the scheduling of a teleconference, as follows:

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 16, 2008 at 2 p.m.

SUBJECT MATTER: 1. Update on Cost Sharing Roundtable Discussion at the NSF I/UCRC 2008 Annual Meeting.

2. Discussion of Draft February 9, 2008 Board Report to Congress.

STATUS: Open.

PLACE: This teleconference will originate from the National Science Board Office, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Room 130 will be available to the public to listen to this teleconference.

Please refer to the National Science Board Web site (<http://www.nsf.gov/nsb>) for more information or schedule updates, or contact: Jennifer Richards, National Science Board Office, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-7000.

Russell Moy,

Attorney-Advisor.

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OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

Andean Trade Preference Act (ATPA), as Amended: Notice Regarding the 2007 Annual Review

AGENCY: Office of the United States Trade Representative.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) received one petition in September 2007 to review certain practices in a beneficiary developing country to determine whether such country is in compliance with the ATPA eligibility criteria. This notice specifies the results of the review of that petition as well as the status of the petitions filed in prior years that have remained under review.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bennett M. Harman, Deputy Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Latin America, at (202) 395-9446.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The ATPA (19 U.S.C. 3201 *et seq.*), as renewed and amended by the Andean Trade Promotion and Drug Eradication Act of 2002 (ATPDEA) in the Trade Act of 2002 (Pub. L. 107-210) and the Andean Trade Preferences Extension Act (Pub.

L. 109-432), provides trade benefits for eligible Andean countries. Pursuant to section 3103(d) of the ATPDEA, USTR promulgated regulations (15 CFR part 2016) (68 FR 43922) regarding the review of eligibility of countries for the benefits of the ATPA, as amended. The 2007 Annual ATPA Review is the fourth such review to be conducted pursuant to the ATPA regulations.

In a **Federal Register** notice dated August 15, 2007, USTR initiated the 2007 ATPA Annual Review and announced a deadline of September 17, 2007 for the filing of petitions (72 FR 45833). One petition was filed for the 2007 review, by Bumble Bee Foods, LLC, concerning Ecuador. The Trade Policy Staff Committee (TPSC) has conducted a preliminary review of this petition, has determined that it does not require further action and is terminating its review. USTR also received updated information from the U.S./Labor Education in the Americas Project (US/LEAP) concerning worker rights in Ecuador, which has been under consideration since the 2003 ATPA review.

The TPSC is terminating its review of a petition filed with respect to 19 U.S.C. 3202(c)(2)(A), by Engelhard Corporation in 2003 regarding its tax dispute with the Peruvian government because the petitioning company is no longer majority U.S.-owned. The TPSC is also terminating its review of a petition filed by Parsons Corporation in 2004

regarding a payment dispute with the Peruvian government, since that matter has since been resolved through arbitration.

Following is the list of all petitions from prior years that will remain under review through February 29, 2008, which is the period that the ATPA is in effect:

- Ecuador Human Rights Watch
- Ecuador U.S./Labor Education in the Americas Project
- Ecuador AFL/CIO
- Ecuador Chevron Texaco
- Peru Princeton Dover
- Peru Duke Energy

Carmen Suro-Bredie,
Chairman, Trade Policy Staff Committee.
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RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Proposed Data Collection; Comment Request

Summary: In accordance with the requirement of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 which provides opportunity for public comment on new or revised data collections, the Railroad Retirement Board will publish periodic summaries of proposed data collections.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of

the functions of the agency, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the RRB's estimate of the burden of the collection of the information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden related to the collection of information on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Title and Purpose of information collection:

Statement Regarding Contributions and Support: OMB 3220-0099.

Under Section 2 of the Railroad Retirement Act, dependency on an employee for one-half support at the time of an employee's death can be a condition affecting entitlement to a survivor annuity and can affect the amount of both spouse and survivor annuities. One-half support is also a condition which may negate the public service pension offset in Tier I for a spouse or widow(er). The Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) utilizes Form G-134, Statement Regarding Contributions and Support, to secure information needed to adequately determine if the applicant meets the one-half support requirement. One form is completed by each respondent.

The RRB proposes no changes to Form G-134.

The estimated annual respondent burden is as follows:

ESTIMATE OF ANNUAL RESPONDENT BURDEN

| Form No. | Annual responses | Estimated completion time (Min) | Burden (Hrs) |
|--------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| G-134: | | | |
| With Assistance | 75 | 147 | 184 |
| Without assistance | 25 | 180 | 75 |
| Total | 100 | | 259 |

Additional Information or Comments: To request more information or to obtain a copy of the information collection justification, forms, and/or supporting material, please call the RRB Clearance Officer at (312) 751-3363 or send an e-mail request to Charles.Mierzwa@RRB.GOV. Comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Ronald J. Hodapp, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-2092 or send an e-mail to Ronald.Hodapp@RRB.GOV. Written

comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

Charles Mierzwa,
Clearance Officer.
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Government in the Sunshine Act, Public Law 94-409, that

the Securities and Exchange Commission will hold the following meeting during the week of January 14, 2008:

A Closed Meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 15, 2008 at 2 p.m.

Commissioners, Counsel to the Commissioners, the Secretary to the Commission, and recording secretaries will attend the Closed Meeting. Certain staff members who have an interest in the matters may also be present.

The General Counsel of the Commission, or his designee, has certified that, in his opinion, one or more of the exemptions set forth in 5