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ADVISORY: UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE PROGRAM LETTER NO. 22-09

TO: STATE WORKFORCE AGENCIES

FROM: DOUGLAS F. SMALL /s/

Deputy Assistant Secretary

SUBJECT: Minimum Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) Weekly Benefit

Amount: April 1- June 30, 2009

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. To transmit the subject computation for State Workforce Agency usage in computing minimum weekly DUA amounts for all major disasters declared during the third quarter of Fiscal Year (FY) 2009.
- 2. <u>Average Weekly Benefit Amount (AWBA) Utilization</u>. As required by 20 CFR 625.6, the attached listing sets forth the 50 percent of AWBA computation applicable for major disasters declared during the third quarter of FY 2009 from April 1 through June 30, 2009.
- 3. <u>Action Required</u>. State Workforce Agency Administrators are requested to provide this information to appropriate staff and insure that the correct AWBA is utilized in determining the weekly DUA amount.
- 4. Inquiries. Inquiries should be directed to the appropriate Regional Office.
- 5. <u>Attachment</u>. Minimum Weekly Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) Benefit Amount: April 1 June 30, 2009.

RESCISSIONS	EXPIRATION DATE
None	September 29, 2009

## MINUMUM DISASTER UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE (DUA) WEEKLY BENEFIT AMOUNT: April 1, 2009 - June 30, 2009 BASED ON AWBA FOR TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT 1/1/2008 thru 12/31/2008

STATES	AWBA	50% AWBA CALCULATION	MINUMUM WBA
	106.03	·	(ROUNDED)
Alabama	196.23	98.11	99
Alaska	202.16	101.08	102
Arizona	217.72	108.86	109
Arkansas	264.86	132.43	133
California	307.12	153.56	154
Colorado	340.72	170.36	171
Connecticut	321.97	160.98	161
Delaware	256.89	128.45	129
District of Columbia	291.43	145.72	146
Florida	238.41	119.20	120
Georgia	272.78	136.39	137
Guam	297.09	$N/A^1$	298
Hawaii	413.07	206.53	207
Idaho	272.18	136.09	137
Illinois	312.09	156.05	157
Indiana	297.73	148.87	149
Iowa	302.14	151.07	152
Kansas	316.03	158.01	159
Kentucky	299.68	149.84	150
Louisiana	209.12	104.56	105
Maine	264.78	132.39	133
Maryland	304.93	152.47	153
Massachusetts	390.69	195.35	196
Michigan	299.58	149.79	150
Minnesota	346.93	173.46	174
Mississippi	182.74	91.37	92
Mississippi Missouri	244.10	122.05	123
Montana		127.60	128
Nebraska	255.19 241.25	120.62	121
Nepraska Nevada			
	292.32	146.16	147
New Hampshire	272.03	136.01	137
New Jersey New Mexico	377.48	188.74	189
	278.07	139.03	140
New York	306.54	153.27	154
North Carolina	287.32	143.66	144
North Dakota	286.21	143.10	144
Ohio	302.69	151.35	152
Oklahoma	272.43	136.21	137
Oregon	301.69	150.85	151
Pennsylvania	335.40	167.70	168
Puerto Rico	112.28	56.14	57
Rhode Island	370.46	185.23	186
South Carolina	239.81	119.91	120
South Dakota	238.82	119.41	120
Tennessee	220.98	110.49	111
Texas	302.94	151.47	152
Utah	311.60	155.80	156
Vermont	293.62	146.81	147
Virgin Islands	328.43	164.21	165
Virginia	281.86	140.93	141
Washington	355.33	177.66	178
West Virginia	241.52	120.76	121
Wisconsin	273.11	136.55	137
Wyoming	307.52	153.76	154

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 50 Percent AWBA Not Applicable for Guam (See 20 CFR 625.6(c)) Data supplied by U.S. Department of Labor, Employment & Training Administration, Office of Workforce Security, DUIO 03/23/2009