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November 1, 2010

The Honorable Thomas M. Middleton
Chairman, Senate Finance Committee
3 East Miller Senate Office Building
Annapolis MD 21401-1991

The Honorable Norman H. Conway
Chairman, House Appropriations Committee
121 House Office Building
Annapolis, MD 21401-1991

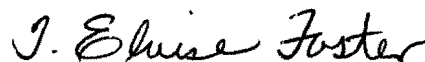
Dear Chairman Middleton and Chairman Conway:

Section 5-304(b)(3) of the Human Services Article requires the Secretary of Budget and Management, with the assistance of the Secretary of Human Resources (DHR) to report annually to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Appropriations Committee on the number of recipients of benefits through the Family Investment Program, children of current or former recipients, foster youth, and obligors hired and retained by the principal departments within the executive branch of State government.

Attached is the annual report prepared by the Office of Personnel Services and Benefits presenting the data as reported by DHR. The chart shows the number of recipients hired by State agencies and the number of recipients that were still employed as of June 30, 2010. There were 48 additional recipients hired in fiscal year 2010. The overall retention rate for this program since its inception in 1999 is 54 percent. DHR advises that data for children of current or former recipients, foster youth and obligors is not available. DHR is establishing the mechanisms to capture this new data for fiscal year 2011 as now required by the statute.

If you would like additional information, please contact me or have your staff contact Cindy Kollner, Executive Director, Office of Personnel Services and Benefits at 410-767-4715 or ckollner@dbm.state.md.us.

Sincerely,



T. Eloise Foster
Secretary

Enclosure

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**Welfare to Work Program
Hires By State Agencies
July 1, 1999 - June 30, 2010**

Department	Hired	Retained
Aging	5	4
Assessments and Taxation	4	4
Baltimore City Community College	3	1
Budget and Management	4	2
Comptroller	10	6
Education	9	3
Environment	1	0
Food Center Authority	2	1
General Services	6	2
Governor's Office of Children	1	0
Health and Mental Hygiene	75	33
Historic St. Mary's City Community	1	0
Housing and Community Development	1	1
Human Relations Commission	1	0
Human Resources	128	113
Judiciary	16	7
Juvenile Services	18	11
Labor, Licensing and Regulation	5	5
Lottery	1	1
Maryland Auto. Insurance Fund	1	0
Maryland Insurance Administration	4	3
Maryland Dept. of Transportation	51	13
Maryland Public Broadcasting Comm.	1	0
Maryland State Police	4	3
Military Department	1	0
Office of the Public Defender	4	3
Public Safety and Correctional Services	243	111
School for the Deaf	2	0
St. Mary's College of Maryland	1	1
Towson State Univ.	4	1
University of Maryland System	5	4
Veterans Affairs	1	0
Workers' Compensation Commission	1	0
TOTAL	614	333

Note: The data regarding new hires was provided by the Department of Human Resources.