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TO: STATE WORKFORCE AGENCIES

STATE WORKFORCE LIAISONS

FROM: SUZAN G. LEVINE

Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary

SUBJECT: Reallotment of Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I

Formula-Allotted Funds for Dislocated Worker (DW) Activities for Program

Year (PY) 2020

1. Purpose. To provide adjusted funding levels for PY 2020 allotments for the DW program under WIOA Title I Section 132(c) on recapture and reallotment.

2. Action Requested. Distribute this guidance letter to the appropriate WIOA staff.

3. Summary and Background.

- a. Summary This document provides grantees with notification and guidance associated with recapture and reallotment of DW funding from PY 2020 allotments.
- b. Background WIOA Sections 127(c) and 132(c) require the Secretary of Labor (Secretary) to conduct reallotment of excess unobligated WIOA Adult, Youth, and DW formula funds based on ETA 9130 financial reports submitted at the end of the prior program year. Training and Employment Guidance Letter (TEGL) No. 16-18, announcing the DW allotment levels for PY 2019, alerted states to the recapture and reallotment of funds provisions, and notified states that any recapture/reallotment of funds based on obligation of PY 2019 DW funding would impact PY 2020 DW allotments.

In the FY 2020 Appropriations Act, Congress appropriated DW PY 2020 funds in two portions: 1) funds available for obligation July 1, 2020 (i.e., PY 2020 "base" funds), and 2) funds available for obligation October 1, 2020 (i.e., FY 2021 "advance" funds). Together, these two portions make up the total PY 2020 WIOA funding. TEGL No. 16-19 announced the DW allotment levels for PY 2020.

RESCISSIONS	EXPIRATION DATE
None	Continuing

4. Recapture and Reallotment.

- a. Recapture and Reallotment Requirement. The WIOA regulations at 20 CFR 683.135 describes the procedures the Secretary uses for recapture and reallotment of funds. ETA will not recapture any PY 2020 funds for the Adult and Youth programs because there is no state where PY 2019 unobligated funds exceeds 20 percent of the allotment for that program year for those programs. However, for the DW program, Kentucky, Nevada, Puerto Rico, and West Virginia had unobligated PY 2019 funds in excess of 20 percent of their allotments. Therefore, ETA will recapture a total of \$4,993,277 from PY 2020 funding from Kentucky, Nevada, Puerto Rico, and West Virginia and reallot those funds to the remaining eligible states, as required by WIOA Section 132(c).
- b. Notice of Award (NOA) Adjustment. ETA will issue NOAs for the states to reflect the recapture and reallotment of these funds. The adjustment of funds will be made to the FY 2021 advance portion of the PY 2020 allotments, which ETA issued in October 2020. The attached tables display the changes to PY 2020 formula allotments and a description of the reallotment methodology.
- c. <u>Procedures and Reporting</u>. Neither WIOA statutory language nor WIOA regulatory language provides specific requirements by which states must distribute realloted funds, so states have flexibility to determine the methodology used. For any state subject to recapture of funds, WIOA Section 132(c)(5) requires the Governor to prescribe equitable procedures for reacquiring funds from the state and local areas.

As described above, the recapture/reallotment adjustments will be made to the FY 2021 advance portion of the PY 2020 allotment. Therefore, for reporting purposes, states must reflect the recapture/reallotment amount (decrease or increase) in the "Total Federal Funds Authorized" line of any affected FY 2021 ETA 9130 financial reports (State Dislocated Worker Activities, Statewide Rapid Response, Local Dislocated Worker Activities) in a manner consistent with the method of distribution of these amounts to state and local areas used by the state. The state must include an explanation of the adjustment in the remarks section of the adjusted reports.

5. <u>Inquiries.</u> Please direct questions regarding the revised allotments to the appropriate regional office.

6. References.

- Further Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2020, Public Law (P.L.) 116-94 FY 2020 Appropriations Act);
- WIOA, Section 132(c), P.L. 113-128, 29 U.S.C. 3172(c);
- WIOA Regulations at 20 CFR 683.135;
- TEGL No. 16-19, Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth Activities Program Allotments for Program Year (PY) 2020; PY 2020 Allotments for the Wagner-Peyser Act Employment Service (ES)

- Program and the Allotments of Workforce Information Grants to States for PY 2020; and
- TEGL No. 16-18, Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth Activities Program Allotments for Program Year (PY) 2019; Final PY 2019 Allotments for the Wagner-Peyser Act Employment Service (ES) Program Allotments; and the Allotments of Workforce Information Grants to States for PY 2019.

7. Attachments.

- Attachment I WIOA Dislocated Worker Activities, PY 2020 Reallotment to States
- Attachment II WIOA Dislocated Worker Activities, PY 2020 Revised Allotments with Reallotment PY/FY Split

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR Employment and Training Administration WIOA Dislocated Worker Activities PY 2020 Reallotment to States

	Calculat	ing Reallotment Ar	nount*	Impact on PY 2020 Allotments			
	Excess Unobligated PY 2019 Funds to be Recaptured from PY 2020 funds	Eligible States' PY 2019 1/ Dislocated Worker Allotments	Reallotment Amount for Eligible States (Based on eligible states' share of PY 2019 Allotments)	Total Original PY 2020 Allotments Before Reallotment	Recapture/ Reallotment Adjustment to PY 2020 Allotments	Revised Total PY 2020 Allotments	
Alabama	0	18,361,881	97,223	17,387,399	97,223	17,484,622	
Alaska	0	6,412,959	33,955	8,421,655	33,955	8,455,610	
Arizona **	0	30,330,562	160,594	39,830,842	160,594	39,991,436	
Arkansas	0	6,238,880	33,034	6,061,513	33,034	6,094,547	
California	0	148,077,038	784,039	142,073,567	784,039	142,857,606	
Colorado	0	10,076,913	53,355	9,986,612	53,355	10,039,967	
Connecticut	0	14,209,646	75,237	13,611,948	75,237	13,687,185	
Delaware	0	2,410,156	12,761	2,343,949	12,761	2,356,710	
District of Columbia	0	8,460,348	44,796	11,110,338	44,796	11,155,134	
Florida	0	52,296,583	276,900	50,853,493	276,900	51,130,393	
Georgia	0	38,622,811	204,500	36,871,224	204,500	37,075,724	
Hawaii 	0	1,609,621	8,523	1,618,611	8,523	1,627,134	
Idaho	0	1,963,150	10,394	1,962,590	10,394	1,972,984	
Illinois	0	59,630,195	315,730	56,663,539	315,730	56,979,269	
Indiana	0	13,705,344	72,567	13,347,305	72,567	13,419,872	
lowa Kansas	0	4,129,889 4,634,063	21,867 24,536	4,077,392	21,867	4,099,259	
Kentucky	2,697,332	4,634,063	24,336	4,595,051 16,051,059	24,536 (2,697,332)	4,619,587 13,353,727	
Louisiana	2,097,332	21,278,087	112,663	20,371,329	112,663	20,483,992	
Maine	0	2,607,188	13,805	2,562,857	13,805	2,576,662	
Maryland	0	15,311,178	81,070	15,019,525	81,070	15,100,595	
Massachusetts	0	15,818,320	83,755	15,428,753	83,755	15,512,508	
Michigan	0	28,980,249	153,445	28,103,101	153,445	28,256,546	
Minnesota	0	8,647,015	45,784	8,623,882	45,784	8,669,666	
Mississippi	0	12,860,111	68,092	16,877,853	68,092	16,945,945	
Missouri	0	13,772,288	72,922	13,271,254	72,922	13,344,176	
Montana	0	1,590,642	8,422	1,589,906	8,422	1,598,328	
Nebraska	0	2,412,598	12,774	2,430,569	12,774	2,443,343	
Nevada	466,433	0	0	13,341,178	(466,433)	12,874,745	
New Hampshire	0	1,781,465	9,433	1,776,875	9,433	1,786,308	
New Jersey	0	31,256,773	165,498	29,962,189	165,498	30,127,687	
New Mexico **	0	17,835,113	94,433	18,082,636	94,433	18,177,069	
New York	0	50,974,953	269,902	50,005,712	269,902	50,275,614	
North Carolina	0	29,197,023	154,592	28,414,511	154,592	28,569,103	
North Dakota	0	827,923	4,384	827,550	4,384	831,934	
Ohio Oklahoma	0	38,733,523 7,602,403	205,086 40,253	37,181,539 7,437,134	205,086 40,253	37,386,625 7,477,387	
Oregon	0	11,287,889	59.767	11.019.838	59,767	11,079,605	
Pennsylvania	0	51,213,615	271,166	48,858,998	271,166	49,130,164	
Puerto Rico	449,019	0	271,100	76,202,126	(449,019)	75,753,107	
Rhode Island	0	3,976,659	21,056	3,806,076	21,056	3,827,132	
South Carolina	0	14,948,152	79,148	14,268,943	79,148	14,348,091	
South Dakota	0	1,181,022	6,253	1,190,973	6,253	1,197,226	
Tennessee	0	18,224,532	96,495	17,478,205	96,495	17,574,700	
Texas	0	61,217,636	324,135	59,820,885	324,135	60,145,020	
Utah **	0	4,331,085	22,932	4,261,672	22,932	4,284,604	
Vermont	0	868,574	4,599	843,187	4,599	847,786	
Virginia	0	13,864,434	73,409	13,694,749	73,409	13,768,158	
Washington	0	26,722,692	141,491	26,957,248	141,491	27,098,739	
West Virginia	1,380,493	0	0	12,852,260	(1,380,493)	11,471,767	
Wisconsin	0	11,469,731	60,730	11,212,132	60,730	11,272,862	
Wyoming	0	1,090,070	5,772	1,069,268	5,772	1,075,040	
STATE TOTAL	\$4,993,277	\$943,052,982	\$4,993,277	\$1,051,713,000	\$0	\$1,051,713,000	

^{*} Including prior year recapture/reallotment amounts

^{*} Includes funds allocated to the Navajo Nation

^{1/} PY 2019 allotment amounts are used to determine the reallotment amount eligible states receive of the recaptured amount.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR Employment and Training Administration WIOA Dislocated Worker Activities PY 2020 Revised Allotments with Reallotment - PY/FY Split

	Total Allotment				Available 7/1/20			Available 10/1/20		
	Recapture/			Recapture/			Recapture/			
	Original	Reallotment	Revised	Original	Reallotment	Revised	Original	Reallotment	Revised	
Alabama	17.387.399	97.223	17.484.622	3.175.108	_	3.175.108	14,212,291	97.223	14.309.514	
Alaska	8,421,655	33,955	8,455,610	1,537,876	_	1,537,876	6,883,779	33,955	6,917,734	
Arizona *	39.830.842	160,594	39,991,436	7.273.498	_	7,273,498	32,557,344	160,594	32,717,938	
Arkansas	6,061,513	33,034	6,094,547	1,106,891	_	1,106,891	4,954,622	33,034	4,987,656	
California	142,073,567	784,039	142,857,606	25.944.012	_	25,944,012	116,129,555	784,039	116,913,594	
Colorado	9,986,612	53,355	10,039,967	1,823,652		1,823,652	8,162,960	53,355	8,216,315	
Connecticut	13,611,948	75,237	13,687,185	2,485,674		2,485,674	11,126,274	75,237	11,201,511	
Delaware	2,343,949	12,761	2,356,710	428,028	_	428,028	1,915,921	12,761	1,928,682	
District of Columbia	11,110,338	44,796	11,155,134	2,028,856	_	2,028,856	9,081,482	44,796	9,126,278	
Florida	50,853,493	276,900	51,130,393	9,286,341	_	9,286,341	41,567,152	276,900	41,844,052	
Georgia	36,871,224	204,500	37,075,724	6,733,043	_	6,733,043	30,138,181	204,500	30,342,681	
Hawaii	1,618,611	8,523	1,627,134	295,574	_	295,574	1,323,037	8,523	1,331,560	
Idaho	1,962,590	10,394	1,972,984	358,388	_	358.388	1,604,202	10,394	1,614,596	
Illinois	56,663,539	315,730	56,979,269	10,347,312	_	10,347,312	46,316,227	315,730	46,631,957	
Indiana	13,347,305	72,567	13,419,872	2,437,347	_	2,437,347	10,909,958	72,567	10,982,525	
lowa	4,077,392	21,867	4,099,259	744,571	-	744,571	3,332,821	21,867	3,354,688	
Kansas	4.595.051	24,536	4,619,587	839.101	-	839.101	3,755,950	24,536	3.780.486	
Kentucky	16,051,059	(2,697,332)	13,353,727	2,931,079	-	2,931,079	13,119,980	(2,697,332)	10,422,648	
Louisiana	20,371,329	112,663	20,483,992	3,720,002	-	3,720,002	16,651,327	112,663	16,763,990	
Maine	2,562,857	13,805	2,576,662	468,003	-	468,003	2,094,854	13,805	2,108,659	
Maryland	15,019,525	81,070	15,100,595	2,742,711	-	2,742,711	12,276,814	81,070	12,357,884	
Massachusetts	15,428,753	83,755	15,512,508	2,817,440	-	2,817,440	12,611,313	83,755	12,695,068	
Michigan	28,103,101	153,445	28,256,546	5,131,899	-	5,131,899	22,971,202	153,445	23,124,647	
Minnesota	8,623,882	45,784	8,669,666	1,574,805	-	1,574,805	7,049,077	45,784	7,094,861	
Mississippi	16,877,853	68,092	16,945,945	3,082,060	-	3,082,060	13,795,793	68,092	13,863,885	
Missouri	13,271,254	72,922	13,344,176	2,423,460	-	2,423,460	10,847,794	72,922	10,920,716	
Montana	1,589,906	8,422	1,598,328	290,332	-	290,332	1,299,574	8,422	1,307,996	
Nebraska	2,430,569	12,774	2,443,343	443,845	-	443,845	1,986,724	12,774	1,999,498	
Nevada	13,341,178	(466,433)	12,874,745	2,436,229	-	2,436,229	10,904,949	(466,433)	10,438,516	
New Hampshire	1,776,875	9,433	1,786,308	324,475	-	324,475	1,452,400	9,433	1,461,833	
New Jersey	29,962,189	165,498	30,127,687	5,471,387	-	5,471,387	24,490,802	165,498	24,656,300	
New Mexico *	18,082,636	94,433	18,177,069	3,302,065	-	3,302,065	14,780,571	94,433	14,875,004	
New York	50,005,712	269,902	50,275,614	9,131,528	-	9,131,528	40,874,184	269,902	41,144,086	
North Carolina	28,414,511	154,592	28,569,103	5,188,766	-	5,188,766	23,225,745	154,592	23,380,337	
North Dakota	827,550	4,384	831,934	151,119	-	151,119	676,431	4,384	680,815	
Ohio	37,181,539	205,086	37,386,625	6,789,710	-	6,789,710	30,391,829	205,086	30,596,915	
Oklahoma	7,437,134	40,253	7,477,387	1,358,093	-	1,358,093	6,079,041	40,253	6,119,294	
Oregon	11,019,838	59,767	11,079,605	2,012,329	-	2,012,329	9,007,509	59,767	9,067,276	
Pennsylvania	48,858,998	271,166	49,130,164	8,922,127	-	8,922,127	39,936,871	271,166	40,208,037	
Puerto Rico	76,202,126	(449,019)	75,753,107	13,915,248	-	13,915,248	62,286,878	(449,019)	61,837,859	
Rhode Island	3,806,076	21,056	3,827,132	695,026	-	695,026	3,111,050	21,056	3,132,106	
South Carolina	14,268,943	79,148	14,348,091	2,605,647	-	2,605,647	11,663,296	79,148	11,742,444	
South Dakota	1,190,973	6,253	1,197,226	217,483	-	217,483	973,490	6,253	979,743	
Tennessee	17,478,205	96,495	17,574,700	3,191,690	-	3,191,690	14,286,515	96,495	14,383,010	
Texas	59,820,885	324,135	60,145,020	10,923,874	-	10,923,874	48,897,011	324,135	49,221,146	
Utah*	4,261,672	22,932	4,284,604	778,223	-	778,223	3,483,449	22,932	3,506,381	
Vermont	843,187	4,599	847,786	153,974	-	153,974	689,213	4,599	693,812	
Virginia	13,694,749	73,409	13,768,158	2,500,794	-	2,500,794	11,193,955	73,409	11,267,364	
Washington	26,957,248	141,491	27,098,739	4,922,655	-	4,922,655	22,034,593	141,491	22,176,084	
West Virginia	12,852,260	(1,380,493)	11,471,767	2,346,947	-	2,346,947	10,505,313	(1,380,493)	9,124,820	
Wisconsin	11,212,132	60,730	11,272,862	2,047,444	-	2,047,444	9,164,688	60,730	9,225,418	
Wyoming	1,069,268	5,772	1,075,040	195,259	-	195,259	874,009	5,772	879,781	
STATE TOTAL	1,051,713,000	-	1,051,713,000	192,053,000	-	192,053,000	859,660,000	-	859,660,000	

^{*} Includes funds allocated to the Navajo Nation