

STATE OF TENNESSEE **DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: YOUSTON Shaw

Assistant Director, Business Solutions

DATE: February 10, 2023

SUBJECT: Employee Dislocation Notification

Befesa Zinc US Inc. WARN # 202300009

Befesa Zinc US Inc. has filed an official WARN Notice with the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, notifying the agency of a permanent layoff on April 8, 2023. The total number of affected workers is 50. This company is located at 199 Truck Route, Rockwood, TN 37854. The company notified the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development's Dislocated Worker Unit on February 8, 2023.

The employees at the facility are not represented by a collective bargaining agreement. The East Local Workforce Development Area rapid response team, employed by the East Tennessee HRA, has been notified to coordinate services with the employer and affected employees. The Southeast Local Workforce Development Board will be responsible for the oversight of the continued follow-up of Rapid Response and Dislocated Worker services associated with this event. If you need additional information or have questions, please contact the Dislocated Worker Unit at (615) 253-6355.

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