

**BASIC ENERGY SCIENCES
MATERIALS SCIENCES**

EPSCoR DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS BY STATE

(Dollars in thousands)

	FY 1997 <u>Actual</u>	FY 1998 <u>Estimate</u>	FY 1999 <u>Estimate</u>
Alabama	\$ 750	\$ 725	\$ 725
Kentucky	750	725	725
Louisiana	659	725	**
Maine	600	725	**
Montana	750	725	**
Nevada	750	725	725
Puerto Rico	750	725	725
South Carolina	550	725	725
Wyoming	730	725	725
Other*	<u>514</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>2,465</u>
Totals	\$6,803	\$6,815	\$6,815

* Includes technical support of Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCoR).

** The funding commitments for awards to Louisiana, Maine, and Montana expire in FY 1998. The uncommitted funds in FY 1999 will be competed among all EPSCoR states that do not have an active award to begin new "initiation" awards. (Eligible states are Arkansas, Idaho, Kansas, Louisiana, Maine, Mississippi, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Vermont, and West Virginia.) In addition to the normal initiation awards, which support cluster activities statewide, some funds may be used to support individual grants to scientists from EPSCOR states.