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September 27, 2010

To: All Members of the House of Representatives

On behalf of the U.S. steel industry, we write in support of H.R. 2378, the Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act as amended and reported by the House Ways and Means Committee on Friday, September 24, 2010.

The House Ways and Means Committee has had a number of hearings over the past year on China's currency undervaluation and the impact it is having on U.S. manufacturing, domestic jobs, the nation's trade deficit and our economic recovery. An overwhelming number of witnesses, including prominent economists, have agreed that China's currency may be undervalued by as much as 40 percent. That makes this market-distorting practice the largest subsidy that the government of China provides to its manufacturers. As Secretary Geithner has recently acknowledged, it also encourages the outsourcing of production and jobs, and makes it more difficult for American-produced goods and services to compete with Chinese-made goods and services both here and abroad.

Attempts by the current and previous Administration to address Chinese government currency manipulation diplomatically have yielded no meaningful results, and America can wait no longer. With a national unemployment rate of 9.6 percent and having lost 2.4 million U.S. jobs in the last decade due to unfair trade with China, it is time for Congress to take up and pass immediately H.R. 2378 as amended, because China's currency manipulation is one of the root causes of our Great Recession -- and of the jobless recovery that now persists.

H.R. 2378 is bipartisan legislation, introduced by Reps. Tim Ryan (D-OH) and Tim Murphy (R-PA). It is WTO compliant and gives U.S. manufacturers the ability to seek a legal remedy for injurious currency subsidies of the type maintained by China and other Asian governments. This legislation will, at long last, allow America's manufacturing firms and workers to fight back against the pernicious practice of foreign government currency manipulation.

Please support U.S. manufacturers and workers and vote YES on H.R. 2378. It will help stimulate our economy and create and preserve jobs at no cost to the federal government. H.R. 2378 truly is the "jobs bill" we've all been waiting for.

Sincerely,

United Steelworkers  
American Iron and Steel Institute  
Committee on Pipe and Tube Imports  
Specialty Steel Industry of North America  
Steel Manufacturers Association

September 28, 2010

TO: Members of the House of Representatives

Dear Representative:

The Alliance for American Manufacturing (AAM) strongly supports effective legislation to curb the damaging impact of China's currency manipulation, which has fueled an unsustainable trade deficit with China that has cost millions of American jobs and threatens our economic recovery. To that end, **we urge you to support H.R. 2378, the Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act**, as amended during the Ways and Means Committee markup.

There is near-universal agreement that China's currency is undervalued by as much as 40 percent. The outcome of this deliberate policy is straightforward. According to Nobel Prize winning economist [Paul Krugman](#), "...in effect, China is taxing imports while subsidizing exports, feeding a huge trade surplus." We would encourage you to review the following resources, which support the overwhelming conclusion that prompt action by Congress is needed:

- ***The China Job Drain.*** Between 2001 when China joined the WTO and 2008, 2.4 million American jobs have been lost or displaced in the U.S. as a result of our massive trade deficit with that nation. Every Congressional District has lost jobs. See the damage in your Congressional District by using [AAM's interactive online map](#).
- ***2010 Job Loss.*** Fueled by currency manipulation, growing China trade deficits will displace between 512,000 and 566,000 U.S. jobs in 2010, [according](#) to Robert Scott at the Economic Policy Institute.
- ***History Supports Action.*** Presidents Reagan and Nixon both [took decisive action](#) to when confronted with currency manipulation and unsustainable trade flows. And, the U.S. Senate [voted](#) to curb China currency manipulation in 2005, which prompted China to appreciate its currency by 21 percent until it again resumed its peg to the dollar in July 2008.
- ***Widespread Support.*** AAM is joined by [hundreds of companies, associations, and other organizations](#) that support effective legislation to counteract currency misalignment.

Passage of effective legislation to hold China (and other nations) accountable for its protectionist and market-distorting exchange rate manipulation is the most important step that can be taken in the remainder of the 111th Congress to support our economy. H.R. 2378 provides the Department of Commerce with enhanced ability to recognize and investigate export subsidies resulting from a deliberately undervalued currency. During committee markup, a substitute amendment was adopted that earned praise from both Democrats and Republicans for taking steps to ensure that our action does not run afoul of our international trade obligations under the WTO. The bill was reported with support from both Chairman Levin and Ranking Member Camp.

Prompt passage of this bipartisan legislation will provide the Administration with a stronger hand in negotiations with China and will spur additional support among the international community. American businesses and workers are counting on you to stand up for American manufacturing. **We urge you to support H.R. 2378, the Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act.**

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Scott Boos  
Deputy Director



September 28, 2010

Member of Congress  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Representative:

On behalf of the National Council of Textile Organizations, **I strongly urge a yes vote on H.R. 2378**, the Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act. The bill represents a measured response to unfair currency manipulation by China and other countries. This practice has cost the United States more than one million jobs during the last decade, including hundreds of thousands of textile and apparel jobs. By passing H.R. 2378, the House will take an essential step on the road back for our manufacturing sector and for our nation's economic recovery.

This legislation sends a strong message to China that it must abandon its "beggar thy neighbor" currency practices. If China does not do so, the legislation provides U.S. manufacturers and U.S. workers the necessary tools to defend themselves against China's predatory practices. It is only appropriate and fair for U.S. companies to be allowed to defend themselves when their well being and competitiveness is being undermined by the actions of a foreign government.

Today, U.S. textile mills are adding jobs and re-opening plants for the first time in a decade. If China were to allow its currency to rise to market levels, we believe the textile industry in the United States would be able to add thousands of additional new jobs and build or re-open dozens of plants. That is why the Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act is an essential step towards revitalizing the U.S. manufacturing base.

H.R. 2378 has been carefully constructed so that it is consistent with World Trade Organization (WTO) rules and other international obligations. The legislative text ensures that China and others will have no grounds to retaliate against any trading partner. The legislation also clarifies the responsibility of the Commerce Department to investigate alleged currency undervaluation as a prohibited export subsidy on a case-by-case basis.

Our nation has seen the cost of China's exploitative policies in shuttered plants and devastated communities across the textile belt and the rest of the country. We have seen our trade deficit explode as China government practices take more and more jobs and orders from hard working Americans. We have seen our military readiness become threatened as our manufacturing base has been hollowed out. The Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act begins our country and our industry on the road back to prosperity. **We urge all members of the House to vote for passage on H.R. 2378.**

Sincerely,

Mr. Cass Johnson  
President  
National Council of Textile Organizations

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September 28, 2010

Dear U.S. Representative:

The American Manufacturing Trade Action Coalition (AMTAC) strongly endorses H.R. 2378, the Ryan-Murphy Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act of 2009 as reported by the Committee on Ways and Means. Because this pro-jobs, pro-growth, and pro-investment legislation is vital to nurturing America's fragile economic recovery, we urge the U.S. House of Representatives to vote for H.R. 2378 when the bill comes to the floor this week.

AMTAC represents domestic manufacturers, including a substantial segment of the U.S. textile industry. Our mission is to preserve and promote domestic manufacturing in the United States. H.R. 2378 would help do just that.

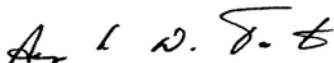
China has openly engaged in an industrial policy of using illegal subsidies and non-tariff barriers to steal U.S. manufacturing jobs and markets. Its blatant intervention to keep the renminbi (RMB) undervalued by 35 to 40 percent relative to the dollar is one of those policies that has been especially damaging. Currency manipulation and other unfair trade tactics have enabled China to tilt the competitive playing field against America, contributing mightily to the more than 5.5 million U.S. manufacturing jobs lost in the last decade.

H.R. 2378 is a measured response to the currency manipulation by China and others that have destroyed so many U.S. jobs. It is World Trade Organization (WTO)-compliant and gives no grounds for retaliation by any trading partner. The legislation clarifies the responsibility of the Commerce Department to investigate alleged currency undervaluation as a prohibited export subsidy on a case-by-case basis. Last and most important, the measure retains the countervailing duty remedy that was the heart of the bipartisan Ryan-Murphy bill as introduced.

The positive impact of congressional enactment of H.R. 2378 would be enormous. U.S. exports would rise and more jobs would be created. More U.S. research and development would be encouraged and new investment in new plant and equipment would grow. Finally, the U.S. economy would be stimulated without incurring any new public debt or budgetary expenditures.

The Executive Branch has been given nearly a decade to persuade China to live up to its WTO obligation to float its currency. Regrettably, those efforts have borne dismal results. It is long past time for Congress to intervene. Stop China's cheating and help U.S. companies and workers by passing H.R. 2378.

Sincerely,



Auggie Tantillo  
Executive Director  
American Manufacturing Trade Action Coalition



September 29, 2010

Dear U.S. Representative:

The U.S. Industrial Fabrics Institute (USIFI) **strongly urges you to vote for H.R. 2378**, the bipartisan Ryan-Murphy Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act. Your “YES” vote on this pro-jobs, pro-investment, and pro-growth bill is essential to strengthening America’s economic recovery.

USIFI’s members employ more than 25,000 workers who manufacture the world’s most cutting-edge engineered industrial fabrics. Our fabrics are widely used by the U.S. military and other safety services. They also are key components to making America greener and more energy efficient by preventing soil erosion, controlling drainage, and providing insulation. As a global leader in industrial fabric technology, many USIFI members export to markets on every continent.

Despite our technical leadership, USIFI members have been and continue to be materially injured by China’s currency that is undervalued by an estimated 35 to 40 percent to the dollar. As just one example, this undervaluation has enabled imports from China of special-purpose coated fabrics to surge from \$12 million in 2000 to nearly \$120 million in 2009. As for another example, industrial fabrics are an important layering component used in the manufacture of vehicle tires, an industry severely damaged by unfair Chinese trade practices, as proven in the anti-dumping/CVD trade case won by the United Steelworkers (USW).

Moreover, China’s export surge has damaged U.S. exports to third-country markets. American exports of specialty and industrial fabrics were slightly lower in 2009 than they were in 2000. Furthermore, the race to meet the China price and to compete with China’s textile production overcapacity has encouraged countries like Korea to adopt questionable exporting practices that also damage USIFI members.

USIFI members want what anyone who believes in free markets want – a level playing field for all competitors. Unfortunately, that is not the current state of competition because of China’s illegally undervalued currency. Their ascendency to WTO requires that they follow the rules they agreed to upon admission.

It is time for Congress to stand up in support of free and fair markets. It is time to vote for H.R. 2378, the Ryan-Murphy Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act.

Sincerely,

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September 24, 2010

Dear U.S. Representative:

The National Textile Association (NTA) **urges you to vote for H.R. 2378**, the Ryan-Murphy Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act of 2009, as favorably reported by the Committee on Ways and Means. A vote is expected later this week on this pro-jobs, pro-growth, and pro-investment legislation vital to kick starting U.S. economic recovery.

The National Textile Association is the nation's oldest association of fabric-forming companies. Our members knit and weave fabric in the United States; supply fibers, yarns, and other materials or services to the American textile industry. The American textile industry is a world leader in innovation. Our high-tech textiles protect America's warfighters, firefighters, police, and other uniformed personnel. Our member companies compete globally with success, with many having a substantial percentage of their sales as exports.

China has used illegal subsidies and non-tariff barriers to steal U.S. textile and apparel manufacturing jobs and markets. Its blatant intervention to keep the renminbi (RMB) undervalued by 35 to 40 percent relative to the dollar is one tactic that has been especially damaging. Currency manipulation and other unfair trade tactics have enabled China to tilt the competitive playing field against America, contributing mightily to the U.S. textile and apparel manufacturing industry's loss of 675,600 jobs in the last decade. During that same time period, the industry also suffered a \$5 billion decline in annual exports, while Chinese exports to the United States surged by \$25 billion and by more than \$100 billion to the world.

H.R. 2378 is a measured response to the currency manipulation by China and others that have destroyed so many U.S. jobs. It is World Trade Organization (WTO)-compliant and gives no grounds for retaliation by any trading partner. The legislation clarifies the responsibility of the Commerce Department to investigate alleged currency undervaluation as a prohibited export subsidy on a case-by-case basis. Last and most important, the measure retains the countervailing duty remedy that was the heart of the bipartisan Ryan-Murphy bill as introduced.

The positive impact of H.R. 2378 to America's textile industry would be enormous. U.S. exports would rise and more jobs would be created. More U.S. research and development would be encouraged and new investment in new plant and equipment would grow. Finally, the U.S. economy would be stimulated without incurring any new public debt or budgetary expenditures.

The Executive Branch has been given nearly a decade to persuade China to live up to its WTO obligation to float its currency. Regrettably, those efforts have borne dismal results. It is long past time for Congress to intervene. Stop China's cheating and help U.S. companies and workers by passing H.R. 2378.

Sincerely,

*Karl Spilhaus*

President, NTA

# Citizens Trade Campaign

working *together* for *social* and *environmental* justice in trade policy

September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2010

## Dear Representative:

As Congress convenes to work on measures to *'Make It In America'*, and to create jobs that stimulate the national economy, organizations within Citizens Trade Campaign believe that such measures must include holding China responsible for the manipulation of its currency. With a national unemployment rate hovering at ten percent, it is time for elected officials to rectify this tremendous trade imbalance with China by taking concrete steps to pass strong legislation including H.R. 2378, *The Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act*, which would, at long last, hold China accountable.

It is apparent to our members that we need a more balanced way to expand international trade, and many countries across the globe understand that this cannot happen as long as the Chinese government continues to manipulate its currency by pegging the renminbi (RMB) to the dollar at a fixed exchange rate. Maintaining currency at a devalued exchange rate provides a subsidy to Chinese companies and unfairly disadvantages foreign competitors and their workers, including those in other developing countries. Our exporters simply cannot compete in China against low-priced Chinese equivalents, and domestic producers similarly are disadvantaged in the face of subsidized Chinese imports in the U.S. market.

While China has stated its intent to revalue its currency upward, it has not provided any specific amount for an upward adjustment or any time period within which that might occur. When China last revalued, it did so over several years and it was insufficient, with no positive impact on reducing the massive trade deficit between the United States and China. Meaningful legislation passed by Congress and enacted by the Administration to counter the unfair competitive advantage China now enjoys through manipulation of its currency would finally hold China accountable and help to save and create jobs and productive capacity in the U.S.

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Citizens Trade Campaign is a coalition of labor, environmental religious, family farm, and consumer organizations united in the pursuit of social and environmental justice in trade policy

Currency manipulation is just one of several unfair trade advantages utilized by China's government, along with massive subsidies to targeted industries, lax environmental and labor law enforcement, poor working conditions, intellectual property theft, and policies that overlook basic human rights.

The Chinese government agreed to follow certain well-established rules when it joined the World Trade Organization in 2001, and we ask you hold them accountable to those commitments on all fronts, including currency manipulation.

Sincerely,

Americans for Democratic Action  
Communications Workers of America  
Int. Association of Machinists  
Int. Brotherhood of Boilermakers  
Int. Brotherhood of Electrical Workers  
Int. Brotherhood of Teamsters  
Service Employees International Union  
National Farmers Union  
United Steelworkers



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## Fair Currency Coalition Urges U.S. House to Vote for Ryan-Murphy Currency Bill (H.R. 2378)

September 28, 2010

The Fair Currency Coalition strongly supports the Ryan-Murphy Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act, H.R. 2378, as reported on Friday by the Committee on Ways and Means with the bipartisan support of Ranking Member, U.S. Representative David Camp (R-MI). A vote is expected on this bill this week.

**The Fair Currency Coalition urges all members of the U.S. House of Representatives to vote for this pro-jobs, pro-growth, and pro-investment bill.**

As reported by Ways and Means, H.R. 2378:

- Is WTO-compliant and gives no grounds for retaliation by any trading partner;
- Clarifies the responsibility of the Commerce Dept. to investigate alleged currency undervaluation as a prohibited export subsidy and establish the facts on a case-by-case basis;
- Retains the countervailing duty remedy that is the heart of Ryan-Murphy; and
- Orders the Comptroller General of the United States to report on the legislation's implementation nine months following enactment.

By enacting H.R. 2378, the Congress would:

- Boost exports and create jobs in the United States;
- Encourage more research and development and investment in new plant and equipment in the United States; and
- Stimulate the U.S. economy without incurring any new public debt or budgetary expenditures.

What Members of Congress can do:

- Vote for H.R. 2378;
- Communicate your support for H.R. 2378 to Chairman Levin and/or Ranking Member Camp;
- Communicate your support for H.R. 2378 to your party's leadership; and
- Remind leadership that your constituents need pro-jobs legislative action on currency to stop foreign job-stealing trade cheats.

This position is backed by Main Street America. FCC members and friends – farmers, ranchers, small and medium-sized manufacturers, and labor groups – have joined in the attached petition calling for immediate Congressional action.

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As of September 23, 2010

## **PETITION TO HOUSE AND SENATE LEADERSHIP**

The undersigned companies and organizations support the enactment of effective legislation to counteract currency misalignment without further delay.

A. B. Carter, Inc., Gastonia NC  
AB Heller Precision Machining Inc., Milford MI  
Abet Industries Corporation, La Grange Park IL  
Accum-Matic Systems Inc., Livonia MI  
Adaptive Manufacturing Solutions, Burton MI  
Alabama Wire Products Inc., Elizabethtown KY  
Alice Manufacturing Company, Inc., Easley SC  
Allegheny Technologies Incorporated, Pittsburgh PA with 17 facilities in CA, CT, IL, IN, MA, OH, PA, and SC  
Allenberg Cotton Co., Cordova TN  
Alliance for American Manufacturing  
Aluminum Extruders Council  
American Appliance Products, Inc., Newport TN and Madison TN  
American Corn Growers Association (ACGA)  
American Cotton Shippers Association  
American Federation of Labor  
American Federation of Labor Industrial Union Council  
American Federation of Labor Metal Trade Council  
American Federation of Teachers  
American Fiber Manufacturers Association  
American Foundry Society  
American Grassfed Association  
American Iron and Steel Institute  
American Manufacturing Trade Action Coalition  
American Mold Builders Association  
American Spring Wire Corp., Bedford Heights OH and Houston TX  
American Suessen Corporation, Charlotte NC  
American Truetzschler, Charlotte NC  
Ameritech Die & Mold, Inc., Mooresville NC  
Apex Broaching Systems, Warren MI  
Arboretum Ethics, Wheaton IL  
ATI Allvac (an Allegheny Technologies Company), Monroe NC with 10 other facilities in AL, IN, PA and TN  
Atkins Machinery, Inc., Spartanburg SC  
Atlas Tool & Die Works, Inc., Lyons IL  
Atlas Tool Inc., Roseville MI  
Aurora Specialty Textiles Group, Aurora IL  
Avon Broach & Production Company, Rochester Hills MI  
B A Die Mold, Inc., Aurora IL  
Backyard Buddy, Warren OH  
Bakery, Confectionary, Tobacco Workers and Grain Millers International Union (BCTGM)  
Bantleon, Warren MI  
Beacon Manufacturing/Pneumafil, Charlotte NC  
Bedford Weaving, Inc., Bedford VA  
Bermar Associates Inc., Troy MI  
Bollman Hat Company, Adamstown, PA

Bon-Marc Realty Co., LLC, University Park FL  
Bruce Fox Inc., New Albany IN  
Brush Wellman, Inc., Mayfield Heights, OH, Elmore OH and Shoemakersville PA  
Buckeye Technologies Inc., Lumberton NC  
Buhler Quality Yarns, Corp., Jefferson GA  
Calcot, Ltd., Bakersfield CA  
California Farmers Union  
Callicrate Cattle Co., Colorado Springs CO  
Cambridge-Lee Industries, Inc., Reading PA  
Camcraft, Inc., Hanover Park IL  
Campbell Fittings, Inc., Boyertown PA  
Cattle Producers of Washington  
Carbis Walker LLP, Pittsburgh PA  
Central Textiles Inc., Central SC  
Centrix, Inc., Memphis TN  
Cerro Flow Products, LLC, St. Louis MO, Shelbina MO, Cedar City UT, Mexico MO, and Bossier City LA  
Charlotte Pipe and Foundry Company, Charlotte NC  
Chase Brass & Copper Company, Inc., Montpelier OH, and Los Angeles CA  
Chicago Extruded Metals Company, Cicero IL, Chicago IL and Dolton IL  
Circle Mold & Machine, Tallmadge OH  
Clariant Corporation, Charlotte NC  
Coalition for a Prosperous America  
Cogent Strategies LLC, Centennial CO  
Collis, Inc. Clinton, IA  
Committee on Pipe and Tube Imports  
Communication Workers of America (CWA)  
Concerned Citizens Group, Dublin OH  
Conitex Sonoco, Gastonia NC  
Consolidated Fibers, Inc., Charlotte NC  
Contract Poultry Growers Association of the Virginias  
Copland Industries, Inc., Burlington NC  
Copper & Brass Fabricators Council, Inc.  
Cotton Growers Cooperative, Garner NC  
Creative Services Company, Madison Heights MI  
Crystal Springs Print Works, Inc., Chickamauga GA  
Cummins-Allison Corporation, Mt. Prospect IL  
DAK Americas, LLC, Charlotte NC  
Denim North America, Columbus GA  
Detroit Edge Tool Company, Detroit MI  
DigiTek Corporation, Livonia MI  
Dixie Industrial Finishing Company, Inc., Tucker GA  
Donsco Inc., Wrightsville PA  
Dramco Tool & Die Company, Grand Island NE  
Drawn Metal Tube Company, Thomaston CT, and Middle Village NY  
Duro Textile, New York NY  
EBAA Iron, Inc., Eastland TX  
E.J. Basler Company, Schiller Park IL  
Eklind Tool Company, Franklin Park IL  
Electralloy, Oil City, PA with 3 other facilities in PA  
Energy Remedies LLC, Walled Lake MI  
Evan's Aircraft Body Shop, Peyton, CO  
F & L Metal Finishes, Inc., Colorado Springs CO  
Family Business Chamber of Commerce, Butler, PA  
FC Stone/Globecot Division, Nashville TN  
Fisher Barton Inc, Waukesha WI  
Flowline Division, Markovitz Enterprises, Inc., New Castle, PA  
Flynn Manufacturing Co., Ferndale MI  
Frontier Spinning Mills, Inc., Sanford NC  
Future Products Tool Corporation, Clawson MI  
Galey & Lord Industries, LLC, Society Hill SC  
Gerdau Ameristeel Corporation, Tampa, FL

GH Tool & Mold, Washington MO  
Glen Raven, Inc., Glen Raven NC  
Green Planet Plumbing, Dryden MI  
Greenwood Mills, Greenwood SC  
GTP Greenville, Inc., Greenville SC  
H and H Manufacturing, Bell Gardens, CA  
H & R Screw Machine Products Inc., Reed City MI  
Hackett Brass Foundry, Detroit MI  
Haller International Inc., Detroit MI  
Helm Tool Co., Inc., Elk Grove Village IL  
Henderson-Henderson County Chamber of Commerce, KY  
Hero Holdings LLC, St. Clair Shores MI  
Heyco Metals, Inc., Reading PA, Ontario CA, and Tom's River NJ  
Hussey Copper Ltd., Leetsdale PA and Eminence KY  
Incognito Marketing, Colorado Springs CO  
Independent Cattlemen of Iowa  
Independent Cattlemen of Wyoming  
Inman Mills, Inman SC  
Insteel Wire Products Co., Mount Airy NC, Sanderson FL, and Gallatin TN  
International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers (IAM)  
International Brotherhood of Boilermakers (IBB)  
International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW)  
International Brotherhood of Teamsters  
International Federation of Professional Employees (IFPTE)  
I Squared R Element Company, Inc., Akron NY  
ITEMA America, Inc., Spartanburg SC  
J&L Wire Products Co., St. Paul MN  
Jefferson Chevrolet, Detroit MI  
Joint Productions Technology Inc., Macomb MI  
Kansas Farmers Union  
Kason Industries, Newnan GA  
Katrin Kolder DVM, Thermopolis, WY  
KB Alloys, LLC, Reading PA, Robards KY and Malaga WA  
Kentwool Co., Pickens SC  
Kobe Wieland Copper Products, LLC, Pine Hall NC  
Korman Ranch, Hinsdale, MT  
Kurt Salmon Associates, Atlanta GA  
Lapham-Hickey Steel Corporation, Chicago IL  
Larovan Enterprises, Mooresville NC  
Latrobe Specialty Steel Company, Latrobe PA with 10 other facilities in AL, IL, MA, MI, OH, PA, and TN  
Law Offices of Joseph Hemming, Farmington Hills MI  
Leonard Machine Tool Systems, Warren MI  
Liberty Denim, LLC, Spartanburg SC  
Lucas Carpets & Installations, Sharon PA  
Lummus Corporation, Savannah GA  
Luvata North America, Inc., Buffalo NY  
Major Powdered Metal Technologies, Livonia MI  
Manufacturers Association of Central New York (MACNY)  
McMichael Mills, Mayodan NC  
McMurray Fabrics, Inc., Aberdeen NC  
McPherson County Farmers Union, KS  
MDM Inc., Colorado Springs, CO  
Meridian Specialty Yarns, Valdese NC  
MET Plastics, Inc., Elk Grove Village IL  
Metal Punch Corporation, Cadillac MI  
Metals Service Center Institute  
Metals America, Shelby NC  
Michael N. Satin, Attorney at Law, Colorado Springs, CO  
Michael S. Becker, Inc., Burlington NC  
Michigan Flame Hardening Company, Detroit MI  
The Miller Company, Meriden CT

Mount Vernon Mills, Inc., Mauldin SC  
Mueller Industries, Inc., Memphis TN, Belding MI, Port Huron MI, Fulton MS, Wynne AR, Hartsville TN, Covington TN  
and North Wales PA  
Murata Machinery USA, Inc., Charlotte NC  
Nan Ya Plastics Corp., America, Lake City SC  
Narrow Fabrics Institute (NFI)  
Nashville Wire, Nashville, TN  
National Association of Farm Animal Welfare  
National Bronze & Metals, Inc., Houston TX  
National Council of Textile Organizations  
National Farmers Organization  
National Farmers Union  
National Lime Association  
National Spinning Co., Inc., Washington NC  
National Textile Association  
National Tooling and Machining Association  
Nebraska Farmers Union, Lincoln NE  
Neenah Foundry Company, Neenah, WI  
New American Colonies, LLC Colorado Springs CO  
Nobull Enterprises LLC, Colorado Springs CO  
Norman Paschall Co., Peachtree City GA  
North American Die Casting Association  
North American Stainless, Ghent KY  
Northeast Ohio Campaign for American Manufacturing (NEOCAM)  
Nucor Corporation, Charlotte NC with approximately 200 locations nationwide  
Oerlikon Textile Inc., Charlotte NC  
Ohio Farmers Union  
Olin Brass, East Alton IL, Bryan OH, Cuba MO, and Waterbury CT  
Organization for Competitive Markets  
Outokumpu Stainless, Schaumburg IL with 4 other facilities in FL, IN and SC  
Parkdale Mills, Inc., Gastonia NC  
Patrick Yarn Mills, Inc., Kings Mountain, NC  
Penn United Technologies, Inc., Butler PA  
Pennsylvania Farmers Union  
Pennsylvania Independent Consumers and Farmers Association  
Pesco Mold & Engineering, Utica MI  
Petrogen, Inc., Colorado Springs CO  
Pharr Yarns, Inc., McAdenville NC  
Pioneer Magnetics, Santa Monica CA  
Plains Cotton Cooperative Assn., Lubbock TX  
PMX Industries, Inc. Cedar Rapids IA  
Precision Machined Products Association  
Precision Metalforming Association  
Quadrifrons, Inc., Austin, TX  
R-CALF United Stockgrowers of America  
Rader Electric Co. Inc., Walled Lake MI  
Radicispandex Corp., Gastonia NC  
Ralph C. Wilson Agency Inc., Southfield MI  
Ranch Foods Direct, Colorado Springs CO  
Rapid EDM Service, Inc., Wyoming MI  
Rain Technologies, Inc., Colorado Springs, CO  
Resco Products Inc., Pittsburgh PA with facilities in Moulton AL, Santa Fe Springs CA,  
Hammond IN, Greensboro NC, Hillsborough NC, East Canton OH,  
Oak Hill OH, Warren OH, Wellston OH, and New Cumberland WV  
Revere Copper Products, Inc., Rome NY  
Richard Tool & Die Corp., New Hudson MI  
Rieter Corporation, Greensboro NC  
Rochester Tooling & Machining Association, Inc., NY  
Romar Consulting, LLC, Granite Falls NC  
Rophi Technical Services Inc., Grosse Pointe Woods MI  
RSM Company, Charlotte NC

Sanwill Solutions LLC, Pasadena MD  
Schmald Tool & Die Inc. Burton MI  
Schneider Mills, New York NY  
SCSSW Holding Company, Inc., Fort Smith AR  
Service Employees International Union (SEIU)  
Sha-Co Welding & Fabricating Company, Greenville PA  
Sheet Metal Workers International Association (SMWIA)  
Shuford Yarns, LLC, Hickory NC  
South Dakota Stockgrowers Association  
Special Drill & Reamer Company, Madison Heights MI  
Specialty Steel Industry of North America  
Spring City Electrical Mfg. Co., Spring City PA  
Spring Manufacturers Institute  
Springs Global US, Inc., Fort Mill SC  
Southern Steel & Wire Company, Fort Smith, AR  
Staple Cotton Cooperative Assn., Greenwood MS  
Staubli Corporation, Duncan SC  
Steel Dynamics, Inc., Ft. Wayne IN with 10 facilities in FL, IN, TN, PA, VA, and WV  
Steel Manufacturers Association  
Sterling Tool & Mfg., Inc., Barrington IL  
Straits Steel and Wire Company, Ludington MI  
Sumiden Wire Products, Stockton CA and Dickson TN  
Sunbury Textile Mills, Inc., Sunbury PA  
SVS Vision Inc., Mt. Clemens MI  
Swift Spinning, Inc., Columbus GA  
Symtech Inc., Spartanburg SC  
T & W Tool & Die Corp., Oak Park MI  
Tech Tool & Mold, Inc., Meadville PA  
Tennessee Hickory Products, Loudon TN  
Tex-Mach, Inc., Mayo SC  
Texas Farmers Union  
The Seam, LLC, Memphis TN  
The Shop Around the Corner, Huntersville NC  
Thinkprayact, Snowmass Village, CO  
Tintoria Piana U.S., Inc., Cartersville GA  
TJ Beall Company, West Point GA  
Tooling & Manufacturing Association  
Tooling, Manufacturing, and Technologies Association  
Tuscarora Yarns, Inc., Mt. Pleasant NC  
Unifi, Inc., Greensboro NC  
United Automobile Workers (UAW)  
United Mineworkers of America (UMWA)  
United States Business & Industry Council  
United States Steel Corporation  
United Steelworkers of America (USW)  
Univar USA, Chattanooga TN  
Universal Electric Corporation, Canonsburg, PA  
Universal Stainless and Alloy Products, Bridgeville PA with 2 other facilities in NY and PA  
U.S. Foundry & Manufacturing Co., Medley FL  
US Industrial Fabrics Institute  
Uster Technologies, Inc., Charlotte NC  
V & M STAR, Youngstown OH with other facilities in Muskogee OK and Houston TX  
Valbruna Slater Stainless Inc., Fort Wayne IN with 8 other facilities in CA, FL, GA, IL, OH, NJ and TX  
Vanadium Producers & Reclaimers Association  
Van De Wiele-Iro, Inc., Charlotte NC  
Vicount Industries Inc. Farmington Hills MI  
Wade Manufacturing Co., Wadesboro NC  
Wade Multimedia, Newport Beach CA  
Wellman, Inc., Ft. Mill SC  
Wieland Metals, Inc., Wheeling IL  
William Barnet and Son, LLC, Arcadia SC

Wisconsin Paper Council  
Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE)  
Wood Machinery Manufacturers of America (WMMA)  
Xcel Mold and Machine, Inc., North Canton OH  
Youngstown/Warren Regional Chamber of Commerce, OH  
Zagis USA, LLC, Lafayette LA

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