

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee's section below on or before April 5, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit written comments to Jeanette Provost, Office of National Response, Room C-5311, U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210. Telephone number: 202-693-3500 (this is not a toll-free number). E-mail: *NEGESystem@dol.gov*.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*I. Background:* The information collection is necessary for the U.S. Department of Labor's (DOL's) award of National Emergency Grants (NEGs) which are discretionary grants intended to temporarily expand the service capacity at the state and local area levels by providing funding assistance in response to significant dislocation events for workforce development and employment services and other adjustment assistance for dislocated workers and other eligible individuals as defined in sections 101, 134 and 173 of the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) (Pub. L. 105-220); sections 113, 114 and 203 of the Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) Reform Act of 2002 (Pub. L. 107-210), as amended by the Trade and Globalization Adjustment Assistance Act (TGAAA) of 2009; and 20 CFR 671.140. Applications are accepted on an ongoing basis as the need for funds arises at the state and local levels.

The provisions of WIA and the Regulations define four NEG project types:

- *Regular*, which encompasses plant closures, mass layoffs, and multiple layoffs in a single community.
- *Disaster*, which includes all eligible Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)-declared natural and manmade disaster events.
- *TAA-WIA Dual Enrollment*, which provides supplemental funding to ensure that a full range of services is available to individuals eligible under the TAA program provisions of the TAA Reform Act of 2002, as amended by the TGAAA.
- *TAA Health Insurance Coverage Assistance*, which provides specialized health coverage, support services, and income assistance to targeted individuals defined in the TAA program

provisions of the TAA Reform Act of 2002, as amended by the TGAAA.

*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:*

*Type of Review:* Extension without changes.

*Title:* Workforce Investment Act National Emergency Grant.

*Program:* Application and Reporting Procedures.

*OMB Number:* 1205-0439.

*Affected Public:* State and Local Grantees, Tribal Government.

*Forms:* ETA 9103, Cumulative Planning Form; ETA 9104, Quarterly Report; ETA 9105, Employer Data Form; ETA 9106, Project Synopsis; and ETA 9107, Project Operator Data Form.

*Total Respondents:* 150.

*Frequency:* Once per project; for ETA-9104, quarterly per project.

*Total Responses:* 1,685.

*Estimated Total Burden Hours:* 1,144.

*Total Burden Cost for Respondents:* 0.

Comments submitted in response to this comment request 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: January 27, 2010.

**Jane Oates,**

*Assistant Secretary, Employment and Training Administration.*

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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 February 12, 2010.

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 February 12, 2010.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-5428, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 22nd day of January 2010.

**Elliott Kushner,**

*Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

**APPENDIX**

[TAA petitions instituted between 12/21/09 and 12/24/09]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
73128 .....	Apria Healthcare (State) .....	Minnetonka, MN .....	12/22/09	12/21/09

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[TAA petitions instituted between 12/21/09 and 12/24/09]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
73129	Bruce Development (Comp)	Port Richey, FL	12/22/09	12/17/09
73130	The Hartford Fire Insurance Company (State)	Simsbury, CT	12/22/09	12/17/09
73131	Android Wixom (Comp)	Wixom, MI	12/22/09	12/21/09
73132	Hyatt Regency Pittsburgh (Comp)	Pittsburgh, PA	12/22/09	12/21/09
73133	CVG—Mayflower Vehicle Systems, LLC (Wkrs)	Norwalk, OH	12/23/09	12/17/09
73134	Hexion (Wkrs)	Brady, TX	12/23/09	12/18/09
73135	Hewlett Packard (Wkrs)	Marlboro, MA	12/23/09	12/15/09
73136	Everett Sales DBA Yarns Etc. (Comp)	Fort Payne, AL	12/23/09	12/16/09
73137	Loadcraft Industry, Ltd. (Wkrs)	Brady, TX	12/23/09	12/18/09
73138	Asten Johnson (Union)	Appleton, WI	12/23/09	12/10/09
73139	Zebra Technologies Corporation (Wkrs)	Camarillo, CA	12/23/09	12/07/09
73140	Talbar, Inc. (Wkrs)	Meadville, PA	12/23/09	12/11/09
73141	Nippon Fusso Company, Ltd. (State)	Richmond, CA	12/23/09	12/10/09
73142	General Electric (Wkrs)	Albuquerque, NM	12/24/09	12/18/09
73143	Lexis Nexis (Comp)	Orem, UT	12/24/09	12/21/09
73144	Trimble Navigation Ltd. (Comp)	Coryalla, OR	12/24/09	12/16/09
73145	M & L Manufacturing, Inc.—The Jewelry Stream (State)	Los Angeles, CA	12/24/09	12/18/09
73146	International Business Machine Corp. (IBM) (Wkrs)	Charleston, WV	12/24/09	12/21/09

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**Elliott Kushner,**

*Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

## APPENDIX—TAA PETITIONS INSTITUTED BETWEEN 12/28/09 AND 12/31/09

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
73147	Shaw Fabricator (State)	Addis, LA	12/28/09	12/22/09
73148	Regal Ware, Inc. (Comp)	Kewaskum, WI	12/28/09	12/22/09
73149	Ashland Hercules Water Technology (State)	Kearny, NJ	12/28/09	12/18/09
73150	Manchester Grand Hyatt (State)	San Diego, CA	12/28/09	12/17/09
73151	Trimble Navigation Ltd. (Comp)	Corvallis, OR	12/28/09	12/16/09
73152	Dell, Inc. (Wkrs)	Round Rock, TX	12/28/09	12/18/09
73153	Kimberly-Clark Global Sales, Inc. (Wkrs)	Neenah, WI	12/28/09	12/18/09
73154	Transcom Enhanced Services, Inc. (State)	Fort Worth, TX	12/28/09	12/21/09
73155	Air Cruisers Company (Comp)	Liberty, MS	12/28/09	12/21/09
73156	American Spring Wire Corporation (Wkrs)	Kankakee, IL	12/28/09	12/17/09
73157	FCI USA, LLC (Comp)	Mount Union, PA	12/28/09	12/22/09
73158	Siemens Medical Solutions, Inc. (Comp)	Concord, CA	12/28/09	12/22/09
73159	Roscommon Manufacturing Company (Comp)	Roscommon, MI	12/28/09	12/18/09
73160	Fisher Controls International, LLC (Comp)	Portsmouth, NH	12/28/09	12/21/09
73161	Carmeuse Industrial Sands (Wkrs)	Brady, TX	12/28/09	12/18/09
73162	Imation Corporation (State)	Oakdale, MN	12/29/09	12/21/09
73163	Siemens Medical Solutions, Inc. (Wkrs)	Malvern, PA	12/29/09	12/15/09
73164	General Motors Corporation (Wkrs)	Detroit, MI	12/29/09	12/18/09
73165	James Hamilton Construction Company (Wkrs)	Silver City, NV	12/29/09	12/23/09
73166	Gormac Products, Inc. (Comp)	Racine, WI	12/29/09	12/28/09
73167	Veeco Instruments, Inc. (State)	Camarillo, CA	12/29/09	12/24/09