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ACTION
 NOTICE 08-02

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*PROGRAM CATEGORIES:

AS FL ML TR
 CR IT RA WIA
 FM JC TC YA
 LM TA

To: WDA Directors

From: Ron Danowski /s/
Division Administrator

RE: WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT TITLE I Program Year 2008 ALLOCATIONS

PURPOSE: To announce the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Title I allocations to the Wisconsin Workforce Development Boards (WDB) for Program Year (PY) 2008 and State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2009.

BACKGROUND: The U.S. Department of Labor published the Federal Register / Vol. 73 for the completed WIA PY08 allotments on April 7, 2008. This information is also available in Training and Employment Guidance Letter (TEGL) No. 23-07. The WIA allotments for states are based on formula provisions defined in the Workforce Investment Act and in Attachment 1 of the TEGL.

The State of Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development, Division of Employment and Training (DWD/DET) allocated eighty-five percent (85%) of the Youth and Adult allotments, and sixty percent (60%) of the Dislocated Worker allotment to the Wisconsin Workforce Development Boards in accordance with the provisions in WIA Section 128 (Youth) and Section 133 (Adults and Dislocated workers).

For PY 2008, Congress appropriated Adult and Dislocated Worker funds in two portions: one portion available for obligation on July 1, 2008 and the other available for obligation on October 1, 2008. However, for planning purposes, DWD is issuing all of the allocations at one time.

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YA--Youth Apprenticeship

POLICY: Local Workforce Investment Areas may transfer up to thirty percent (30%) of the Adult Activities funds to Dislocated Worker Activities, and up to 30% of Dislocated Worker Activities funds to Adult Activities, but must obtain prior approval from DWD for any fund transfers. There is no authority for any WDB to transfer funds to or from the Youth Activities program.

ACTION SUMMARY STATEMENT: WDBs may initiate budget and planning for PY08 WIA programs by referencing the allocations in the attachment.

DWD will issue grant agreements for PY 2008 that reflect the attached allocations to WDBs in the near future.

DOL also released TEGL No 24-07 that states three WIA formula funds rescissions affecting PY2006 and PY2007 WIA original allocations. DWD anticipates addressing the rescissions in a separate Administrator's Memo in May, 2008 when rescission amounts will have been certified.

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You may also contact your Local Program Liaison if you have questions or comments on this memo and policies related.

Attachment: Spreadsheet of allocations