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**Minnesota Emergency Employment
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Division of House of Appropriations
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Subcommittee of Senate Finance

FROM: Joe Samargia *Joe Samargia / JS*

RE: MEED Progress Report

DATE: March 27, 1985

The attached report is provided as required by the Minnesota Emergency Employment Development (MEED) Act, Section 3, Subdivision 5.

This report includes information requested under the Act, as well as other information which is relevant to program performance.

If you have questions about this report or any other aspect of the MEED Program, please contact me at 297-4566.

Attachment

ARTICLE 7 MEED JOBS PROGRAM

PROGRESS REPORT

PREPARED BY

**THE MINNESOTA EMERGENCY EMPLOYMENT
DEVELOPMENT (MEED) PROGRAM**

MARCH 27, 1985

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RE: STATEMENTS ABOUT THE ARTICLE 7 MEED JOBS PROGRAM

1. Goals and Objectives-Results. Fifty-six (56%) percent of all people working in MEED are in private for profit jobs.

Forty-two (42%) percent of all participants served through January, 1985 are female. This is lower than our 50% goal, but is within our qualified goal to serve females at least according to their incidence in the eligible applicant population.

Since our last quartely report (December 20, 1984), a total of 2985 new people have enrolled in MEED. Our expenditures have increased a total of \$10,313,733 (from \$56,511,902 to \$66,825,635). \$23.2 million is obligated for future expenditures.

2. Private for Profit Jobs. Our priority continues to be private for profit marketing and contract development. For profit businesses are contacted through employer brochures, radio and television spots and local initiatives by employment administrators.

The MEED Office works closely with the Department of Economic Development, and MEED is marketed as an economic development tool. MEED's value to employers is enhanced when combined with the federal Targeted Jobs Tax Credit. MEED may serve as the employer's solution to cash flow problems. MEED may serve as a catalyst necessary to start a business.

3. Article 8 Coordination. The MEED Office works closely with the Department of Economic Security and the Department of Public Welfare in the operation of the employment allowance and general assistance provisions under Article 8 of the Act. 39.3% (8905) of all MEED participants are General Assistance eligible.

\$200,000 of MEED Article 7 central office administrative funds were allocated to Economic Security to assist with administration of Article 8.

4. MEED's Enrollment Performance (Attachment 1). This report provides more information on program performance by employment administrator. This information is updated weekly.
5. Applicant/Participant Information (Attachment 2). This report provides more information about program participants. This report is updated monthly.

6. Article 7 MEED Jobs Expenditures (Attachment 3). This report is a statement of program expenditures through a given month. The top half lists expenditures by service delivery areas. The bottom half is a summary of program expenditures by cost category. This report is updated monthly.

7. Discretionary Allocations.

Arrowhead Economic Opportunity Agency was allocated an additional \$100,000 for use on indian reservations in the service delivery area.

Hennepin County was allocated an additional \$200,000 to be used for the Special Relocation Effort of the Rural MN CEP area workers.

St. Paul was allocated an additional \$390,000 to be used as follows:

- \$130,000 is to be used to establish a job training employment program for disadvantaged youths.
- \$260,000 is to be used to cover 10 MEED slots with the Minnesota Supported Work Project.

Washington County was allocated an additional \$200,000 to encourage private sector job placements.

Rural Minnesota CEP, Inc. was allocated an additional \$300,000 for use on indian reservations in the service delivery area.

MINNESOTA EMERGENCY EMPLOYMENT
DEVELOPMENT (MEED) PROGRAM
ENROLLMENT PERFORMANCE

ATTACHMENT 1

Week Ending March 22, 1985

SERVICE DELIVERY AREA	*** CUM. ELIG. APPS.	JULY 29, 1983 TO PRESENT				MAY 4, 1984 TO PRESENT*				CURR. ENROLLED	CURR. % PRIV.	CURR. PUB.	CUM. EMPLOYED UNSUB.	
		CUM. NUMBER ENROLLED	%	CUM. PRIV.	CUM. PUB.	CUM. NUMBER ENROLLED	%	CUM. PRIV.	CUM. PUB.					
Region 1	3165	614	56.4	346	268	280	59.5	166	113	92	57.1	52	39	307
Region 3	12661	2749	51.3	1275	1213	1153	63.7	597	340	932	56.7	469	358	1260
Duluth	4941	782	63.1	398	233	384	73.5	205	74	81	85.2	69	12	315
Regs. 2,4,5	15226	3282	49.0	1426	1484	1416	67.6	800	380	726	55.0	313	256	1404
Regs. 6E,7E,7W	9183	2049	68.9	1412	637	817	86.3	705	112	619	79.8	494	125	802
Region 9	6607	1131	64.7	732	399	508	76.0	396	112	301	71.1	214	87	489
Region 10	8480	1996	62.3	1243	753	1019	70.4	717	302	490	70.8	347	143	556
Regs. 6M,8	2926	711	68.8	489	222	308	85.4	263	45	241	90.9	219	22	375
Minneapolis	18710	2240	52.1	1167	1073	1252	63.7	734	418	567	62.4	354	213	639
Hennepin	6153	2890	51.5	1579	1490	1514	67.2	1169	571	753	63.2	403	235	1216
Carver	380	246	56.9	115	87	118	68.9	51	23	54	74.1	40	14	102
Scott	440	244	52.4	120	109	93	64.8	68	37	38	71.1	27	11	132
St. Paul	7790	1424	50.8	724	700	568	82.0	474	104	242	69.8	169	73	358
Ramsey	1759	720	46.1	332	388	340	57.1	194	146	209	54.1	113	96	248
Anoka	3716	1416	55.7	704	559	754	65.2	392	209	226	66.4	138	70	562
Dakota	2571	1078	60.4	606	397	637	69.1	406	182	474	78.3	360	100	264
Washington	1050	513	62.4	320	193	219	77.4	188	55	91	86.8	79	12	186
TOTAL **	105758	24085	56.0	12988	10205	11380	70.0	7525	3223	6136	67.4	3860	1866	9215

* These numbers are included in the July 29, 1983 to Present columns.

** The program totals excludes Public Jobs for Indian Reservations in Region 3 (141 Cumulative, 82 May 4, 1984 to Present, 91 Current) and Regions 2,4,5 (517 Cumulative, 287 May 4, 1984 to Present, 34 Current). Reservation jobs are waived from the Private Sector goal.

*** 10211 applicants have been declared eligible for MEED since January 4, 1985 (last 12 weeks).

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ATTACHMENT 1

RE: MEED ENROLLMENT PERFORMANCE
WEEK ENDING MARCH 22, 1985

1. 105,758 applicants were eligible for the Article 7 MEED Jobs Program.
2. 24,085 people have been enrolled.
3. 56% of all jobs to date are private sector.
4. Of the 17,949 who left the program, 9215 (51.3%) have found unsubsidized jobs.
5. Since May 4, 1984, 70% of all new job placements have been in the private sector.

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Applicant/Participant Information (Cumulative)
through January 1985 (month/year)
for TOTAL MEED PROGRAM (grantee)

Applicant Information

a. TOTAL ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS	<u>92899</u> <i>19.8%</i>	c. GA Eligible	<u>47866</u> <i>51.5%</i>
b. Household w/out other income	<u>18438</u>	d. Other Eligible	<u>26595</u> <i>28.6%</i>
		e. Female	<u>32459</u> <i>34.9%</i>

Participant Information

a. TOTAL ENROLLED TO DATE	<u>22661</u>	h. 45 and over	<u>2342</u>
b. Household w/out other income	<u>6016</u> <i>26.5%</i>	i. Black	<u>1223</u>
c. GA eligible	<u>8905</u> <i>39.3%</i>	j. Hispanic	<u>288</u>
d. Other eligible	<u>7740</u> <i>34.2%</i>	k. American Indian	<u>1319</u>
e. Female	<u>9421</u> <i>41.6%</i>	l. Asian/Pacific Islanders	<u>467</u>
f. Through 21	<u>5517</u>	m. Veterans	<u>3167</u>
g. 22 through 44	<u>14802</u>	n. Required Day Care Assist.	<u>540</u>

Reason for Termination

a. TOTAL LEAVING PROGRAM	<u>16722</u>	d. Enter Other Trng. Prog.	<u>221</u>
b. Employed Unsubsidized <i>50.8%</i>	<u>8496</u>	e. Other Reason	<u>7683</u>
c. Full Time Education	<u>322</u>		

\$ 5.09 (AHW)

End of Month on Board Totals

a. NUMBER ON BOARD	<u>5939</u>	c. Number in Private Jobs	<u>3612</u>
b. Number in Public Jobs	<u>1959</u>	d. Number in Other Status	<u>368</u>

60-Day Follow-up Status for Employed Unsubsidized

a. NUMBER RECEIVING FOLLOW-UP	<u>7024</u>	c. Number of Other Unsubsidized Employment	<u>3315</u>
b. Number Private Sector/ State Subsidy	<u>3709</u>		
1. Employed (same employer) \$ <u>5.10</u>	<u>2777</u> <i>74.9%</i>	1. Employed \$ <u>5.28</u>	<u>2525</u> <i>76.2%</i>
2. In School <u>AHW</u>	<u>21</u>	2. In School <u>(AHW)</u>	<u>21</u>
3. Unemployed	<u>268</u>	3. Unemployed	<u>402</u>
4. Other	<u>271</u>	4. Other	<u>367</u>
5. Employed (other employer) \$ <u>5.04</u>	<u>372</u>		
	<u>AHW</u>		

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RE: APPLICANT/PARTICIPANT INFORMATION THROUGH JANUARY, 1985

1. 66% of all people in Article 7 MEED jobs are in a priority category.
2. 14% of all participants are veterans.
3. 74% of all people served in the program have left the program;
51% of those who left, found a job.
4. 42% enrolled in the program are females.
5. Of 3709 individuals who were in a private sector subsidy, and who received follow-up 60 days later after leaving MEED, 85% were still employed.

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ATTACHMENT 3

EXPENDITURES

THRU JANUARY 1985

<u>SERVICE DELIVERY AREA</u>	<u>EMPLOYMENT ADMINISTRATOR</u>	<u>EXPENDITURE</u>
Region 1	Dept. of Economic Security	\$ 1,788,387
Region 3 less Duluth	Arrowhead EOA	\$ 8,204,308
Duluth	City of Duluth	\$ 2,165,260
Regions 2,4,5	Rural Minnesota CEP, Inc.	\$ 8,941,961
Regions 6E,7E,7W	Dept. of Economic Security	\$ 5,544,571
Regions 6W,8	Dept. of Economic Security	\$ 2,381,850
Region 9	Dept. of Economic Security	\$ 3,620,098
Region 10	Dept. of Economic Security	\$ 5,979,127
Minneapolis	City of Minneapolis	\$ 6,001,193
Hennepin less Minneapolis	Hennepin County	\$ 7,634,869
Carver County	Carver County	\$ 483,358
Scott county	Scott County	\$ 559,121
St. Paul	City of St. Paul	\$ 3,714,434
Ramsey, less St. Paul	Ramsey County	\$ 2,072,767
Anoka County	Anoka County	\$ 3,172,536
Dakota County	Dakota County	\$ 2,470,454
Washington County	Washington County	\$ 1,526,232
TOTAL		\$66,260,526

Local Administration	\$ 2,646,726	Local Administration	\$ 2,646,726
Staff/Services	\$ 6,039,812	Staff/Services	\$ 6,039,812
Child Care	\$ 255,356	Child Care	\$ 255,356
Private for Profit	\$ 28,900,541	Employee Wages	\$53,033,428
Not For Profit	\$ 28,418,091	Employee Fringe	\$ 4,275,442
	\$ 66,260,526	Supplies & Materials	\$ 9,762
Central Administration	\$ 365,109	Central Administration	\$ 365,109
Transfer to Article 8	\$ 200,000	Transfer to Article 8	\$ 200,000
TOTAL	\$ 66,825,635	TOTAL	\$66,825,635

