



FEBRUARY 2007 WEBSITE REPORT

ESSEX ALUMINUM

IN THE PLANT AS OF NOW WE HAVE 629 PEOPLE AND 41 TPT.

For a while they had 2 shifts running on the 5.4 2v line to be able to keep up with their demand. As of now that line is back to 1 shift. We are still not sure when we are going to stop making the heads for EEP but they are talking about the end of August or in September. It is still up in the air. Once this does happen, this means that at least 75 and up to 85 people will lose their jobs. This does not include the side departments.

Once again, if you are calling in you have to go through Security to call in and get a call in number. Do not call the union office, do not call your supervisors. You call the Security Office and they will pass on the message. This also goes for EAA if you want EAA call the same way. Then Security will pass on the information. This is the fastest and easiest way to get it done.

Overtime, you have to watch what you are working. The less overtime worked the more people come back. You must keep this in mind when you are asked to work it. The thing about this is that it doesn't matter what I say because certain people will work it regardless. Then some people will sit in the corner and complain about it but not very many will talk to the Union face to face about excessive O/T. Any Questions?

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