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WORKFORCE INVESTMENT NOTICE: 08-08

TO: WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AREAS

FROM: Donna Treglia, Acting Administrator-SWIO

SUBJECT: Notice of Public Hearing – Title 1B WIA/Wagner Peyser State Plan Extension for Program Year 2009

DATE: February 4, 2009

WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT TITLE I/WAGNER PEYSER ACT

Notice is hereby given that the State Workforce Investment Office of the RI Department of Labor and Training will hold a public hearing on Thursday, March 5, 2009 from 10:00 AM to Noon at the RI Department of Labor and Training, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Building 73, 2nd Floor Conference Room, Cranston, RI to solicit comments from interested parties regarding the extension to the One-Year Title 1B WIA/ Wagner Peyser State Workforce Plan for the period July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010.

The Governor's Workforce Board RI, legislated under the federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) of 1998, administers workforce investment services for all Rhode Island cities and towns. The Plan describes the state's workforce investment strategies related to services for adults, dislocated workers, youth and employers.

The State Plan will be available beginning on Wednesday, February 4, 2009 by downloading from the following websites at www.dlt.ri.gov/wio and www.rihric.com. Requests for copies can be made by calling (401) 462-8784 to schedule a pick-up time between 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM at the RI Department of Labor and Training, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Building 73, Cranston, RI.

A public comment period will begin on February 4, 2009 and conclude one day after the public hearing on March 6, 2009. Written comments may be mailed to the State Workforce Investment Office, RI Department of Labor and Training, Building 72, 3rd Floor, Cranston, Rhode Island, 02920; faxed to (401) 462-8787; or e-mailed to dtreglia@dlt.ri.gov.