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| EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION ADVISORY SYSTEM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR Washington, D.C. 20210 | CLASSIFICATION Unemployment Insurance |
| | CORRESPONDENCE SYMBOL OUI/DUIO |
| | DATE June 25, 2014 |

ADVISORY: UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE PROGRAM LETTER NO. 15-14

TO: STATE WORKFORCE AGENCIES

FROM: PORTIA WU 
Assistant Secretary

SUBJECT: Minimum Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) Weekly Benefit
Amount: July 1 – September 30, 2014

1. **Purpose.** To transmit the subject computation for State Workforce Agency usage in computing minimum weekly DUA amounts for all major disasters declared during the fourth quarter of Fiscal Year (FY) 2014.
2. **Average Weekly Benefit Amount (AWBA) Utilization.** 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 fourth quarter of FY 2014, from July 1 through September 30, 2014.
3. **Action Requested.** State Workforce Agency Administrators are requested to provide this information to appropriate staff and ensure that the correct AWBA is utilized in determining the weekly DUA amount.
4. **Inquiries.** Inquiries should be directed to the appropriate Regional Office.
5. **Attachment.** Minimum Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) Weekly Benefit
Amount: July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014

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| RESCISSIONS None | EXPIRATION DATE Continuing |
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Minimum Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA)
Weekly Benefit Amount: July 1, 2014–September 30, 2014

| STATES | AWBA* | 50% AWBA CALCULATION | MINIMUM WBA (ROUNDED) |
|----------------------|----------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Alabama | \$207.95 | \$103.97 | \$104 |
| Alaska | \$249.57 | \$124.79 | \$125 |
| Arizona | \$221.09 | \$110.54 | \$111 |
| Arkansas | \$288.47 | \$144.24 | \$145 |
| California | \$301.53 | \$150.77 | \$151 |
| Colorado | \$358.67 | \$179.34 | \$180 |
| Connecticut | \$345.02 | \$172.51 | \$173 |
| Delaware | \$246.24 | \$123.12 | \$124 |
| District of Columbia | \$299.62 | \$149.81 | \$150 |
| Florida | \$228.51 | \$114.26 | \$115 |
| Georgia | \$266.74 | \$133.37 | \$134 |
| Hawaii | \$423.24 | \$211.62 | \$212 |
| Idaho | \$270.08 | \$135.04 | \$136 |
| Illinois | \$325.29 | \$162.64 | \$163 |
| Indiana | \$244.70 | \$122.35 | \$123 |
| Iowa | \$340.83 | \$170.41 | \$171 |
| Kansas | \$342.12 | \$171.06 | \$172 |
| Kentucky | \$290.67 | \$145.33 | \$146 |
| Louisiana | \$208.27 | \$104.14 | \$105 |
| Maine | \$286.88 | \$143.44 | \$144 |
| Maryland | \$328.90 | \$164.45 | \$165 |
| Massachusetts | \$432.02 | \$216.01 | \$217 |
| Michigan | \$293.22 | \$146.61 | \$147 |
| Minnesota | \$380.89 | \$190.45 | \$191 |
| Mississippi | \$194.07 | \$97.03 | \$98 |
| Missouri | \$241.68 | \$120.84 | \$121 |
| Montana | \$293.37 | \$146.68 | \$147 |
| Nebraska | \$279.92 | \$139.96 | \$140 |
| Nevada | \$308.64 | \$154.32 | \$155 |
| New Hampshire | \$287.14 | \$143.57 | \$144 |
| New Jersey | \$400.78 | \$200.39 | \$201 |
| New Mexico | \$302.39 | \$151.19 | \$152 |
| New York | \$308.29 | \$154.15 | \$155 |
| North Carolina | \$274.23 | \$137.12 | \$138 |
| North Dakota | \$407.51 | \$203.75 | \$204 |
| Ohio | \$321.39 | \$160.70 | \$161 |
| Oklahoma | \$297.46 | \$148.73 | \$149 |
| Oregon | \$318.10 | \$159.05 | \$160 |
| Pennsylvania | \$361.44 | \$180.72 | \$181 |
| Puerto Rico | \$119.22 | \$59.61 | \$60 |
| Rhode Island | \$347.73 | \$173.87 | \$174 |
| South Carolina | \$248.70 | \$124.35 | \$125 |

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| South Dakota | \$279.36 | \$139.68 | \$140 |
| Tennessee | \$231.71 | \$115.86 | \$116 |
| Texas | \$345.23 | \$172.61 | \$173 |
| Utah | \$348.27 | \$174.14 | \$175 |
| Vermont | \$314.10 | \$157.05 | \$158 |
| Virgin Islands | \$320.87 | \$160.44 | \$161 |
| Virginia | \$297.66 | \$148.83 | \$149 |
| Washington | \$391.23 | \$195.62 | \$196 |
| West Virginia | \$274.89 | \$137.45 | \$138 |
| Wisconsin | \$278.64 | \$139.32 | \$140 |
| Wyoming | \$360.90 | \$180.45 | \$181 |

*Based on Average Weekly Benefit Amount (AWBA) for Total Unemployment 04/01/2013 through 03/31/2014

Data supplied by U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Unemployment Insurance