TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT NOTICE

NO. 18-22 DATE February 8, 2023

TO: STATE WORKFORCE AGENCIES

FROM: BRENT PARTON /s/

Acting Assistant Secretary

SUBJECT: 2023 State Information Data Exchange System (SIDES) Informational

SIDES Seminar Webinars: "Don't Miss the Train to Integrity!"

1. <u>Purpose</u>. To announce the 2023 State Information Data Exchange System (SIDES) "Don't Miss the Train to Integrity" SIDES Seminar Informational Webinars that will be hosted by the National Association of State Workforce Agencies (NASWA) from February 9, 2023, through March 23, 2023.

2. Action Requested. State Administrators are requested to share this information with appropriate staff and support participation in the "Don't Miss the Train to Integrity" SIDES Seminar Informational Webinars.

3. Summary and Background.

- a. Summary This notice announces the 2023 SIDES Seminar informational webinar series, "Don't Miss the Train to Integrity." This webinar series is designed to inform state workforce agencies (SWAs) about the upcoming opportunity to attend the 2023 SIDES Seminar. This webinar series will provide a preview of the sessions that will be available to targeted audiences within the SIDES community.
- b. Background SIDES is a web-based system that allows the electronic transmission of UI claims information between UI agencies and employers. States should view SIDES as a critical part of their UI integrity efforts and should connect to and build SIDES into their Integrity Action Plan, as noted most recently in Unemployment Insurance Program Letter (UIPL) No. 17-22.
- **4.** Webinar Details. The Employment and Training Administration (ETA) encourages state participation in the "Don't Miss the Train to Integrity" informational webinar series. This webinar series will allow SWAs and integrated partners to see a preview of the content that will be shared at the 2023 SIDES Seminar, as well as hear testimonials from members of the SIDES community that have attended past seminars.

This series is open to all SWAs and integrated partners such as adjudication managers, business analysts, integrated partner reporting managers, project managers, SIDES developers, SIDES liaisons, software providers, state Benefit Payment Control reporting managers, state fraud reporting managers, and state SIDES Help Desk teams. More information about the 2023 SIDES Seminar is provided in TEN No. 12-22.

The webinar series consists of four parts, beginning February 9, 2023. These webinars will occur every two weeks for eight weeks, through March 23, 2023. Each webinar will be approximately 30 minutes long, followed by a question-and-answer session. A survey will be released following each session of the webinar.

NASWA will host the webinars on the Zoom meeting platform. Registration is available at Don't Miss the Train to Integrity – SIDES Seminar informational webinars.

- **5.** <u>Inquiries.</u> Direct any inquiries regarding the content of the "Don't Miss the Train to Integrity" Informational Webinars to Jerry Pectol at <u>jpectol@naswa.org</u>. Direct any inquiries regarding registration information to <u>naswa-meetings@naswa.org</u>.
- **6. References.** Not Applicable.
- 7. Attachment(s). Not Applicable.