



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

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**MEMORANDUM**

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**FROM:** *MM* Michael Needel  
Director, Business Services, Workforce Development

**DATE:** May 14, 2020

**SUBJECT:** Employee Dislocation Notification  
Park Vista - DoubleTree Hotel  
WARN # 202000173

Park Vista - DoubleTree Hotel has filed an official WARN Notice with the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, notifying the agency of a temporary layoff which is effective beginning May 7, 2020. The total number of affected workers is 122. At this time, the company believes these layoffs will remain temporary. This company is located at 705 Cherokee Orchard Rd., Gatlinburg, TN 37738. The company notified the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development's Dislocated Worker Unit on April 1, 2020.

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 Tn HRA has been

notified to coordinate services with the employer and affected employees. The East 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.

For legislative office inquiries concerning this WARN, please contact:

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