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TO: Workforce Florida, Inc. and Regional Workforce Boards (RWBs)

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SUBJECT: Adjusted Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL) Wage Rates for 2008

PURPOSE

The following table converts the new 2008 Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL) issued by the federal government to wage rates and quarterly earnings values. The rates and values are also adjusted for each regional workforce region using demographic and economic criteria to accommodate differences in the areas served by the Regional Workforce Boards (RWB). The adjusted values shown are compared to the prior year for informational purposes.

These rates and earnings levels are used as baseline data in state generated performance reports such as the monthly management reports and also can be used by RWBs to help determine priority of services when funding is limited.

ACTION REQUIRED

The adjusted Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL) wage rates for 2008 should be reviewed and shared with all associates and partners that are involved in local performance management and policy development.

AUTHORITY

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**2008 Lower Level Standard Income Level
Adjusted by the 2007 Florida Price Level Index**

AREA	2006 FPLI	Adjusted 2007 LLSIL *	2007 FPLI	Adjusted 2008 LLSIL **	Quarterly 2008 LLSIL	2008-07 Change	
						Numeric	Percent
FLORIDA	100.00	\$11.99	100.00	\$12.53	\$6,515.60	\$0.54	4.50%
WDR 1	92.19	\$11.05	92.11	\$11.54	\$6,000.80	\$0.49	4.43%
WDR 2	93.97	\$11.27	93.91	\$11.77	\$6,120.40	\$0.50	4.44%
WDR 3	88.96	\$10.67	88.84	\$11.12	\$5,783.96	\$0.45	4.25%
WDR 4	92.54	\$11.10	92.49	\$11.59	\$6,026.80	\$0.49	4.41%
WDR 5	94.10	\$11.28	94.02	\$11.78	\$6,125.60	\$0.50	4.43%
WDR 6	90.43	\$10.84	90.34	\$11.32	\$5,886.40	\$0.48	4.43%
WDR 7	93.98	\$11.27	93.92	\$11.77	\$6,120.40	\$0.50	4.44%
WDR 8	100.98	\$12.11	100.92	\$12.65	\$6,578.00	\$0.54	4.46%
WDR 9	97.71	\$11.72	97.64	\$12.23	\$6,359.60	\$0.51	4.35%
WDR 10	94.69	\$11.35	94.61	\$11.86	\$6,167.20	\$0.51	4.49%
WDR 11	94.73	\$11.36	94.70	\$11.87	\$6,172.40	\$0.51	4.49%
WDR 12	100.44	\$12.04	100.44	\$12.58	\$6,541.60	\$0.54	4.49%
WDR 13	98.26	\$11.78	98.20	\$12.30	\$6,396.00	\$0.52	4.41%
WDR 14	100.65	\$12.07	100.68	\$12.62	\$6,562.40	\$0.55	4.56%
WDR 15	102.13	\$12.25	102.10	\$12.79	\$6,650.80	\$0.54	4.41%
WDR 16	98.84	\$11.85	98.81	\$12.38	\$6,437.60	\$0.53	4.47%
WDR 17	97.58	\$11.70	97.50	\$12.22	\$6,354.40	\$0.52	4.44%
WDR 18	100.36	\$12.03	100.40	\$12.58	\$6,541.60	\$0.55	4.57%
WDR 19	95.37	\$11.43	95.37	\$11.95	\$6,214.00	\$0.52	4.55%
WDR 20	98.58	\$11.82	98.59	\$12.35	\$6,422.00	\$0.53	4.48%
WDR 21	104.63	\$12.55	104.50	\$13.09	\$6,806.80	\$0.54	4.30%
WDR 22	103.26	\$12.38	103.46	\$12.96	\$6,739.20	\$0.58	4.68%
WDR 23	101.62	\$12.18	101.77	\$12.75	\$6,630.00	\$0.57	4.68%
WDR 24	102.68	\$12.31	102.70	\$12.87	\$6,692.40	\$0.56	4.55%

* 2007 LLSIL = \$24,940 for the South Metro Area for a family of three.
\$ 24,940/2080 = \$11.99

** 2008 LLSIL = \$26,062 for the South Metro Area for a family of three.
\$ 26,062/2080 = \$12.53