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7	DOL releases \$10.2 million to Hawaii	http://www.dol.gov/opa/media/press/eta/eta20090544.htm	Press Release	(UI) modernization incentive funds to the state of Hawaii. Hawaii qualified for the funds available under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Recovery Act) by allowing workers to use their more recent earnings to be eligible for benefits. Hawaii's approved application will be posted at the department's Employment and Training Administration Web site at	WASHINGTON — The U.S. Department of Labor today certified for release \$10,175,575 in unemployment insurance (UI) modernization incentive funds to the state of Hawaii. Hawaii qualified for the funds available under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Recovery Act) by allowing workers to use their more recent earnings to be eligible for benefits. Hawaii's approved application will be posted at the department's Employment and Training Administration Web site at http://www.doleta.gov/recovery/.  "Hawaii's UI program includes a key provision that better meets the needs of the 21st century workforce," said Secretary of Labor Hilda L. Solis. "Hawaii uses recent wages when determining eligibility for benefits, which enables unemployed workers who are relatively new entrants to the workforce to receive the assistance they need and deserve."  The Hawaii Department of Labor and Industrial Relations car use the funds to pay unemployment benefits or, if appropriated by the legislature, for administering its unemployment insurance program or delivering		UI funds;Hawaii;unemployment;moder nization

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	DOL releases \$62.8 million	http://www.dol.gov/opa/media/pr	Press Release	The U.S. Department of	WASHINGTON — The U.S. Department of Labor today	05/15/2009	<u>UI</u>
	to Virginia	ess/eta/eta20090541.htm		Labor today certified for		12:30AM	funds;Virginia;unemployment;mode
				release \$62,817,683 in	insurance (UI) modernization incentive funds to the		rnization
				unemployment insurance	commonwealth of Virginia. Virginia qualified for the funds		
				(UI) modernization	available under the American Recovery and Reinvestment		
				incentive funds to the	Act (Recovery Act) by allowing workers to use their more		
				commonwealth of Virginia.	recent earnings to be eligible for benefits. Virginia's		
				Virginia qualified for the	approved application will be posted at the department's		
				funds available under the American Recovery and	Employment and Training Administration Web site at http://www.doleta.gov/recovery/.		
				Reinvestment Act	inttp://www.doieta.gov/recovery/.		
				(Recovery Act) by allowing	"Virginia has a UI program that better meets the needs of		
				workers to use their more	the 21st century workforce," said Secretary of Labor Hilda L.		
				recent earnings to be	Solis. "By using recent wages when determining eligibility for		
				eligible for benefits.	benefits, Virginia enables unemployed workers who are		
				Virginia's approved	relatively new entrants to the workforce to get the		
				application will be posted	assistance they need and deserve."		
				at the department's	,		
				<b>Employment and Training</b>	The Virginia Employment Commission can use the funds to		
				Administration Web site at	pay unemployment benefits or, if appropriated by the		
				http://www.doleta.gov/rec	legislature, for administering its unemployment insurance		
				overy/.	program or delivering employment services.		
				"Virginia has a UI program			
				that better meets the	"Too many Virginians, like other Americans, are struggling to		
8				needs of the 21st century	The Recovery Act made a total of \$7 hillion available in LII mo		
	DOL announces \$462,000	http://www.dol.gov/opa/media/pr	Press Release	The U.S. Department of	WASHINGTON — The U.S. Department of Labor today	5/15/2009	unemployment;training;job
	grant to Maine	ess/eta/eta20090534.htm		Labor today announced a	announced a \$462,096 grant to assist approximately 100	03:45:00 PM	placement;Maine;
				\$462,096 grant to assist	workers affected by layoffs at True Textiles Inc. located in		
				approximately 100 workers	Guilford and Newport, Maine.		
				affected by layoffs at True			
				Textiles Inc. located in	"This grant will allow affected workers in Maine to access		
				Guilford and Newport,	training and services that will aid them in obtaining re-		
				Maine.	employment in growing regional industries," said Secretary of Labor Hilda L. Solis.		
				"This grant will allow			
				affected workers in Maine	Today's grant will be awarded to the Maine Department of		
				to access training and	Labor and will be administered by the Eastern Maine		
				services that will aid them	Development Corp. All of the workers targeted for		
				in obtaining re-	assistance under this grant also have been certified as		
				employment in growing	eligible for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA). Through this		
				regional industries," said	grant, workers will be able to access "wrap-around" services		
				Secretary of Labor Hilda L.	that are not available through the TAA program. These		
				Solis.	services may relate to career and skills assessments; case		
				Today's grant will be	management; job search and follow up; resume and cover		
				Today's grant will be awarded to the Maine	letter writing; and basic skills training. Training will focus on health care, business services and trade occupations, and		
				Department of Labor and	will be provided through regional adult education programs a		
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