

Certification Workload and Characteristics of Certified Individuals

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		CERTIFICATION R	FOUESTS	(System Innuts)			CF	RTIFICATION REQUE	STS (System (Outnuts)	
A) Incomplete Requests			C) New Requests			Certified Requests F) Denied Requests		G) Incomplete H) Requi		ests Needing action	
				PART II. C	HARACTERISTICS O	F CERTIFIE	D INDIVIDUALS	1			
I) By WOTC Target Group		(a) No. of CCs Resulting in Certifications	(b) No Certifie Individu	ed J) By C	J) By Occupation		J) By Oc	J) By Occupation (Cont.)		K) By Starting Hourly Wage	(a) No. Certified Individuals
1. IV-A Recipient			WOTO	C Nam	ne-Code	WOTC	Na	Name-Code		1. Under Federal Minimum Wage	WOTC
2a. Veteran (V)				1. Management Occ	1. Management Occupations – 11		14. Protective S	14. Protective Services – 33		2. \$7.25 - \$8.25	
2b. Disabled Ve	eteran <mark>(DV)</mark>			2 Business & Finan			15. Food Prepa	15. Food Preparation & Serving - 3		2 67 25 60 25	
2c. DV receiving UI for 6 mos.				2. Business & Finan	2. Business & Financial Operations – 13			16. Bldg. & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance – 37		2. \$7.25 - \$8.25	
2d. V receiving UI for 4 weeks				3. Computer & Math	3. Computer & Mathematical – 15		18. Sales & Rel	18. Sales & Related Occupations – 41		3. \$8.26 - \$8.99	
2e. V Receiving UI for 6 months prior to yr. of hire				4. Architecture & En	4. Architecture & Engineering – 17		19. Office/Admir	nistrative Support – 43		4. \$9.00 – \$9.99	
3. Ex-Felon				5. Life, Physical & S	5. Life, Physical & Social Sciences – 19		20. Farming, Fis	shing & Forestry – 45		5. \$10.00 - Higher	
Designated Community Resident				6. Community & Soc	6. Community & Social Services – 21		21. Construction	n & Extraction – 47		6. Total (for Qtr.)	
5. Voc. Rehab Referral				7. Legal Occupation	7. Legal Occupations – 23		22. Installation, 49	Maintenance ,Repair			
6. Ticket Holder			8. Education, Trainin	8. Education, Training, & Library – 25		23. Production (Occupations – 51				
7. Summer Youth					9. Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports/Media Occupations – 27		24. Transportati Production Occ	on & Material Moving upations – 53			
8. SNAP Recipient				10. Healthcare Prac	10. Healthcare Practitioner & Technical – 29		25. Military Spe	cific Occupations – 55			
9. SSI Recipient				11. Healthcare Supp	11. Healthcare Support Occupations – 31						
10. Long-term 7	TANF										
11. TOTAL (for	qtr.)										
12. Total (YTD)											
26. Name and Title of Responsible Official: 2		27. Signature Title:	28. Dat	e Signed:	29. Total (for qti	·)					

Instructions for Preparing ETA Form 9058, Report 1 – "Certification Workload and Characteristics of Certified Individuals," Work Opportunity Tax Credit Report

Introduction.

ETA Form 9058. Part I. of this report clarifies and simplifies data reported on certifications and indicates state workforce agencies' (SWAs) workload during each reporting quarter. Part II. continues to collect data on selected characteristics of individuals with tax credit certifications. Revisions to this form include the amendments and new provisions introduced by Public Laws 111-5 (the Recovery Act of 2009), 110-28 and 109-432. The "WtW" and "Dual" columns for Sections I, J, and K of Part II. Characteristics of Certified Individuals have been removed since the WtWTC was merged into the WOTC Program. The Long–term TANF Recipient group remains as target group #9. Five changes were made to "Section I) By WOTC Target Group." Target Group #2. Veteran is now divided into 2a. Veteran and 2b. Disabled Veteran to capture the number of certifications issued to this expanded group. Target group #4. is no longer called High-Risk Youth. This group is now called "Designated Community Resident (DCR)." The content of boxes 10 and 11 was deleted as follows: box 10. Unemployed Veterans and box 11 Disconnected Youth to Since these groups expired on December 31, 2010. The title for Box10. is now "Long-term TANF" and for Box 11. it is "TOTAL (For Qtr.)."

Background.

The purpose of ETA Form 9058 (Rev. April. 2009) is to provide state workforce agencies (SWAs) with a standardized reporting format, which accurately reflects program activity levels and outcomes under the consolidated Work Opportunity Tax Credit (WOTC). It is important for SWAs to maintain programmatic reporting procedures that account for each tax request (IRS Form 8850) received and its subsequent outcome (issuance of a tax certification or a denial notification). A properly completed ETA Form 9058 accurately reflects program use and the level of any programmatic backlog that may exist. To ensure that the WOTC Program can be accurately evaluated at the national level, it is critical that all SWAs report in a standardized manner.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM:

State. Enter the name of the state submitting ETA Form 9058.

Quarter Ending Period. Enter ending date of the quarter for the reported program data.

Part I. "Certification Workload." SWAs must identify from Part I, Item F on the previous reporting quarter's ETA Form 9058 the number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) determined to be incomplete or Needing Action, as defined below:

- (A) **Number of Requests Incomplete.** Enter the total number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) received by the SWA prior to the beginning of the current report period, but for which no applicant eligibility determination action (excluding the 48-hour review) was taken. This total is to be entered into Part I, Item (A) of ETA Form 9058.
- (B) **Number of Requests Needing Action.** Enter the total number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) received by the SWA prior to the beginning of the current report, but for which no review and total is to be entered into Part I, Item (B) of recently revised ETA Form 9058.
- (C) **New Requests**. Enter the total number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) received by the SWA during the current reporting quarter. Some states may have received requests (IRS Form 8880s) that were not previously recorded and/or reported on any prior quarterly report ETA 9058 for various reasons. It is Important for the SWA to report all requests (IRS Form 8850s) received. Therefore, any request received outside of the current reporting quarter, which has not previously been reported, should be included with the number of requests received during the current reporting period. That total should be entered as the number of "New Requests". This total is to be entered into Part I, Item (C) of ETA Form 9058.
- (D) **Total Requests to Be Processed.** Enter the sum of Items A, B & C. This total represents the number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) received by the SWA, which are available to be processed. This total is to be entered under Part I, Item (D) of ETA Form 9058.
- (E) Requests Certified. Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued during the current report period.
- (F) **Requests Denied.** Enter the total number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) denied by the SWA during the current report period.

Note. A denial is a request (IRS Form 8850) determined by the SWA to be ineligible for the WOTC.

- (G) **Number of Requests Incomplete.** Enter the total number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) received and reviewed by the SWA, but which the SWA could neither approve nor deny due to such things as, but not limited to, the need for additional eligibility documentation for which the SWA has made a formal request to the employer, authorized tax consultant, or other third party entity, ETA Form 9061 not submitted, etc. **Note**. This number will also be entered in Part 1, Item A. of the subsequent quarterly report ETA Form 9058.
- (H) <u>Number of Requests Needing Action</u>. Enter the number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) received by the SWA but for which no review and/or action has yet been taken to determine applicant eligibility.

Note. This value will also be entered in Part I, Item B. of the subsequent quarterly report ETA Form 9058. Part I, Item H is the sum of Item D, minus Item E, minus Item F, minus Item G.

Part I. Completion Formula:

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(A + B + C) = D and

D - (E + F + G) = H Same as: Items (A+B+C) = D and (D-E-F-G) = H

Part II. "Characteristics of Certified Individuals by Tax Credit." This part is divided into three sections (Section I, Section J, and Section K).

Section I reflects the number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) certified by the SWA during the current report period **by WOTC target groups.** Section J reflects the number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) certified by the SWA during the current report period **by occupation.** Section K reflects the number of requests (IRS Form 8850s) certified by the SWA during the current report period **by starting hourly wage.**

Section I.

Section I, Column (a). Enter the total number of certifications, by target group, issued by the SWA during the current report period, which resulted from the issuance of a conditional certification i.e., ETA Form 9062.

Section I, Column (b). Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, by target group.

Section I, Line #2a. Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, for Veterans.

Section I, Line #2b. Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, for "Disabled Veterans" according to P.L. 110-28.

Section I. Line #4. P.L. 110-28 changed the name of the High-Risk Youth to "Designated Community Residents (DCRs)." Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, for DCRs.

Section I, Line #5a. Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, for "ticket holders." (e.g., SSI, SSDI, or Voc. Rehab).

Section I, Line #10. Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, for "Unemployed Veterans" according to P.L. 111-5

Section I, Line #11. Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, for "Disconnected Youth" according to P.L. 111-5

Section I. Line #12. Enter the sums of columns (a), and (b). <u>Note</u>. The total (fro quarter) of Section I, Line #12, columns (a) & (b) should equal the total entered in Part I. Item E. Requests Certified.

Section I, Line #13. Enter the cumulative federal program Year-to-Date (YTD) totals of columns (a) and (b). **Note.** The first quarterly report of the federal program year (October 01-December 31), the totals of Section I, Line #10, and Line #11 should be the same.

Section J.

Section J, Column (a). Enter the total number of WOTC Certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, by occupation. **Note:** The total for Section J, Column (a), Line #29 is the sum of the column and must equal the total for Section I, Column (a) & (b) Line #12.

The occupational data reported in boxes 1-25 are derived from the job titles reported on ETA Forms 9061 or 9062. To prepare this report, SWAs/DLAs must use, the O*NET, new job families of occupations and their two-digit corresponding codes as illustrated in the following table.

O*NET SOC JOB FAM	ILIES		
<u>Name</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Code</u>
Management Occupations	11	Food Preparation & Serving Related	35
Business & Financial Operations	13	Bldg. & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	37
Computer& Mathematical Occupations	15	Personal Care & Service	39
Architecture & Engineering	17	Sales & Related Occupations	41
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	19	Office & Administrative Support	43
Community & Social Services	21	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	45
Legal Occupations	23	Construction & Extraction	
Education, Training, & Library	25	Installation, Maintenance & Repair	49
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports and Media Occupations	27	Production Occupations	51
Healthcare Practitioner & Technical	29	Transportation & Material Moving	53
Healthcare Support Occupations	31	Military Specific Occupations	55
Protective Service Occupations	33		

Section K

Section K, Column (a). Enter the total number of WOTC certifications issued by the SWA/DLA during the current report period, by starting hourly wage¹. **Note.** The total for Section K, Column (a), Line #7 is the sum of the column and must equal the total for Section I, column (b), Line #12.

Convert as follows:

Unit of Time	Calculated Hourly Wage
Day	Amount divided by 8
Week	Amount divided by 40
Month	Amount divided by 172
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- 26. Name and Title of Responsible Official. Enter the name and title of the authorized signatory official.
- 27. Signature. Enter the signature of the authorized signatory official.
- 28. Date. Enter the date of the authorized signatory official's signature.
- **29. Total (for qtr).** Enter the total number of WOTC Certifications issued by the SWA during the current report period, by occupation. . **Note.** The total for Section J, Column (a), Line #29 is the sum of the column for this quarter and must equal the total for Section I, column (b), Line #12.

¹ According to the Federal Labor Standards Act (FLSA), the federal minimum salary is \$6.55 per hour effective July 24, 2008 and \$7.25 per hour effective July 24, 2009. **Source:** Office of Employment Standards Administration, Division of Wage and Hour at the U.S. Department of Labor.