years after the subject firm’s shift of production of garments to Mexico) supports the Department’s findings that the subject workers’ employment with the subject firm was not dependent upon domestic production and that the subject firm’s shift of garment production to Mexico was not a factor in the subject workers’ separations. Therefore, the Department determines that the group eligibility to apply for benefits under the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, has not been met.

Further, the Department found that no new information was provided to contradict the original negative findings.

Conclusion

After review of the application and investigative findings, I conclude that there has been no error or misinterpretation of the law or of the facts which would justify reconsideration of the Department of Labor’s prior decision. Accordingly, the application is denied.

Signed at Washington, DC this 25th day of September 2008.

Richard Church,
Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA–W–64,071]

Chase Home Finance, LLC, Division of JP Morgan & Co., Lexington, KY; Notice of Termination of Investigation

In accordance with Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on September 17, 2008 in response to a worker petition filed on behalf of workers of Chase Home Finance, LLC, a division of JP Morgan Chase & Co., Lexington, Kentucky.

The petitioner has requested that the petition be withdrawn. Consequently, the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC this 25th day of September 2008.

Richard Church,
Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA–W–64,067]

Hillerich and Bradsby Company, Ontario, CA; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on September 17, 2008 in response to a petition filed by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local 986, on behalf of workers of Hillerich and Bradsby Company, Ontario, California.

All workers of Hillerich and Bradsby Company, Louisville Slugger Division, Ontario, California, including on-site leased workers from Select Staffing, are covered by an existing certification, TA–W–63,983. Consequently, the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC this 24th day of September 2008.

Linda G. Poole,
Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA–W–63,960]

Peoploungers, Inc., Mantachie, MS; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on August 29, 2008 in response to a worker petition filed by a company official on behalf of workers of Peoploungers, Inc., Mantachie, Mississippi.

The petitioning group of workers is covered by an active certification (TA–W–62,583A, amended), which expires on September 23, 2010. Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC this 24th day of September 2008.

Linda G. Poole,
Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA–W–64,038]

Phoenix Leather, Inc., Brockton, MA; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, an investigation was initiated on September 12, 2008, in response to a worker petition filed by former workers of Phoenix Leather, Inc., Brockton, Massachusetts.

The petition was only filed by two workers, which does not meet the requirement of three workers necessary to file a petition. As a result, the petition regarding the investigation has been deemed invalid. Consequently, further investigation in this case would serve no purpose, and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 25th day of September 2008.

Richard Church,
Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

[Docket No. OSHA–2008–0037]

State Plans for the Development and Enforcement of State Standards; Extension of the Office of Management and Budget’s (OMB) Approval of Information-Collection (Paperwork) Requirements

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Labor.

ACTION: Request for public comment.


DATES: Comments must be submitted (postmarked, sent, or received) by December 2, 2008.

ADDRESSES: Electronically: You may submit comments and attachments electronically at http://www.regulations.gov, which is the Federal eRulemaking Portal. Follow the instructions online for submitting comments.
Supplementary Information:

For further information on submitting comments see the "Public Participation" heading in the section of this notice titled SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.

Docket: To read or download comments or other material in the docket, go to http://www.regulations.gov or the OSHA Docket Office at the address below. All documents in the docket (including this Federal Register notice) are listed in the http://www.regulations.gov index; however, some information (e.g., copyrighted material) is not publicly available to read or download through the Web site. All submissions, including copyrighted material, are available for inspection and copying at the OSHA Docket Office. You may also contact Barbara Bryant at the address below to obtain a copy of the Information Collection Request.

For Further Information Contact:
Barbara Bryant, Directorate of Cooperative and State Programs, Office of State Programs, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N–3700, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210; telephone: (202) 693–2244; e-mail, bryant.barbara@dol.gov.

Supplementary Information:

I. Background

The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA 95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)]. This program ensures that information is in the desired format, has practical utility, reporting burden (time and cost) is minimized, collection instruments are understandable, and OSHA’s estimate of the information collection burden is correct. Currently, OSHA is soliciting comments concerning the extension of the information collection requirements contained in the series of regulations establishing requirements for the submission, initial approval, continuing approval, final approval, monitoring and evaluation of OSHA-approved State Plans:

- 29 CFR Part 1952, Approved State Plans for Enforcement of State Standards;
- 29 CFR Part 1955, Procedures for Withdrawal of Approval of State Plans; and

Section 18 of the Occupational Safety and Health Act offers an opportunity to the States to assume responsibility for the development and enforcement of State standards through the mechanism of an OSHA-approved State Plan. Absent an approved plan, States are precluded from enforcing occupational safety and health standards in the private sector with respect to an issue that is addressed by OSHA. Once approved and operational, the State provides most occupational safety and health enforcement and compliance assistance in the State in lieu of Federal OSHA. States also must extend this jurisdiction to cover State and local government employees. In order to obtain and maintain State Plan approval, a State must submit various documents to OSHA describing its program structure and operation, including any modifications thereto as they occur, in accordance with the identified regulations. OSHA funds 50% of the costs required to be incurred by an approved State Plan with the State at least matching and providing additional funding at its discretion.

II. Special Issues for Comment

OSHA has a particular interest in comments on the following issues:

- Whether the proposed information collection requirements are necessary for the proper performance of the Agency’s functions, including whether the information is useful;
- The accuracy of OSHA’s estimate of the burden (time and costs) of the information collection requirements, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- The quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and
- Ways to minimize the burden on participating States; for example, by using automated or other technological information collection and transmission techniques.

III. Proposed Actions

OSHA is proposing to extend the collection of information requirements associated with its State Plan regulations. In doing so, the Agency is proposing to increase the burden hours from 10,522 to 10,652 hours. The increase is a result of increasing the frequency and time for State Plans to respond to requests for summary information. The Agency will summarize the comments submitted in response to this notice and will include this summary in its request to OMB to extend the approval of the information collection requirements related to its six State Plan regulations.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Title: State Plans for the Development and Enforcement of State Standards.

OMB Number: 1218–0247.

Affected Public: Designated State government agencies that are seeking or have submitted and obtained approval for State Plans for the development and enforcement of occupational safety and health standards.

Number of Respondents: 27.

Frequency of Response: On occasion; quarterly; annually.

Average Time Per Response: Varies from .5 hour to respond to an information survey to 80 hours to document State annual performance goals.

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 10,652.

Estimated Cost (Operation and Maintenance): $0.

IV. Public Participation—Submission of Comments on This Notice and Internet Access to Comments and Submissions

You may submit comments in response to this document as follows:
(1) Electronically at http://www.regulations.gov, which is the Federal eRulemaking Portal; (2) by facsimile (FAX); or (3) by hard copy. All comments, attachments, and other material must identify the Agency name and the OSHA docket number for the ICR (Docket No. OSHA–2008–0025). You may supplement electronic submissions by uploading document files electronically. If you wish to mail additional materials in reference to an electronic or facsimile submission, you must submit them to the OSHA Docket Office (see the section of this notice titled ADDRESSES). The additional materials must clearly identify your electronic comments by your name, date, and the docket number so the Agency can attach them to your comments.

Because of security procedures, the use of regular mail may cause a significant delay in the receipt of comments. For information about security procedures concerning the delivery of materials by hand, express delivery, messenger, or courier service, please contact the OSHA Docket Office at (202) 693–2350 (TTY (877) 889–5627).

Comments and submissions are posted without change at http://www.regulations.gov. Therefore, OSHA cautions commenters about submitting personal information such as social security numbers and date of birth. Although all submissions are listed in the http://www.regulations.gov index, some information (e.g., copyrighted material) is not publicly available to read or download through this website. All submissions, including copyrighted material, are available for inspection and copying at the OSHA Docket Office. Information on using the http://www.regulations.gov Web site to submit comments and access the docket is available at the website’s “User Tips” link. Contact the OSHA Docket Office for information about materials not available through the website, and for assistance in using the Internet to locate docket submissions.

V. Authority and Signature

Edwin G. Foulke, Jr., Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health, directed the preparation of this notice. The authority for this notice is the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506 et seq.) and Secretary of Labor’s Order No. 5–2007 (72 FR 31159).

Signed at Washington, DC, this 29th day of September, 2008.

Edwin G. Foulke, Jr.,
Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Extension of Public Comment Period on the Draft Generic Environmental Impact Statement for In-Situ Leach Uranium Milling Facilities

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Extension of public comment period.

SUMMARY: This notice revises a notice published on September 19, 2008, in the Federal Register (73 FR 54435), which announced, in part, that the public comment period for the NRC’s draft Generic Environmental Impact Statement for In-Situ Leach Uranium Milling Facilities (Draft GEIS) closes on October 7, 2008. The purpose of this notice is to extend the public comment period on the draft GEIS to November 7, 2008.

DATES: The NRC recently has held public meetings on the Draft GEIS in Nebraska, New Mexico, South Dakota, and Wyoming, as part of the public comment process for the Draft GEIS. Additionally, members of the public have been submitting written comments on the Draft GEIS since the initial notice of availability was published on July 28, 2008 (73 FR 43795). In response to multiple requests received at the public meetings and in writing, the comment period on the Draft GEIS is being extended to November 7, 2008. The NRC will consider comments received or postmarked after that date to the extent practical. Written comments should be submitted as described in the ADDRESSES section of this notice.

ADDRESSES: Members of the public are invited and encouraged to submit comments on the Draft GEIS to the Chief, Rulemaking, Directives, and Editing Branch, MailStop: T6–D59, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555–0001. The NRC encourages comments submitted electronically to be sent to NRCREP_Resource@nrc.gov. Please include “Uranium Recovery GEIS” in the subject line when submitting written comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For general information on the NRC’s NEPA process, or the environmental review process related to the Draft GEIS, please contact James Park, Project Manager, Division of Waste Management and Environmental Protection (DWMEP), Mail Stop T–8F5, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC, 20555–001, by phone at (1) 368–5642, extension 6935. For general or technical information associated with the safety and licensing of uranium milling facilities, please contact William Von Till, Branch Chief, Uranium Recovery Branch, DWMEP, Mail Stop T–8F5, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555–0001, by phone at (1) 368–5642, extension 0598.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Introduction

As stated previously, the NRC is accepting comments on the Draft GEIS. Following the end of the public comment period, the NRC staff will publish a Final GEIS that addresses, as appropriate, the public comments on the Draft GEIS. The NRC expects to publish the Final GEIS by June 2009.

II. Further Information

The Draft GEIS may be accessed on the Internet at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/nuregs/staff/ by selecting “NUREG–1910.” Additionally, the NRC maintains an Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS), which provides text and image files of the NRC’s public documents. The Draft GEIS and its appendices may also be accessed through the NRC’s Public Electronic Reading Room on the Internet at: http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html. If you either do not have access to ADAMS or if there is a problem accessing documents located in ADAMS, contact the NRC Public Document Room (PDR) reference staff at 1 (800) 397–4209, 1 (301) 415–4737 or by e-mail to pdr.resource@nrc.gov. Information and documents associated with the Draft GEIS are also available for public review through the NRC Public Electronic Reading Room on the Internet at http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html and at the NRC’s Web site for the GEIS, http://www.nrc.gov/materials/fuel-cycle-fac/licensing/geis.html. Both information and documents associated with the Draft GEIS also are available for inspection at the Commission’s Public Document Room, U.S. NRC’s Headquarters Building, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland. For those without access to the Internet, paper copies of any electronic documents may be obtained for a fee by...