

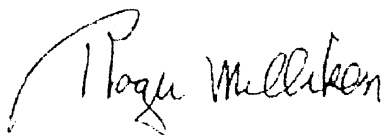
substantially because of the Chinese surge. In addition, Chinese prices fell 52% last year, putting severe downward pricing pressure on U.S. and foreign suppliers, eroding profitability and the ability of other suppliers to compete.

U.S. production of these products fell eight percent in 2002 and at least six knitting mills have closed in the United States since January 2002. These include:

Ohio Knitting Mills	Cleveland, OH
Flynt Fabrics	Graham, NC
Guilford Mills	Lumberton, NC
Quitman Knitting Mills	Quitman, MS
Anvil Knitwear	Kings Mountain, NC
Guilford Mills	Greensboro, NC

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let us know.

Sincerely,



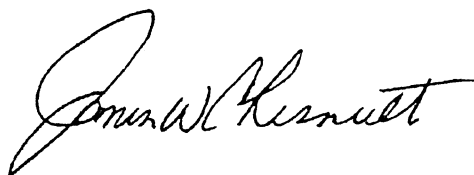
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