



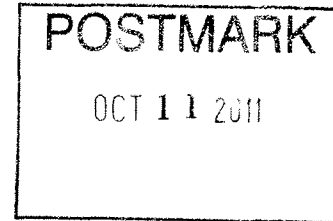
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October 6, 2011

Rapid Response Administrator
Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
145 S. Front Street
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Dear Administrator:

On August 26, 2011 we gave you formal notification under the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act ("WARN") that Jim Beam Brands Co. will permanently close its entire facility at 7324 Paddock Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45216. A copy of that notice is enclosed. Due to the need to complete paperwork and other administrative and human resource functions following the shipment of product and equipment to our Frankfort, Kentucky facility, 14 salaried employees will have their last day of work POSTPONED. The POSTPONEMENT will be for less than sixty (60) days beyond the originally specified fourteen (14) day period. Their employment end dates have been postponed to December 1 – December 14, 2011 or January 1 – January 14, 2011 as specified on the attached lists.

Jim Beam Brands Co. presently plans to otherwise cease these operations during October 28 and November 11, 2011. The closure will affect 147 employees. A revised list of job classifications and the number of employees affected in each job classification, as well as an estimated schedule of the separations is attached.

One hundred eleven of the affected employees are represented by United Food and Commercial Workers and its Local No. 32D. The employment end date of these represented employees will not be postponed. The President of UFCW is Joseph T. Hansen, the International Vice President and Division Director is George Orlando, and the President of Local 32D is Andrew Wake. Contact information for these individuals is included in Attachment A.

Sincerely,

Darrell R. Baker
Manager, Human Resources

Enclosure

Attachment A

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