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TA-W-51,873; Alpha Thought/Provider Business Services, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (August 8, 2003).

Signed at Washington, DC this 13th day of August 2003.

**Linda G. Poole,**

*Acting Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-51,919]

#### **Chevron—Texaco, Customer Service Department, Concord, CA; Dismissal of Application for Reconsideration**

Pursuant to 29 CFR 90.18(C) an application for administrative reconsideration was filed with the Director of the Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance for workers at Chevron—Texaco, Customer Service Department, Concord, California. The application contained no new substantial information which would bear importantly on the Department's determination. Therefore, dismissal of the application was issued.

TA-W-51,919; Chevron—Texaco, Customer Service Department, Concord, California (August 8, 2003)

Signed at Washington, DC, this 13th day of August, 2003.

**Linda G. Poole,**

*Acting Director, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-51,001]

#### **e-Gain Communications Corporation, Novato, CA; Notice of Revised Determination on Reconsideration**

By application of April 8, 2003, a petitioner requested administrative reconsideration regarding the Department's Negative Determination Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance,

applicable to the workers of the subject firm.

The initial investigation resulted in a negative determination issued on March 18, 2003, based on the finding that the petitioning workers did not produce an article within the meaning of section 222 of the Act. The denial notice was published in the **Federal Register** on April 2, 2003 (68 FR 16094).

The petitioner alleges that they produced a product.

Upon further review during the reconsideration process, and contact with the company, it became apparent that the subject facility workers did produce a product (specifically, software which was marketed for retail sale) within the meaning of section 222 of the Act.

In addition, it was revealed that the company shifted production of competitive software to India and subsequently began importing a significant portion of this production to U.S. customers during the relevant period.

The investigation further revealed that employment declined at the subject firm during the relevant period.

#### **Conclusion**

After careful review of the additional facts obtained on reconsideration, I conclude that increased imports of articles like or directly competitive with those produced at e-Gain Communications Corporation, Novato, California, contributed importantly to the declines in sales or production and to the total or partial separation of workers at the subject firm. In accordance with the provisions of the Act, I make the following certification:

All workers of e-Gain Communications Corporation, Novato, California, who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after February 18, 2002 through two years from the date of this certification, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed in Washington, DC this 8th day of August 2003.

**Elliott S. Kushner,**

*Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-50,544]

#### **Firestone Tube Company, Russellville, AR; Notice of Revised Determination on Reopening**

On May 15, 2003, the Department, on its own motion, reopened its investigation for the former workers of the subject firm.

The initial investigation was initiated on January 13, 2003, and resulted in a negative determination issued on March 7, 2003. The investigation findings showed that increases in imports of rubber inner tubes produced by Firestone Tube Company in Russellville, Arkansas, did not contribute importantly to the employment, sales or production declines at that firm. Furthermore, the firm did not shift production of rubber inner tubes from the plant to a foreign country from 2000 through September 2002. The denial notice was published in the **Federal Register** on March 26, 2003 (68 FR 14706).

The Department has obtained new information showing that the increases in company imports of inner tubes were like or directly competitive with those that could have been produced at the Russellville, Arkansas plant, had the machinery used to produce them not been shipped out of the plant during the final quarter of 2002. The workers are not separately identifiable by product line at the plant.

#### **Conclusion**

After careful consideration of the new facts obtained on reopening, it is concluded that increased imports of articles like or directly competitive with inner tubes produced by Firestone Tube Company, Russellville, Arkansas, contributed importantly to the decline in sales or production and to the total or partial separation of workers of the subject firm.

In accordance with the provisions of the Trade Act of 1974, I make the following revised determination:

All workers of Firestone Tube Company, Russellville, Arkansas, who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after January 7, 2002, through two years from the date of certification, are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.