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State Letter 1350  
May 15, 2009

To: Department Staff

From: Julia E. Kehoe, Commissioner

Re: TAFDC – Certain Summer Employment as Noncountable Income

This State Letter transmits the following change for TAFDC: summer employment income earned between May 1, 2009 and September 30, 2009, by recipients aged 14-24 is noncountable.

This material is effective May 1, 2009.

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- (MM) Payments made under the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act of 1990;
- (NN) Payments credited to an escrow account under the Family Self-Sufficiency Program administered by the Department of Housing and Urban Development
- (OO) Payments made to individuals because of their status as victims of Nazi persecution in accordance with Public Law 103-286; and
- (PP) Youthbuild or Americorps allowances, earnings or payments to individuals participating in those programs.
- (QQ) Veterans Benefits Payments to a female Vietnam veteran made on behalf of a child with birth defects or spina bifida.
- (RR) Summer employment income earned between May 1, 2009 and September 30, 2009, by recipients aged 14-24. Summer employment is defined as temporary seasonal employment with an employment termination date on or before September 30, 2009.