

**TABLE 1**  
**SUMMARY OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES**  
**March 2014**

| Activity                                    | March<br>2014 | February<br>2014 | March<br>2013 | Percent Change From |            |
|---|---------------|------------------|---------------|---------------------|------------|
|   |               |                  |               | Prior Month         | Prior Year |
| <b>STATE UC PROGRAM</b>                     |               |                  |               |                     |            |
| Weeks Compensated                           | 95,903        | 105,095          | 105,538       | -8.7                | -9.1       |
| Total Unemployment                          | 92,340        | 100,459          | 101,970       | -8.1                | -9.4       |
| Other Than Total                            | 3,563         | 4,636            | 3,568         | -23.1               | -0.1       |
| Benefits Paid                               | 20,036,059    | 21,656,359       | 21,652,026    | -7.5                | -7.5       |
| Total Unemployment                          | 19,569,389    | 21,096,574       | 21,167,477    | -7.2                | -7.5       |
| Other Than Total                            | 466,670       | 559,785          | 484,549       | -16.6               | -3.7       |
| Average Payment - Total Unemployment        | 212           | 210              | 208           | 0.9                 | 2.1        |
| Beneficiaries                               | 29,360        | 32,655           | 31,675        | -10.1               | -7.3       |
| First Payments                              | 5,102         | 6,978            | 5,701         | -26.9               | -10.5      |
| Final Payments                              | 2,669         | 2,793            | 2,915         | -4.4                | -8.4       |
| <b>Claims Received - Local Offices</b>      |               |                  |               |                     |            |
| New   | 10,560        | 11,098           | 11,507        | -4.8                | -8.2       |
| Additional                                  | 4,735         | 4,838            | 4,775         | -2.1                | -0.8       |
| Continued                                   | 38,310        | 40,652           | 39,889        | -5.8                | -4.0       |
| Weeks Claimed                               | 130,405       | 119,991          | 120,129       | 8.7                 | 8.6        |
| <b>Liabile Interstate Claims Received</b>   |               |                  |               |                     |            |
| Initial                                     | 394           | 382              | 513           | 3.1                 | -23.2      |
| Weeks Claimed                               | 4,685         | 4,506            | 5,140         | 4.0                 | -8.9       |
| <b>Appeals - Lower and Higher Authority</b> |               |                  |               |                     |            |
| Lower Authority - Appeals Received          | 1,298         | 1,082            | 1,313         | 20.0                | -1.1       |
| Lower Authority - Appeal Decisions          | 1,326         | 1,254            | 1,451         | 5.7                 | -8.6       |
| Higher Authority - Appeals Received         | 308           | 165              | 288           | 86.7                | 6.9        |
| Higher Authority - Appeal Decisions         | 278           | 264              | 299           | 5.3                 | -7.0       |
| <b>FEDERAL UC PROGRAM (UCFE AND UCX)</b>    |               |                  |               |                     |            |
| Weeks Compensated                           | 1,587         | 1,662            | 2,116         | -4.5                | -25.0      |
| Benefits Paid - Federal Funds               | 462,612       | 483,155          | 614,451       | -4.3                | -24.7      |
| <b>Claims Received - Local Offices</b>      |               |                  |               |                     |            |
| Initial                                     | 156           | 154              | 250           | 1.3                 | -37.6      |
| Continued                                   | 521           | 562              | 691           | -7.3                | -24.6      |
| Weeks Claimed                               | 1,948         | 1,821            | 2,252         | 7.0                 | -13.5      |
| <b>TOTAL STATE AND FEDERAL UC PROGRAMS</b>  |               |                  |               |                     |            |
| Weeks Compensated                           | 97,490        | 106,757          | 107,654       | -8.7                | -9.4       |
| Benefits Paid - All Funds                   | 20,498,671    | 22,139,514       | 22,266,477    | -7.4                | -7.9       |
| Number of First Payments                    | 5,161         | 7,064            | 5,828         | -26.9               | -11.4      |
| Beneficiaries                               | 29,927        | 33,268           | 32,425        | -10.0               | -7.7       |
| <b>Claims Received - Local Offices</b>      |               |                  |               |                     |            |
| Initial                                     | 15,451        | 16,090           | 16,532        | -4.0                | -6.5       |
| Continued                                   | 38,831        | 41,214           | 40,580        | -5.8                | -4.3       |
| Weeks Claimed                               | 132,353       | 121,812          | 122,381       | 8.7                 | 8.1        |
| Number of Work Days                         | 20            | 19               | 21            | 5.3                 | -4.8       |

\* Includes activity under State Unemployment Compensation Program.