TA-W No.	Subject firm	Location	Impact date
81,188	Shreveport Ramp Services, LLC	Shreveport, LA.	

I hereby certify that the aforementioned determinations were issued during the period of January 30, 2012 through February 3, 2012. These determinations are available on the Department's Web site tradeact/taa/taa search form.cfm under the searchable listing of determinations or by calling the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance toll-free at 888–365–6822.

Dated: February 9, 2012.

### Michael W. Jaffe,

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

# Employment and Training Administration

Investigations Regarding Certifications of Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance and Alternative Trade 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, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than March 2, 2012.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than March 2, 2012.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Director, Office 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 8th day of February 2012.

### Michael Jaffe,

Certifying Officer, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX
[35 TAA petitions instituted between 1/23/12 and 2/3/12]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
81259	MISA Metal Blanking, Inc. (Company)	Howell, MI	01/23/12	01/20/12
81260	Cinram Distribution, LLC (Company)	Aurora, IL	01/23/12	01/20/12
81261	Hanesbrands, Inc. (Company)	Mt. Airy, NC	01/24/12	01/20/12
81262	Thermadyne (Workers)	Chesterfield, MO	01/24/12	01/23/12
81263	AIG Chartis/American General (State/One-Stop)	Houston, TX	01/24/12	01/18/12
81264	Phillips-Vanhuesen (State/One-Stop)	New York City, NY	01/25/12	01/24/12
81265	Seagate Technology, Reliability (Quality) Engineering Group (Company).	Shrewsbury, MA	01/25/12	01/20/12
81266	Wells Manufacturing, L.P. (Company)	Fond du Lac, WI	01/25/12	01/24/12
81267	Kimball Electronics Tampa, Inc. (Company)	Tampa, FL	01/26/12	01/25/12
81268	Louis Berkman LLC West Virginia (Union)	Follansbee, WV	01/26/12	01/26/12
81269	Cummins Filtration—Cookeville (Company)	Cookeville, TN	01/26/12	01/24/12
81270	Header Products, Inc. (Company)	Romulus, MI	01/27/12	01/21/12
81271	CFV Plastics LLC (Workers)	Hermann, MO	01/27/12	01/24/12
81272	Electro Scientific Industries (Workers)	Portland, OR	01/27/12	01/24/12
81273	Sunoco Inc. (Company)	Lester, PA	01/27/12	01/26/12
81274	Aosom LLC (Company)	Lake Oswego, OR	01/30/12	01/26/12
81275	Cooper Bussmann (Company)	Gibsonia, PA	01/31/12	01/30/12
81276	Rock-Tenn Company (Workers)	New Hartford, NY	01/31/12	01/25/12
81277	GCC RioGrande, Inc. (Workers)	Tijeras, NM	01/31/12	12/22/11
81278	Bemis Flexible Packaging—Milprint Division (Company)	Newark, CA	01/31/12	01/18/12
81279	Springs Window Fashions, LLC (Company)	Montgomery, PA	01/31/12	01/30/12
81280	PAR Technology Corporation (PTC) (Workers)	New Hartford, NY	01/31/12	01/25/12
81281	Time Warner Cable (Workers)	Coudersport, PA	01/31/12	01/24/12
81282	International Paper (Workers)	El Paso, TX	01/31/12	01/27/12
81283	SolarWorld Industries America (State/One-Stop)	Camarillo, CA	01/31/12	01/03/12
81284	BASF (Workers)	Suffolk, VA	02/01/12	01/30/12
81285	Invacare Corporation/TAG West (State/One-Stop)	Sacramento, CA	02/01/12	01/30/12
81286	CHF Industries, Inc. (Company)	Fall River, MA	02/01/12	01/31/12
81287	American Woodmark Corporation (Workers)	Moorefield, WV	02/02/12	02/01/12
81288	Criticare Systems, Inc. (Workers)	Waukesha, WI	02/02/12	01/30/12
81289	Transcom (State/One-Stop)	Lafayette, LA	02/03/12	02/01/12
81290	Isaacsons Steel, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Berlin, NH	02/03/12	02/03/12

### APPENDIX—Continued

[35 TAA petitions instituted between 1/23/12 and 2/3/12]

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
81292	/	Roanoke, VA	02/03/12 02/03/12 02/03/12	02/01/12 02/01/12 02/02/12

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

# **Employment and Training Administration**

2002 Reopened—Previously Denied Determinations; Notice of Negative Determinations On Reconsideration under the Trade Adjustment Assistance Extension Act of 2011 Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2273) (Act) the Department of Labor (Department) herein presents summaries of negative determinations on reconsideration regarding eligibility to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance for workers by case (TA-W-) number regarding negative determinations issued during the period of February 13, 2011 through October 21, 2011. Notices of negative determinations were published in the Federal Register and on the Department's Web site, as required by Section 221 of the Act (19 U.S.C. 2271). As required by the Trade Adjustment Assistance Extension Act of 2011 (TAAEA), all petitions that were denied during this time period were automatically reopened. The reconsideration investigation revealed that the following workers groups have not met the certification criteria under the provisions of TAAEA.

After careful review of the additional facts obtained, the following negative determinations on reconsideration have been issued.

TA-W-80,112; STK, LLC, Lemont Furnace, PA.

TA-W-80,112A; STK, Inc, Coconut Creek, FL.

TA-W-80,430; Product Dynamics Ltd, Levittown, PA.

I hereby certify that the aforementioned negative determinations on reconsideration were issued on January 30, 2012 through February 2, 2012. These determinations are available on the Department's Web site at tradeact/taa/taa\_search\_form.cfm under the searchable listing of determinations or by calling the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance toll-free at 888–365–6822.

Dated: February 10, 2012.

### Del Min Amy Chen,

Certifying Officer, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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# MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION

[MCC FR 12-01]

# Notice of Entering Into a Compact With the Republic of Cape Verde

AGENCY: Millennium Challenge

Corporation. **ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Section 610(b)(2) of the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003 (Pub. L. 108–199, Division D), the Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) is publishing a summary and the complete text of the Millennium Challenge Compact between the United States of America, acting through the Millennium Challenge Corporation, and the Republic of Cape Verde. Representatives of the United States Government and the Republic of Cape Verde executed the Compact documents on February 10, 2012.

Dated: February 14, 2012.

### Melvin F. Williams, Jr.,

VP/General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, Millennium Challenge Corporation.

### Summary of Millennium Challenge Compact with the Republic of Cape Verde

The five-year, \$66.2 million compact with the Government of Cape Verde (the "GoCV") is aimed at reducing poverty through economic growth (the "Compact"). To this end, the Compact's two projects are intended to increase household incomes in project areas by reforming the water and sanitation and land management sectors, both critical constraints to economic growth.

# 1. Project Overview and Activity Descriptions

To advance the goal of reducing poverty through economic growth, the Compact will fund two projects.

The \$41.1 million Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Project is designed to establish a financially sound, transparent, and accountable institutional basis for the delivery of water and sanitation services to Cape Verdean households and businesses. The \$17.3 million Land Management for Investment Project is designed to reduce the time required to establish secure property rights and to provide conclusive land information in areas of near-term high development potential in Cape Verde.

Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) Project

Cape Verde is an extremely waterscarce country, and relies heavily on desalinization of water, which is an expensive and energy-intensive process. The WASH sector is characterized by relatively poor levels of service, including intermittent water supply. In addition, domestic water consumption in Cape Verde is, at approximately 35 liters per day, half that of a low-income peer group of countries, and barely above subsistence levels; not surprising given that Cape Verde has the highest water tariff in Africa and among the highest in the world. The poor, and particularly female-headed households, are especially vulnerable as only 9% of poor households have access to the networked public water supply network. Additionally, Cape Verde is not on track to meet its Millennium Development Goal for sanitation. Low levels of water supply, combined with a population in which over 50% is without any access to improved sanitation services, results in significant public health problems, including diarrhea, malaria and dengue.

The GoCV has worked closely with MCC to develop an ambitious performance-based project. Through extensive consultation with civil society, private sector and government stakeholders, as well as MCC technical assistance, the Cape Verdean team