

ETforum Funding Options

Trade Adjustment Assistance



Expenses That Qualify

- Projects aimed at improving a manufacturer's competitive position in response to foreign competition
- Can be applied toward the cost of consultants, engineers, designers or industry experts for improvement projects in areas such as manufacturing, engineering, marketing, information technology and quality

Qualification Tests

- There is no application, no fee, and no audit
- The Economic Development Administration's TAA Center will determine qualification based on an interview.
- ET Accelerator will prepare your proposal to the TAA Center and assist in its presentation.
- EDA must respond to your qualification request within 90 days
- More information:
<http://TAACENTERS.ORG/index.html>

P&L Benefits to You

- 50% of your costs on projects up to \$150,000 (IE: up to \$75,000 cash assistance to you)
- Can be used more than once, one time for each separate project

Project Documentation We Provide

1. List of your targets for new or enhanced products and process
2. Listing of questions and uncertainties regarding each
3. Log of potential suppliers & IP licenses reviewed
4. Log of your team's discussions vetting suppliers
5. Supplier's validation of U.S. origin of their invention
6. Supplier's presentation slides, the transcript of the presentation, questions, and the answers.
7. Your team's evaluation of each presenter
8. Next steps for detailed investigation & deployment
9. Project summary correlating outcomes to the reduction of uncertainty

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