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TO: Local Workforce Development Area Administrators/Service Providers

SUBJECT: Additional PY 2018 FY 2019 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I – Adult and Dislocated Worker (DLW) Activities Program Allocations

Purpose: To issue additional allocations of PY 2018 FY 2019 WIOA Title I – Adult and DLW Activities program funds to local workforce development areas (LWDAs).

General Information: Change 1 to TEG 16-17 informs states that the FY 2019 “advance” funding for PY 2018 is adjusted to restore the set-aside for evaluations for the Adult and DLW programs. Division H, Title I, sec. 107 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2018, allows the Secretary of Labor (Secretary) to set aside a portion of the Adult and DLW grant funds for evaluations. The Secretary has decreased the amount of funds the Department plans to set aside for this purpose and has restored the remaining funding to the state allotments. The base portion (available July 1, 2018) of PY 2018 funding for Adult and DLW activities was not impacted by this restoration. Also, the WIOA Youth Activities funds (available April 1, 2018) were not affected.

Arkansas will not retain any of these funds for Statewide Activities and will distribute all of these additional funds according to formula. Each LWDA will receive a unilateral modification to each of its FY 2019 Adult and DLW subgrant awards. The attached tables provide LWDAs the amount of additional funding they will receive.

Action Required: Upon receipt of the unilateral modifications, LWDAs will be required to submit revised subgrant award Funding Allocation Forms.

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Attachments:

PY 2018 WIOA Adult and Dislocated Worker State Allotment Restoration Allocation Development Tables

Expiration Date: June 30, 2020