FLORIDA DEPARTMENT of ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Acknowledgment of Trade Readjustment Allowances Eligibility Deadlines

Petition #: 91,915A

Petition Name: DST Systems, Inc.

Impact Date: 12/13/15 **Certification Date:** 03/03/17 **Expiration Date:** 03/03/19

Staff/Leasing or Unit/Subdivision:

You **must** submit a **TRA application** and be enrolled in an approved training program to receive Trade Readjustment Allowances (TRA). (See Section 231 of the Trade Act of 1974.) If you are not enrolled in an approved training program, you must have a waiver from the training requirements prior to your **"enrolled in training" deadline**.

Failure to submit an **application for TAA training**, enroll in approved training, or receive a **waiver** from training from the following deadline may disqualify you from receiving the TRA benefits.

Basic TRA - You must be enrolled in an approved training program or placed on a waiver of training requirements prior to your enrollment deadline which is the later of the last day of the 26th week after the date of certification issued by the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Labor or the last day of the 26th week following the official date of separation from the trade-affected employer. The last day of the 26th week from the certification deadline is **[09/02/17]. Note:** If you receive a waiver from the training requirement, you are **required** to be actively looking for work.

Additional TRA - You must have exhausted Reemployment Assistance Program benefits. You must have met the eligibility requirements for Basic TRA, then exhaust Basic TRA benefits and be participating in an approved training program on a full-time basis.

Completion TRA - You must have exhausted Reemployment Assistance Program benefits and met the training enrollment deadline for Basic TRA, exhausted Basic and Additional TRA benefits. You must also meet all of the following five additional criteria: (1) The requested weeks are necessary for you to complete a training program that leads to completion of a degree or industry-recognized credential (2) You must be participating in training in each such week (3) You have substantially met the performance benchmarks established in your approved training plan (e.g. you have maintained satisfactory academic standing and are scheduled to complete training within your training plan's specified timeframe) (4) You must continue to make progress toward the completion of the approved training and (5) You must be able to complete the training during the period authorized for receipt of Completion TRA.

This certifies that I am aware of the above requirements of the Trade Readjustment Allowances (TRA) program. I understand that failure to comply with these requirements could result in disqualification of TRA benefits.

Claimant Signature: _____ Date: _____

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT: Information you provide to this agency is voluntary and confidential but is required to process your claim. Pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. 1320b-7(a)1, and s. 443.091(1)(g), F.S., disclosure of your Social Security number is mandatory. Social Security numbers will be used by the Agency to report the benefits you receive to the Internal Revenue Service as potential taxable income. In accordance with the Federal Deficit Reduction Act, an amendment to the Federal Social Security Act, and 5 U.S.C. 552a(o)(1)(D), information you provide is subject to verification through computer matching programs and information about your wages and claim may be provided to other federal, state and local agencies or their contractors for verification of eligibility under other government programs to ensure benefits have been properly paid and for statistical and research purpose.

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