MEMORANDUM

TO: Kathy Pierce, Executive Director, LWDA Northeast
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    Commissioner Bob Rolfe, Department of Economic and Community Development
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FROM: Robin V. Wright
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DATE: August 5, 2020

SUBJECT: Employee Dislocation Notification
          Kennametal Inc.
          WARN # 202000245

Kennametal Inc. has filed an official WARN Notice with the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, notifying the agency of a permanent closure which is effective October 15, 2020, with all separations completed by March 31, 2021. The total number of affected workers is 141. This company is located at 128 Roweland Drive, Johnson City, TN 37601. The company notified the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development’s Dislocated Worker Unit on August 4, 2020.

The employees at the facility are not represented by a collective bargaining agreement. The Northeast Local Workforce Development Area rapid response team, employed by the Alliance for Business and Training has been notified to coordinate services with the employer and affected employees. The Northeast 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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