Workforce Issuance

100 DCS 02.165   ☐ **Policy**   ☑ **Information**

To: MassHire Workforce Board Chairs
                   MassHire Workforce Board Directors
                   MassHire Career Center Directors
                   MassHire Fiscal Officers
                   MassHire DCS Operations Managers

cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Diane Hurley, Acting Director
                   MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: January 6, 2025

Subject: **MOSES Version 41.0 will be released on Wednesday, January 22, 2025**

Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators and
                   other local workforce partners that MOSES 41.0 is scheduled for release to the
                   desktops on Wednesday, January 22, 2025.

Background: <u>MOSES and MOSES applications (JobQuest and TrainingPro) will be shut down at
                   4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 21, 2025, for the updates and the maintenance of
                   the MOSES software and MOSES Applications (JobQuest / TrainingPro)</u>.

                   This will **NOT** interrupt other IT services or functions to the offices, only MOSES
                   and MOSES applications (JobQuest and TrainingPro) will be taken off-line. Email,
                   unemployment assistance systems and internet services will still be available.

                   Please plan on completing and saving your MOSES data entry by 4:00 p.m. on
                   Tuesday, January 21, 2025, and then log off MOSES. This will ensure that when

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Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.
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you log into MOSES on your next workday, you will have the new version of MOSES available, and any work done prior will be saved.

The MOSES build is planned to be released Wednesday, January 22, 2025, to desktops.
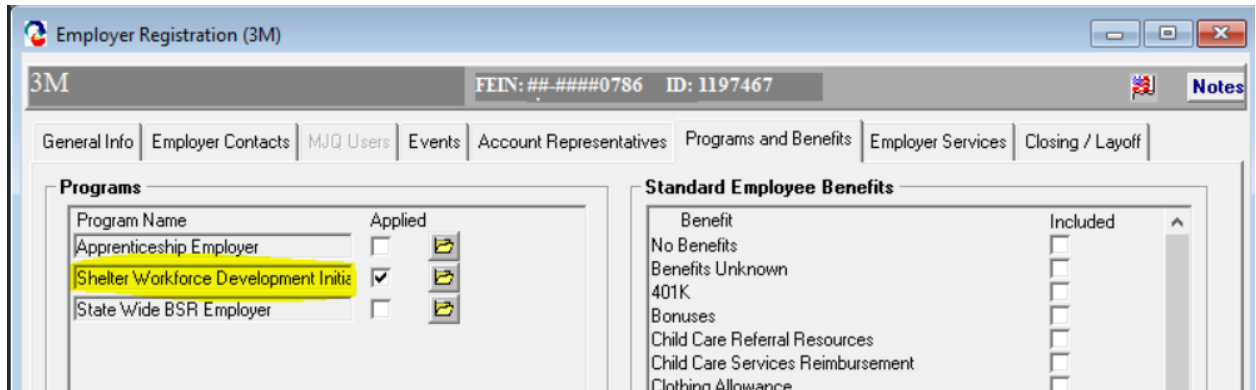
Action
Required: MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators, and workforce partners should ensure that their staff are aware of the MOSES shutdown on Tuesday, January 21, 2025, and that Career Centers and other MOSES users plan their workloads accordingly in preparation for MOSES to shut down at 4:00 p.m.
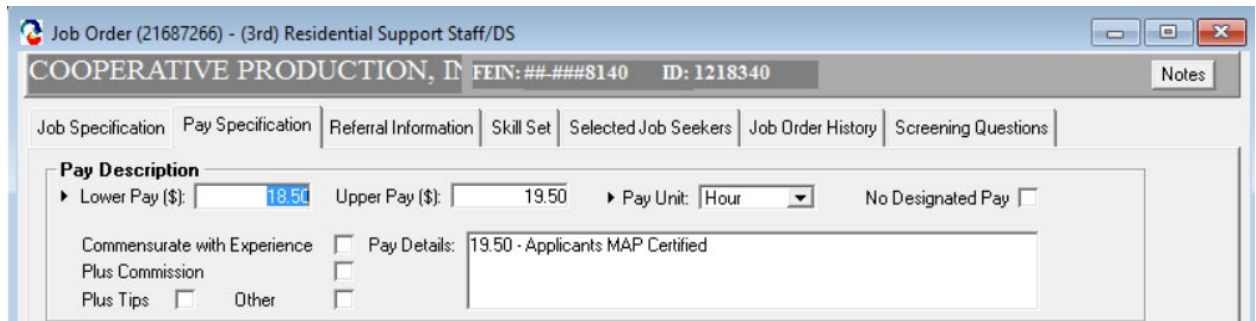
Effective: Immediately

Inquiries: Please email all questions to Thomas.M.Cartier@mass.gov. Please reference this MassWorkforce Issuance number in your inquiry.

Description of Key Changes in MOSES 41.0

1. The length of the displayed Program Name in the Employer record > Programs and Benefits tab will be increasing in width to allow users to see more of the program name.

2. The Pay Details field in a Job Order record > Pay Specification tab is increasing from 255 characters to 1000 characters.

3. The "Change MJQ Username/Email" and "Change MJQ Password" functions will be removed from the Administration drop-down menu to facilitate the change for job seekers accounts to MyMassGov (see Information issuance **100 DCS 02.164** for more details).