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Division of WIA Adult Services and Workforce System
Employment and Training Administration
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Ave., NW, Room S-4209
Washington, DC 20210
ATTN: Heather Fleck

Dear Ms. Fleck:

In accordance with Training and Employment Guidance Letter (TEGL) 21-11, the State of Indiana requests that the U. S. Department of Labor provide a temporary extension of its existing State of Indiana WIA/Wagner-Peyser Act State Plan, including its current negotiated performance targets and the waivers listed below, into Program Year 2012.

Indiana Waivers

- Allow Youth to Use Individual Training Accounts
- Time Limit for Initial Eligibility for Eligible Training Provider List
- Transfer between Adult and Dislocated Worker Programs
- State Set-Aside Rapid Response Redistribution
- Waiver of Current WIA Performance Measures in Order to Fully Implement Common Measures

This extension will enable the State to complete a comprehensive strategic planning process, including the involvement of Indiana's local workforce investment boards, business leaders, and workforce investment partner organizations. The State intends to complete this process by late summer, and will submit its new five-year plan no later than September 15, 2012.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Mark W. Everson
Commissioner

Cc: Byron Zuidema, Stacy O'Keefe