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Mr. Charles J. Fogarty
Director
Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training
1511 Pontiac Avenue
Cranston, Rhode Island 02920-4407

Dear Director Fogarty:

This letter provides approval of Rhode Island's Wagner-Peyser (W-P) Agricultural Outreach Plan (AOP) for Program Year (PY) 2014. The U.S Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration (ETA), Region 1 Boston Office received Rhode Island's AOP on May 15, 2014.

Training and Employment Guidance Letter (TEGL) No. 13-13, *Instructions and Planning Guidance for the Agricultural Outreach Plans (AOP) for Program Year 2014 and the Designation of Significant Migrant and Seasonal Farm Worker (MSFW) States*, issued on February 25, 2014, provided guidance for states to submit their AOP for PY 2014. We appreciate Rhode Island's responsiveness to this guidance.

We have reviewed Rhode Island's AOP in accordance with W-P regulations set forth at 20 C.F.R. 653.107 and 653.10, TEGL No. 13-13 and the State Integrated Workforce Plan Requirements for Workforce Investment Act Title I/Wagner-Peyser Act.

This letter constitutes a written determination that ETA is approving Rhode Island's annual W-P AOP for the period July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015. This approval constitutes a modification to Rhode Island's Integrated Workforce Plan. The AOP must be incorporated into the State's official copy of its State Integrated Workforce Plan and made available to the public.

We look forward to working together as you implement your AOP for PY 2014. If you have any questions related to the AOP, please contact Mr. Richard Chavez, Acting Region 1 Monitor Advocate, at (617) 788-0133 or via e-mail at chavez.richard@dol.gov.

Sincerely,

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