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Kentwood Plant



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May 3, 2006

Deborah Hennessey
Michigan Department of Career Development
Workforce Transition Unit
5th Floor – Victor Office Center
201 North Washington Square
Lansing, MI 48913

Dear Ms. Hennessey:

This letter is to inform your office of a planned reduction in force by Robert Bosch Fuel Systems Corporation. The notice is to comply with the federal Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification (WARN) Act.

The employment site for which the reduction in force is planned is located at 4700 Broadmoor SE, Suite 100, Kentwood, MI 49512. The reduction in force is expected to be permanent. The expected date for the separations is within 14 days after July 3, 2006. Available to you at your request is a list of job titles of positions affected, and the number of affected employees in each job classification.

For further information, please contact Tiffany Badgero at (616) 554-6902 or myself at (616) 554-6509.

Sincerely,

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James A. Hagene
Plant Manager

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Director David Hollister
Department of Labor and Economic Growth
VIA FACSIMILE (517) 373-2129

Dear Director Hollister:

Earlier today, representatives from the Robert Bosch Corporation Chassis Division management team met with representatives of the plant bargaining committee at the St. Joseph facility. During the meeting, management advised the union that the company will cease foundry and low-volume disc brake machining operations at the facility.

The company anticipates initial layoffs will begin during the second quarter 2005 and be complete during the first quarter 2006. Job eliminations directly related to this action will impact about 280 of the plant's 1100 current employees. During approximately the same time, we anticipate eliminating about 250 positions due to business losses and improved productivity in the facility.

At the same time, management has advised union representatives that the company must continue to reduce costs dramatically in the high-volume disc brake machining and assembly operations in order to maintain profitability. The union and management will discuss these issues between now and the end of the year. The company is taking these measures as relentless pricing pressures in the brake business continue to grow.

This is a difficult announcement to make and we deeply appreciate the support you have offered during this process. We remain committed to an open dialogue with you in the future. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me at (248) 848-2930.

Sincerely,

Jeff Breneman
Director
Government Relations
Robert Bosch Corporation

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VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS DELIVERY

Mr Richard Root
Mayor, City of Kentwood
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Kentwood, MI 49518

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**Re: Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act
Notice of Closure of Robert Bosch Corporation's
Kentwood Engineering Center**

Dear Mayor Root and Ms Hennessey:

This is to notify you as required by the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act that we intend to close permanently our Engineering facility located at 4460 44th Street SE, Suite B, Kentwood, MI 49512.

We expect the first separations to occur on or about February 10, 2006 and to be concluded on or about July 31, 2006. A total of approximately 55 employees will be affected by the closure.

Should you need any additional information, please call Tiffany Badgero at (616) 554-6902 or myself at (616) 554-6509.

Sincerely,

James A Hagene
Plant Manager