

MASSACHUSETTS
Workforce Investment Act
STEERING COMMITTEE

WIA Communication No. 00-18☒ **Policy** ☐ **Information**

To: Chief Elected Officials
Regional Employment Board Chairs
Regional Employment Board Directors
Service Delivery Area Directors or Designee
Career Center Directors
DET Regional Directors
DET Area Directors
(Distributions attached)

cc: WIA State Partners (Distributions attached)

From: Department of Labor and Workforce Development

Date: April 19, 2000

Subject: Policy Clarification: Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) WIA
Communication 00-04 - Career Center Certification form

Policy Clarification:

On February 14, 2000, WIA Communication 00-04, Memorandum of Understanding, was issued by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development. Recently it has been determined that an amendment is needed to page 4, "Full and Effective Partnerships". The second sentence of the fourth paragraph states " In addition, any local area in which the LWIB has failed to execute an MOU with all the required OSCC partners is not eligible for State incentive grants awarded on the basis of local coordination of activities pursuant to 20 CFR 665.200 (d) (2)."

This section is amended by adding the following language:

"Consistent with Section 121(d)(2)(A)(ii) of the WIA, which states that to be eligible to receive funds made available under this subtitle to operate a one-stop center referred to in section 134 (c), there must be an agreement between the LWIB and the one-stop entity (which may be a consortium of entities that at a minimum, includes 3 or more of the one-stop partners). The Commonwealth is requiring a plan submission that includes an MOU(s) with attachments and signatures by a minimum of 3 of the required partners."

Career Center Certification:

In order to provide official certification of the regions' Career Center operator(s), the local plan submission must include a signed copy of the attached "Career Center Operator Certification" form. Please place a check mark next to the appropriate provision of the law applicable to the designation of your Career Center operator(s). (see attached form)

Action Required: The Career Center Certification form must be submitted with your WIA Plan.

Effective: Immediately

References: WIA Communication 00-04, MOUs; WIA Communication 00-11, Local Planning Guidance

Inquiries: Any questions related to this correspondence should be directed to Kim McLaughlin (ext. 104) at (617) 727-6573.

Filing: Please file this in your notebook of previously issued WIA Communication Series Issuance as 00-18.

Enclosures

CAREER CENTER OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 121 (d) (1) and (2) of the Workforce Investment Act,
OPERATOR CENTER

is/are hereby designated as the operator(s) of the named One-Stop Career Center(s) for
the _____
Service Delivery Area.

Pursuant to Section 121 (e) of the Workforce Investment Act, the

having been established as the entity (entities) carrying out the activities of a one-
stop delivery system prior to August 7, 1998, is/are consistent with the
Governor's agreement, hereby certified as the One-Stop operator for the

_____ Service Delivery
Area.

Chair, Local Workforce Investment Board

Date

Chief Elected Official

Date