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### Initial and Continued Claims by Program for Week Ending: 09/10/2016

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<th>Program</th>
<th>Current Week Claims</th>
<th>Last Week</th>
<th>Last Year</th>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Initial</td>
<td>Continued</td>
<td>Initial</td>
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<tr>
<td>Regular</td>
<td>520</td>
<td>4,147</td>
<td>675</td>
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<td>Workshare</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>4</td>
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<td>Dislocated Worker Benefits</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>63</td>
<td>22</td>
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<td>Trade Readjustment Allowance</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>201</td>
<td>0</td>
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<td>Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees &amp; Military</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>44</td>
<td>2</td>
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<td>TOTAL ALL PROGRAMS</td>
<td>538</td>
<td>4,459</td>
<td>700</td>
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#### Note:
For DWB and TRA programs, initial and continued claims are due to claimants in approved training exhausting Regular Benefits.

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### UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE FINANCIAL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING 08/20/2016

- **Regular Unemployment Insurance Benefits for Week**: $1,299,921.25
- **Dislocated Workers Benefits Amount Paid for Week**: $30,426.00
- **Trade Readjustment Allowance Benefits Amount Paid for Week**: $91,637.87
- **Federal Programs Benefits Amount Paid for Week**: $15,762.75
- **Net Amount of UI Contributions for Week**: $346,865.40
- **Balance Available for UI Benefits as of Week Ending**: $391,920,451.55
- **Net Benefits Paid Chargeable to Unemployment Compensation Fund for July 2016**: $5,254,848.43
- **Reed Act Disbursements October 2015 - July 2016**: $523,455.81

#### Note:
Regular Benefits paid include reimbursable payments and other disbursements which are reported under the UI Program. Amount Paid may represent Continued Claims tallied in a prior week.

### Extended Benefits Triggers
When the 13-Week Average Insured Unemployment Rate (IUR) reaches 5% and the IUR is 120% or higher than the last 2 years.

- **13-Week Average Insured Unemployment Week Ending 09/03/2016**: 0.88%
- **120% Threshold - Current IUR as a percent of the average IUR rate in the prior 2 years**: 72.13%

IUR is calculated by taking the average of the Continued Claims claims over a rolling 13 week period divided by Covered Employment. Covered Employment is employment that falls under the Unemployment Insurance Program.

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### Mass Layoff Statistics
#### September 10, 2016

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<th>Year to Date</th>
<th>Number of Unique Employers</th>
<th>Number of Times Employers had 5 or more Initial Claims</th>
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<td>2016</td>
<td>256</td>
<td>753</td>
<td>8,620</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>253</td>
<td>778</td>
<td>8,513</td>
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<td>Percent Change</td>
<td>▲ 1.2%</td>
<td>▼ -3.2%</td>
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