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****MEDIA ADVISORY****

Congressman Barrow Extends Millen Outreach Hours for Jockey Employees

Caseworkers and support staff will be in Millen to help residents affected by Jockey International's Decision to Outsource 203 jobs to the Caribbean and Central America

12th District Georgia Congressman John Barrow today announced that his office's weekly Monday outreach hours in Millen, Georgia, will be extended next week in the wake of Jockey International's decision to outsource 203 jobs from their plant in Millen to Jamaica, Honduras, Costa Rica, and El Salvador.

Staffers and caseworkers from Barrow's office will be available Monday, July 24, to Wednesday, July 26, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM each day. Staff will be on hand to answer questions about support services available to employees who have lost their jobs. One-on-one meetings are available to any resident of the 12th District and will be held at the County Commission Conference Room, located on the 3rd floor of the County Courthouse at 611 Winthrop Ave., Millen.

A representative of Congressman John Barrow's office is currently available in Millen every Monday from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Additional hours in the coming weeks will be announced as needed.

- WHAT:** Extended Outreach Hours in Millen for Jockey Employees
- WHEN:** July 24 – 26, 2006; 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
- WHERE:** Jenkins County Commission Conference Room, located on the 3rd floor of the County Courthouse at 611 Winthrop Ave., Millen.

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