

October 30, 2020

VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Andrew J. Ginther
Mayor, City of Columbus
City Hall, 2nd Floor
90 West Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

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John O'Grady
President, Franklin County Board of Commissioners
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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL TO RAPDRESP@JFS.ohio.gov

Breeyn Handberg
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Office of Workforce Development
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Re: Notice Under the Worker Adjustment and Retraining
Notification ("WARN") Act - Update

Dear Mayor Ginther, Commissioner O'Grady, and Ms. Handberg:

This letter updates the WARN Notification that Ascena Retail Group, Inc., Catherines, Inc., Catherines Stores Corporation, Lane Bryant, Inc., and Lane Bryant Purchasing Corp. (collectively, the "Company") provided on July 31, 2020, and the updates provided on September 2, 2020 and September 9, 2020, in connection with the facility located at 3344 Morse Crossing, Columbus, Ohio 43219 (the "Morse Crossing Facility").¹

¹ As a reminder, after our July 31 notification to you, the Company decided to exit the Morse Crossing Facility. All associates who are being retained by the Company have been transferred to another of the Company's campuses located at 8323 Walton Parkway, New Albany, OH 43054 (the "New Albany Facility") – approximately 15 minutes from the Morse Crossing Facility. Although the Company has exited the Morse Crossing Facility, associates who work at that site will continue to work from home until July 6, 2021 or such later date as the Company determines that associates will return to an office setting in light of COVID-19. When that occurs, retained associates who previously worked at the Morse Crossing Facility will report to the New Albany Facility.

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Due to changes that have occurred since we notified associates of the reduction in force, the Company has been able to rescind the prior WARN notifications provided or extend exit dates for the following positions:

Employing Entity	Job Title	Number of Affected Associates	Original Anticipated Separation Date	Updated Anticipated Separation Date
Lane Bryant, Inc.	Copywriter-Lane Bryant	1	10/2/2020	N.A.
Catherines, Inc.	Copywriter-Catherines	1	11/8/2020	N.A.
Catherines, Inc.	CRM Manager-Catherines	1	11/8/2020	11/13/2020
Catherines Stores Corporation	Specialist Design	1	10/2/2020	N.A.

Additionally, the Company recently provided WARN notification to two additional positions:

Employing Entity	Job Title	Number of Affected Associates	Anticipated Separation Date
Lane Bryant Purchasing Corp.	President, Plus Fashion-ascena	1	12/26/2020
Lane Bryant, Inc.	SVP Chief Marketing Officer-Lane Bryant	1	12/26/2020

The information in this letter is based on the best information available to the Company at this time. If you have any questions or require further information, please contact Cheryl Stevens, SVP of Human Resources, at (614) 390-5603 or Cheryl.Stevens@LaneBryant.com.

If there is any change in this information, we will update you as soon as practicable.

Very truly yours,



Marisa Baldwin
EVP, Chief Human Resources Officer