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TO

Chief Elected Officials
Local Workforce Development Boards

FROM

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SUBJECT

Program Year (PY) 2017 average hourly wage for Nebraska as it relates to the on-the-job training (OJT) wage-reimbursement cap

PURPOSE

The purpose of this notice is to provide Chief Elected Officials (CEOs) and local workforce development boards (local boards) with the PY 2017 average hourly wage for Nebraska as it relates to the OJT wage-reimbursement cap.

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ACTION

Each local board must ensure that employer reimbursement for the provision of OJT complies with the requirements of the wage-reimbursement cap as described in the State's current policy on OJT.

SUBSTANCE

The average hourly wage rate for each state is provided annually and retroactively by the Bureau of Labor Statistics in the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages and based on the most up-to-date annual data.

The average hourly wage rate for Nebraska for PY 2017 is $21.24 (wage-reimbursement cap).[1]

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REFERENCE

Federal and state laws, regulations, rules, and other guidance and documentation relied upon for the development of this issuance are cited in footnotes.

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[1] US Department of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics, "May 2016 State Occupational Employment and Wage Estimates." https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes_ne.htm [accessed July 7, 2017]

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