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The Honorable Bruce Caswell, Chair  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS  
Michigan State Senate  
Lansing, MI 48933

The Honorable David Agema, Chair  
House Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS  
Michigan House of Representatives  
Lansing, MI 48933

Dear Senator Caswell and Representative Agema:

Section 677 of 2010 Public Act No. 190 requires the Department of Human Services (DHS) to report the following data on a quarterly basis:

- 1. Current percentage of FIP cases involved in JET employment activities*
- 2. Current percentage of FIP cases that meet federal work participation requirements*

The attached report includes the required information for the period of October 1, 2010 to September 30, 2011.

If you have questions regarding the work participation rates, please contact Julie Horn Alexander, Director, Office of Quality Assurance, at (517) 373-4659. If you have questions regarding JET, please contact Kimberly Keilen, Director, Family Program Policy at (517) 241-5502.

Sincerely,

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Chief Financial Officer

CC: Senate and House Appropriations Subcommittees on DHS  
Senate and House Fiscal Agencies  
Senate and House Policy Offices  
State Budget Director

**WDA JET Work Participation Rate Report QG-163  
By WDA MWA Code  
Issued October 27, 2011**

	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar*	Apr*	May	June	July	Aug	Sep
Michigan Works! Agency	2010	2010	2010	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011
2 - Region 7B	38.8%	33.8%	29.2%	31.0%	26.1%	26.0%	34.2%	31.7%	29.1%	31.6%	28.5%	35.8%
3 - Calhoun ISD	35.0%	30.7%	30.0%	25.3%	25.3%	23.0%	24.5%	23.1%	22.4%	32.6%	29.8%	28.6%
4 - Great Lakes Bay	59.2%	62.3%	59.9%	56.8%	56.5%	55.5%	56.8%	55.8%	54.8%	59.7%	55.9%	53.9%
5 - Berrien/Cass/Van Buren	44.4%	44.5%	48.6%	51.4%	47.3%	46.6%	51.3%	43.4%	32.8%	38.7%	36.9%	40.4%
6 - The Job Force	52.6%	48.6%	36.6%	42.6%	50.8%	55.7%	46.0%	41.7%	33.9%	41.3%	41.9%	45.3%
7 - City of Detroit	25.9%	27.2%	25.9%	26.0%	28.4%	29.5%	34.4%	36.5%	34.1%	37.5%	34.5%	34.3%
9 - Eastern U.P.	47.3%	36.4%	37.8%	36.7%	31.5%	30.4%	38.0%	36.8%	39.4%	38.5%	32.1%	32.1%
10 - Career Alliance	34.7%	30.6%	34.1%	34.7%	39.3%	46.3%	48.7%	50.6%	38.5%	48.0%	41.2%	42.7%
11 - Central Area	53.3%	47.0%	40.9%	47.8%	49.5%	48.2%	52.4%	48.0%	54.2%	59.1%	57.9%	47.7%
13 - Thumb Area	27.1%	33.3%	25.4%	35.4%	32.7%	33.9%	49.4%	47.5%	37.9%	34.1%	34.6%	41.0%
14 - Kalamazoo-St. Joseph	25.5%	24.4%	20.9%	21.6%	20.6%	21.3%	22.9%	20.1%	20.1%	22.7%	24.7%	24.6%
16 - West Central	34.7%	40.7%	38.5%	33.1%	36.8%	36.8%	41.3%	38.9%	40.5%	43.4%	41.3%	41.0%
17 - Capital Area	51.2%	48.5%	46.7%	37.7%	40.4%	42.8%	47.5%	53.7%	47.0%	50.8%	47.9%	50.3%
19 - Macomb/St. Clair	40.4%	39.5%	34.3%	36.9%	38.4%	40.1%	47.6%	46.7%	43.3%	44.1%	35.4%	39.6%
20 - Muskegon County	23.2%	22.5%	21.1%	25.0%	23.2%	23.7%	26.4%	29.0%	25.0%	33.6%	32.0%	31.9%
21 - Northeast	42.6%	46.2%	42.0%	41.4%	38.7%	37.3%	42.1%	39.5%	35.6%	36.9%	37.2%	38.8%
22 - Northwest	34.4%	32.8%	25.0%	27.5%	30.2%	25.4%	27.5%	32.7%	34.8%	34.9%	34.3%	33.8%
23 - Oakland County	45.3%	46.6%	42.4%	39.7%	42.7%	40.8%	45.1%	44.6%	42.5%	43.5%	38.4%	42.3%
26 - Western U.P.	19.9%	15.5%	16.0%	13.1%	12.7%	8.4%	8.7%	8.1%	14.6%	13.5%	11.8%	13.7%
29 - Livingston County	51.3%	39.5%	57.1%	48.4%	35.1%	31.4%	45.5%	51.5%	39.3%	39.3%	44.4%	54.2%
30 - Washtenaw County	27.9%	25.6%	22.9%	16.9%	16.2%	24.0%	29.8%	29.2%	32.6%	31.6%	31.2%	32.6%
31 - SEMCA	44.6%	46.0%	37.7%	43.7%	47.0%	47.3%	49.7%	46.4%	42.8%	49.3%	45.4%	49.0%
32 - Ottawa County	36.5%	34.3%	25.8%	35.8%	33.3%	26.8%	40.0%	34.5%	31.2%	42.1%	35.7%	53.3%
33 - ACSET	47.1%	42.6%	38.7%	40.9%	43.1%	43.7%	44.6%	45.9%	42.4%	46.4%	42.8%	48.6%
34 - South Central	48.4%	50.9%	48.0%	43.1%	39.0%	43.1%	48.7%	49.7%	47.9%	51.0%	47.7%	52.3%
Statewide	35.5%	34.9%	33.1%	33.6%	35.1%	36.7%	40.7%	41.2%	36.8%	41.8%	38.0%	39.4%

Based on DHS coding of participants as 'Work First', Includes only those who attend orientation and started an activity, Run by MWA Code assigned by WDA

Work Participation Rate is based on Countable Hours

WDA - Run October 27, 2011

Fiscal YTD is October 2010 to current month

\* Revised Participation Rates

Legend: 0 - 29.9% 30-39.9% 40-49.9% 50% + above

2010 Public Act No. 190  
 Section 677  
 Report to the Legislature

**FY 2011 Percentage of TANF/FIP Cases That Met Federal Work Participation Requirements**

<b>FY 2010 QUARTER</b>	<b>Percentages</b>
First Quarter (Oct – Dec 2010)	23.7%
Second Quarter (Jan – March 2011)	26.0%
Third Quarter (April – June 2011)	26.8%
Fourth Quarter (July – Sept 2011)	30.9%
<b>FY 2011 Year-to-Date Work Participation Rates</b>	<b>26.9%</b>

*The work participation rates are calculated based on reviews conducted by the Office of Quality Assurance. The reported rates are subject to change based on further review of cases by the TANF/FIP Work Participation Review Committee. Rates are also subject to review and change by the Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families.*