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ADVISORY:

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE PROGRAM LETTER NO. 7-07

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TO:

STATE WORKFORCE AGENCIES

FROM:

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**Assistant Secretary** 

SUBJECT:

Revised Minimum Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) Weekly

Benefit Amount: January 1 - March 31, 2007

- 1. Purpose. To transmit a reissuance of the minimum weekly DUA amounts for all major disasters declared during the second quarter of fiscal year (FY) 2007. This issuance includes the AWBA for the State of Mississippi.
- 2. Average Weekly Benefit Amount (AWBA) Utilization. As required by 20 CFR 625.6, the attached list shows each state's AWBA used to determine minimum weekly DUA payments applicable for major disasters declared during the second quarter of FY 2007, from January 1 through March 31, 2007.
- 3. Action Required. State Workforce Agencies are requested to provide this information to appropriate staff and insure that the correct AWBA is used in determining the minimum weekly DUA amount.
- 4. Inquiries. Inquiries should be directed to the appropriate Regional Office.
- 5. Attachment. Minimum Weekly Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) Benefit Amount: January 1 - March 31, 2007.

RESCISSIONS	EXPIRATION DATE	
None	February 16, 2008	

## MINIMUM DISASTER UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE (DUA) WEEKLY BENEFIT AMOUNT: JANUARY 1, 2007 – MARCH 31, 2007 BASED ON AWBA FOR TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT 10/01/2005 THRU 09/30/2006

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<u>STATES</u>	<u>AWBA</u>	50% AWBA CALCULATION	MINUMUM WBA (ROUNDED)
Alabama	182.99	91.49	92
Alaska	196.46	98.23	99
Arizona	196.99	98.49	99
Arkansas	238.45	119.23	120
California	286.48	143.24	144
Colorado	309.22	154.61	155
Connecticut	303.04	151.52	152
Delaware	250.84	125.42	126
District of Columbia	282.60	141.30	142
Florida	229.60	114.80	115
Georgia	252.88	126.44	127
Guam	272.64	N/A <sup>1</sup>	273
Hawaii	358.87	179.43	180
Idaho	239.55	119.77	120
Illinois	289.03	144.51	145
Indiana	283.79	141.89	142
Iowa	279.51	139.75	140
Kansas	284.75	142.38	143
Kentucky	263.45	131.72	132
Louisiana	190.79	95.40	96
Maine	244.24	122.12	123
Maryland	269.61	134.80	135
Massachusetts	363.82	181.91	182
Michigan	292.39	146.20	147
Minnesota	331.20	165.60	166
Mississippi	194.17	97.09	98
Missouri	209.79	104.90	105
Montana	206.54	103.27	104
Nebraska	227.85	113.93	114
Nevada	271.19	135.60	136
New Hampshire	254.11	127.05	128
New Jersey	340.91	170.45	171
New Mexico New York	231.46	115.73	116
North Carolina	277.35	138.68	139
North Carolina North Dakota	262.96 250.85	131.48	132
Ohio	279.50	125.42 139.75	126
Oklahoma	228.53	114.26	140 115
Oregon	266.40	133.20	134
Pennsylvania	298.06	149.03	150
Puerto Rico	109.48	54.74	55
Rhode Island	340.50	170.25	171
South Carolina	220.64	110.32	111
South Dakota	216.92	108.46	109
Tennessee	214.56	107.28	108
Texas	267.11	133.56	134
Utah	271.02	135.51	136
Vermont	274.77	137.39	138
Virgin Islands	244.15	122.07	123
Virginia	251.46	125.73	126
Washington	317.08	158.54	159
West Virginia	229.09	114.55	115
Wisconsin	257.07	128.54	129
Wyoming	249.05	124.53	125

<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, ETA-Office Of Workforce Security, DUO, 12/11/2006