MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Robin V. Wright
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DATE: November 20, 2020

SUBJECT: Employee Dislocation Notification
National Express
WARN # 202000277
National Express has filed an official WARN Notice with the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, notifying the agency of a layoff that began March 13, 2020. The total number of affected workers is 489. The affected locations are 1681 Getwell Road, Memphis TN 38111 - 1384 Farmville Road, Memphis TN 38122 - 2325 Kentucky Street, Memphis, TN 38109 - 2800 Grays Creek Road, Arlington, TN 38002. The company hopes to “return to full operations by the fall of 2021”. The company notified the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development’s Dislocated Worker Unit on November 16, 2020.

The employees at the facility are represented by a collective bargaining agreement. The Greater Memphis Local Workforce Development Area rapid response team, employed by Workforce Mid-South has been notified to coordinate services with the employer and affected employees. The Greater Memphis 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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