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List of Subjects in 40 CFR Part 300

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Authority: 33 U.S.C. 1321(c)(2); 42 U.S.C. 9601-9657; E.O. 12777, 56 FR 54757, 3 CFR,

1991 Comp., p. 351; E.O. 12580, 52 FR 2923; 3 CFR, 1987 Comp., p. 193.

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Acting Regional Administrator, Region IX.
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

42 CFR Part 484

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Medicare Program; Home Health Prospective Payment System Rate Update for Calendar Year 2005; Correction Notice

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), HHS.

ACTION: Proposed rule; correction.

SUMMARY: This document corrects technical errors that appeared in the proposed rule published in the **Federal Register** on June 2, 2004 entitled "Medicare Program; Home Health Prospective Payment System Rate Update for Calendar Year 2005."

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Randy Thronset, (410) 786-0131.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

In FR Doc. 04-12314 of June 2, 2004 (69 FR 31248), we inadvertently published the 2004 pre-floor and pre-reclassified wage index tables instead of the intended 2005 pre-floor and pre-reclassified wage index tables.

The technical errors are identified and corrected in the Correction of Errors section below.

II. Correction of Errors

In FR Doc. 04-12314 of June 2, 2004 (69 FR 31248), replace the erroneous tables for Addenda A, B, and C on pages 31262-31275 with the following:

ADDENDUM A.—PROPOSED WAGE INDEX FOR RURAL AREAS—APPLICABLE PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX (CY 2005)

MSA name	Wage index
ALABAMA	0.7637
ALASKA	1.1637
ARIZONA	0.9140
ARKANSAS	0.7704
CALIFORNIA	1.0297
COLORADO	0.9368
CONNECTICUT	1.1586
DELAWARE	0.9504
FLORIDA	0.8789
GEORGIA	0.8247
GUAM	0.9611
HAWAII	1.0522
IDAHO	0.8826
ILLINOIS	0.8341
INDIANA	0.8736
IOWA	0.8550
KANSAS	0.8088
KENTUCKY	0.7844
LOUISIANA	0.7291
MAINE	0.9039
MARYLAND	0.9179
MASSACHUSETTS	1.0217
MICHIGAN	0.8741
MINNESOTA	0.9339
MISSISSIPPI	0.7583
MISSOURI	0.7829
MONTANA	0.8701
NEBRASKA	0.9035
NEVADA	0.9833
NEW HAMPSHIRE	0.9940
NEW JERSEY ¹
NEW MEXICO	0.8529
NEW YORK	0.8403
NORTH CAROLINA	0.8501
NORTH DAKOTA	0.7743
OHIO	0.8760
OKLAHOMA	0.7537
OREGON	1.0050
PENNSYLVANIA	0.8348
PUERTO RICO	0.4047
RHODE ISLAND ¹
SOUTH CAROLINA	0.8640
SOUTH DAKOTA	0.8393
TENNESSEE	0.7876
TEXAS	0.7910
UTAH	0.8843
VERMONT	0.9375
VIRGINIA	0.8480
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0.7457
WASHINGTON	1.0072
WEST VIRGINIA	0.8084
WISCONSIN	0.9498
WYOMING	0.9182

¹ All counties within State are classified as Urban

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
0040	Abilene, TX Taylor, TX	0.8009
0060	Aguadilla, PR Aguada, PR Aguadilla, PR Moca, PR	0.4294
0080	Akron, OH Portage, OH Summit, OH	0.9055
0120	Albany, GA Dougherty, GA Lee, GA	1.1266
0160	Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY Albany, NY Montgomery, NY Rensselaer, NY Saratoga, NY Schenectady, NY Schoharie, NY	0.8570
0200	Albuquerque, NM Bernalillo, NM Sandoval, NM Valencia, NM	1.0485
0220	Alexandria, LA Rapides, LA	0.8171
0240	Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA Carbon, PA Lehigh, PA Northampton, PA	0.9536
0280	Altoona, PA Blair, PA	0.8462
0320	Amarillo, TX, Potter, TX Randall, TX	0.9178
0380	Anchorage, AK Anchorage, AK	1.2109
0440	Ann Arbor, MI Lenawee, MI Livingston, MI Washtenaw, MI	1.0817
0450	Anniston, AL Calhoun, AL	0.7881
0460	Appleton-Oshkosh-Neenah, WI Calumet, WI Outagamie, WI Winnebago, WI	0.9115
0470	Arecibo, PR Arecibo, PR Camuy, PR Hatillo, PR	0.3757
0480	Asheville, NC Buncombe, NC Madison, NC	0.9502
0500	Athens, GA Clarke, GA Madison, GA Oconee, GA	1.0203
0520	Atlanta, GA Barrow, GA Bartow, GA Carroll, GA Cherokee, GA Clayton, GA Cobb, GA Coweta, GA DeKalb, GA Douglas, GA Fayette, GA Forsyth, GA Fulton, GA Gwinnett, GA	0.9971

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
	Henry, GA Newton, GA Paulding, GA Pickens, GA Rockdale, GA Spalding, GA Walton, GA	
0560	Atlantic-Cape May, NJ	1.0907
0580	Atlantic, NJ Cape May, NJ	
0600	Auburn-Opelka, AL	0.8215
0600	Lee, AL	
0600	Augusta-Aiken, GA-SC	0.9208
0640	Columbia, GA McDuffie, GA Richmond, GA Aiken, SC Edgefield, SC	
0640	Austin-San Marcos, TX	0.9596
0680	Bastrop, TX	
0680	Caldwell, TX	
0680	Hays, TX	
0680	Travis, TX	
0680	Williamson, TX	
0720	Bakersfield, CA	1.0036
0720	Kern, CA	
0720	Baltimore, MD	0.9908
0733	Anne Arundel, MD	
0733	Baltimore City, MD	
0733	Carroll, MD	
0733	Harford, MD	
0733	Howard, MD	
0733	Queen Annes, MD	
0743	Bangor, ME	0.9955
0743	Penobscot, ME	
0743	Barnstable-Yarmouth, MA	1.2335
0760	Barnstable, MA	
0760	Baton Rouge, LA	0.8354
0840	Ascension, LA	
0840	East Baton Rouge, LA	
0840	Livingston, LA	
0840	West Baton Rouge, LA	
0840	Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	0.8616
0860	Hardin, TX	
0860	Jefferson, TX	
0860	Orange, TX	
0870	Bellingham, WA	1.1643
0870	Whatcom, WA	
0870	Benton Harbor, MI	0.8847
0875	Berrien, MI	
0875	Bergen-Passaic, NJ	1.1967
0880	Bergen, NJ	
0880	Passaic, NJ	
0880	Billings, MT	0.8961
0920	Yellowstone, MT	
0920	Biloxi-Gulfport-Pascagoula, MS	0.8649
0960	Hancock, MS	
0960	Harrison, MS	
0960	Jackson, MS	
0960	Binghamton, NY	0.8447
1000	Broome, NY	
1000	Tioga, NY	
1000	Birmingham, AL	0.9199
1010	Blount, AL	
1010	Jefferson, AL	
1010	St. Clair, AL	
1010	Shelby, AL	
1010	Bismarck, ND	0.7505
1010	Burleigh, ND	
1010	Morton, ND	

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
1020	Bloomington, IN Monroe, IN	0.8588
1040	Bloomington-Normal, IL McLean, IL	0.9111
1080	Boise City, ID Ada, ID Canyon, ID	0.9352
1123	Boston-Worcester-Lawrence-Lowell-Brockton, MA-NH Bristol, MA Essex, MA Middlesex, MA Norfolk, MA Plymouth, MA Suffolk, MA Worcester, MA Hillsborough, NH Merrimack, NH Rockingham, NH Strafford, NH	1.1291
1125	Boulder-Longmont, CO Boulder, CO	1.0046
1145	Brazoria, TX Brazoria, TX	0.8525
1150	Bremerton, WA Kitsap, WA	1.0614
1240	Brownsville-Harlingen-San Benito, TX Cameron, TX	1.0125
1260	Bryan-College Station, TX Brazos, TX	0.9219
1280	Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY Erie, NY Niagara, NY	0.9339
1303	Burlington, VT Chittenden, VT Franklin, VT Grand Isle, VT	0.9322
1310	Caguas, PR Caguas, PR Cayey, PR Cidra, PR Gurabo, PR San Lorenzo, PR	0.4061
1320	Canton-Massillon, OH Carroll, OH Stark, OH	0.8895
1350	Casper, WY Natrona, WY	0.9244
1360	Cedar Rapids, IA Linn, IA	0.8975
1400	Champaign-Urbana, IL Champaign, IL	0.9527
1440	Charleston-North Charleston, SC Berkeley, SC Charleston, SC Dorchester, SC	0.9420
1480	Charleston, WV Kanawha, WV Putnam, WV	0.8876
1520	Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC-SC Cabarrus, NC Gaston, NC Lincoln, NC Mecklenburg, NC Rowan, NC Stanley, NC Union, NC York, SC	0.9712
1540	Charlottesville, VA Albemarle, VA Charlottesville City, VA	1.0295

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
1560	Fluvanna, VA Greene, VA Chattanooga, TN-GA Catoosa, GA Dade, GA Walker, GA Hamilton, TN Marion, TN	0.9207
1580	Cheyenne, WY	0.8980
1600	Laramie, WY Chicago, IL Cook, IL DeKalb, IL DuPage, IL Grundy, IL Kane, IL Kendall, IL Lake, IL McHenry, IL Will, IL	1.0852
1620	Chico-Paradise, CA	1.0543
1640	Butte, CA Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN Dearborn, IN Ohio, IN Boone, KY Campbell, KY Gallatin, KY Grant, KY Kenton, KY Pendleton, KY Brown, OH Clermont, OH Hamilton, OH Warren, OH	0.9595
1660	Clarksville-Hopkinsville, TN-KY Christian, KY Montgomery, TN	0.8022
1680	Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH Ashtabula, OH Cuyahoga, OH Geauga, OH Lake, OH Lorain, OH Medina, OH	0.9626
1720	Colorado Springs, CO El Paso, CO	0.9793
1740	Columbia, MO Boone, MO	0.8396
1760	Columbia, SC Lexington, SC Richland, SC	0.9450
1800	Columbus, GA-AL Russell, AL Chattahoochee, GA Harris, GA Muscogee, GA	0.8690
1840	Columbus, OH Delaware, OH Fairfield, OH Franklin, OH Licking, OH Madison, OH Pickaway, OH	0.9753
1880	Corpus Christi, TX Nueces, TX San Patricio, TX	0.8647
1890	Corvallis, OR Benton, OR	1.0545
1900	Cumberland, MD-WV	0.8662

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MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
1920	Allegany, MD Mineral, WV Dallas, TX Collin, TX Dallas, TX Denton, TX Ellis, TX Henderson, TX Hunt, TX Kaufman, TX Rockwall, TX	1.0049
1950	Danville, VA Danville City, VA Pittsylvania, VA	0.8643
1960	Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL Scott, IA Henry, IL Rock Island, IL	0.8774
2000	Dayton-Springfield, OH Clark, OH Greene, OH Miami, OH Montgomery, OH	0.9232
2020	Daytona Beach, FL Flagler, FL Volusia, FL	0.8900
2030	Dacatur, AL Lawrence, AL Morgan, AL	0.8894
2040	Dacatur, IL Macon, IL	0.8122
2080	Denver, CO Adams, CO Arapahoe, CO Denver, CO Douglas, CO Jefferson, CO	1.0905
2120	Des Moines, IA Dallas, IA Polk, IA Warren, IA	0.9267
2160	Detroit, MI Lapeer, MI Macomb, MI Monroe, MI Oakland, MI St. Clair, MI Wayne, MI	1.0227
2180	Dothan, AL Dale, AL Houston, AL	0.7597
2190	Dover, DE Kent, DE	0.9825
2200	Dubuque, IA Dubuque, IA	0.8748
2240	Duluth-Superior, MN-WI St. Louis, MN Douglas, WI	1.0356
2281	Dutchess County, NY Dutchess, NY	1.1658
2290	Eau Claire, WI Chippewa, WI Eau Claire, WI	0.9139
2320	El Paso, TX El Paso, TX	0.9065
2330	Elkhart-Goshen, IN Elkhart, IN	0.9279
2335	Elmira, NY Chemung, NY	0.8445
2340	Enid, OK Enid, OK	0.9001

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MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
2360	Garfield, OK Erie, PA	0.8699
2400	Erie, PA Eugene-Springfield, OR	1.0940
2440	Lane, OR Evansville-Henderson, IN-KY	0.8395
2520	Posey, IN Vanderburgh, IN Warrick, IN Henderson, KY Fargo-Moorhead, ND-MN	0.9115
2560	Clay, MN Cass, ND Fayetteville, NC	0.9363
2580	Cumberland, NC Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR	0.8637
2620	Benton, AR Washington, AR Flagstaff, AZ-UT	1.0611
2640	Coconino, AZ Kane, UT Flint, MI	1.1178
2650	Genesee, MI Florence, AL	0.7883
2655	Colbert, AL Lauderdale, AL Florence, SC	0.8961
2670	Florence, SC Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	1.0219
2680	Larimer, CO Ft. Lauderdale, FL	1.0165
2700	Broward, FL Fort Myers-Cape Coral, FL	0.9372
2710	Lee, FL Fort Pierce-Port St. Lucie, FL	1.0046
2720	Martin, FL St. Lucie, FL Fort Smith, AR-OK	0.8303
2750	Crawford, AR Sebastian, AR Sequoyah, OK Fort Walton Beach, FL	0.8786
2760	Okaloosa, FL Fort Wayne, IN	0.9737
2800	Adams, IN Allen, IN De Kalb, IN Huntington, IN Wells, IN Whitley, IN Forth Worth-Arlington, TX	0.9538
2840	Hood, TX Johnson, TX Parker, TX Tarrant, TX Fresno, CA	1.0408
2880	Fresno, CA Madera, CA Gadsden, AL	0.8049
2900	Etowah, AL Gainesville, FL	0.9459
2920	Alachua, FL Galveston-Texas City, TX	0.9403
2960	Galveston, TX Gary, IN	0.9343
2975	Lake, IN Porter, IN Glens Falls, NY Warren, NY Washington, NY	0.8467

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MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
2980	Goldsboro, NC	0.8779
	Wayne, NC	
2985	Grand Forks, ND-MN	0.9092
	Polk, MN	
	Grand Forks, ND	
2995	Grand Junction, CO	0.9900
	Mesa, CO	
3000	Grand Rapids-Muskegon-Holland, MI	0.9520
	Allegan, MI	
	Kent, MI	
	Muskegon, MI	
	Ottawa, MI	
3040	Great Falls, MT	0.8810
	Cascade, MT	
3060	Greeley, CO	0.9444
	Weld, CO	
3080	Green Bay, WI	0.9586
	Brown, WI	
3120	Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point, NC	0.9312
	Alamance, NC	
	Davidson, NC	
	Davie, NC	
	Forsyth, NC	
	Guilford, NC	
	Randolph, NC	
	Stokes, NC	
	Yadin, NC	
3150	Greenville, NC	0.9183
	Pitt, NC	
3160	Greenville, Spartanburg-Anderson, SC	0.9400
	Anderson, SC	
	Cherokee, SC	
	Greenville, SC	
	Pickens, SC	
	Spartanburg, SC	
3180	Hagerstown, MD	0.9940
	Washington, MD	
3200	Hamilton-Middletown, OH	0.9066
	Butler, OH	
3240	Harrisburg-Lebanon-Carlisle, PA	0.9286
	Cumberland, PA	
	Dauphin, PA	
	Lebanon, PA	
	Perry, PA	
3283	Hartford, CT	1.1068
	Hartford, CT	
	Litchfield, CT	
	Middlesex, CT	
	Tolland, CT	
3285	Hattiesburg, MS	0.7362
	Forrest, MS	
	Lamar, MS	
3290	Hickory-Morganton-Lenoir, NC	0.9502
	Alexander, NC	
	Burke, NC	
	Caldwell, NC	
	Catawaba, NC	
3320	Honolulu, HI	1.1014
	Honolulu, HI	
3350	Houma, LA	0.7721
	Lafourche, LA	
	Terrebonne, LA	
3360	Houston, TX	1.0117
	Chambers, TX	
	Fort Bend, TX	
	Harris, TX	
	Liberty, TX	
	Montgomery, TX	
	Waller, TX	

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MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
3400	Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	0.9565
	Boyd, KY	
	Carter, KY	
	Grenup, KY	
	Lawrence, OH	
	Cabell, WV	
	Wayne, WV	
3440	Huntsville, AL	0.8851
	Limestone, AL	
	Madison, AL	
3480	Indianapolis, IN	1.0039
	Boone, IN	
	Hamilton, IN	
	Hancock, IN	
	Hendricks, IN	
	Johnson, IN	
	Madison, IN	
	Marion, IN	
	Morgan, IN	
	Shelby, IN	
3500	Iowa City, IA	0.9655
	Johnson, IA	
3520	Jackson, MI	0.9146
	Jackson, MI	
3560	Jackson, MS	0.8406
	Hinds, MS	
	Madison, MS	
	Rankin MS	
3580	Jackson, TN	0.8900
	Madison, TN	
	Chester, TN	
3600	Jacksonville, FL	0.9548
	Clay, FL	
	Duval, FL	
	Nassau, FL	
	St. Johns, FL	
3605	Jacksonville, NC	0.8402
	Onslow, NC	
3610	Jamestown, NY	0.7589
	Chautauqua, NY	
3620	Janesville-Beloit, WI	0.9583
	Rock, WI	
3640	Jersey City, NJ	1.0923
	Hudson, NJ	
3660	Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA	0.8203
	Carter, TN	
	Hawkins, TN	
	Sullivan, TN	
	Unicoi, TN	
	Washington, TN	
	Bristol City, VA	
	Scott, VA	
	Washington, VA	
3680	Johnstown, PA	0.7981
	Cambria, PA	
	Somerset, PA	
3700	Jonesboro, AR	0.7934
	Craighead, AR	
3710	Joplin, MO	0.8721
	Jasper, MO	
	Newton, MO	
3720	Kalamazoo-Battlecreek, MI	1.0350
	Calhoun, MI	
	Kalamazoo, MI	
	Van Buren, MI	
3740	Kankakee, IL	1.0603
	Kankakee, IL	
3760	Kansas City, KS-MO	0.9642
	Johnson, KS	
	Leavenworth, KS	

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
	Miami, KS Wyandotte, KS Cass, MO Clay, MO Clinton, MO Jackson, MO Lafayette, MO Platte, MO Ray, MO	
3800	Kenosha, WI	0.9772
3810	Kenosha, WI Killeen-Temple, TX	0.9242
3840	Bell, TX Coryell, TX Knoxville, TN	0.8509
	Anderson, TN Blount, TN Knox, TN Loudon, TN Sevier, TN Union, TN	
3850	Kokomo, IN	0.8986
	Howard, IN Tipton, IN	
3870	La Crosse, WI-MN	0.9290
	Houston, MN La Crosse, WI	
3880	Lafayette, LA	0.8105
	Acadia, LA Lafayette, LA St. Landry, LA St. Martin, LA	
3920	Lafayette, IN	0.9068
	Clinton, IN Tippecanoe, IN	
3960	Lake Charles, LA	0.7959
	Calcasieu, LA	
3980	Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	0.8931
	Polk, FL	
4000	Lancaster, PA	0.9883
	Lancaster, PA	
4040	Lansing-East Lansing, MI	0.9659
	Clinton, MI Eaton, MI Ingham, MI	
4080	Laredo, TX	0.8747
	Webb, TX	
4100	Las Cruces, NM	0.8784
	Dona Ana, NM	
4120	Las Vegas, NV-AZ	1.1121
	Mohave, AZ Clark, NV Nye, NV	
4150	Lawrence, KS	0.8644
	Douglas, KS	
4200	Lawton, OK	0.8212
	Comanche, OK	
4243	Lewiston-Auburn, ME	0.9562
	Androscoggin, ME	
4280	Lexington, KY	0.8053
	Bourbon, KY Clark, KY Fayette, KY Jessamine, KY Madison, KY Scott, KY Woodford, KY	
4320	Lima, OH	0.9258
	Allen, OH Auglaize, OH	

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
4360	Lincoln, NE	1.0208
	Lancaster, NE	
4400	Little Rock-North Little Rock, AR	0.8827
	Faulkner, AR	
	Lonoke, AR	
	Pulaski, AR	
	Saline, AR	
4420	Longview-Marshall, TX	0.8739
	Gregg, TX	
	Harrison, TX	
	Upshur, TX	
4480	Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	1.1732
	Los Angeles, CA	
4520	Louisville, KY-IN	0.9163
	Clark, IN	
	Floyd, IN	
	Harrison, IN	
	Scott, IN	
	Bullitt, KY	
	Jefferson, KY	
	Oldham, KY	
4600	Lubbock, TX	0.8777
	Lubbock, TX	
4640	Lynchburg, VA	0.9018
	Amherst, VA	
	Bedford, VA	
	Bedford City, VA	
	Campbell, VA	
	Lynchburg City, VA	
4680	Macon, GA	0.9596
	Bibb, GA	
	Houston, GA	
	Jones, GA	
	Peach, GA	
	Twiggs, GA	
4720	Madison, WI	1.0395
	Dane, WI	
4800	Mansfield, OH	0.9105
	Crawford, OH	
	Richland, OH	
4840	Mayaguez, PR	0.4769
	Anasco, PR	
	Cabo Rojo, PR	
	Hormigueros, PR	
	Mayaguez, PR	
	Sabana Grande, PR	
	San German, PR	
4880	McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	0.8602
	Hidalgo, TX	
4890	Medford-Ashland, OR	1.0534
	Jackson, OR	
4900	Melbourne-Titusville-Palm Bay, FL	0.9633
	Brevard, FL	
4920	Memphis, TN-AR-MS	0.9234
	Crittenden, AR	
	DeSoto, MS	
	Fayette, TN	
	Shelby, TN	
	Tipton, TN	
4940	Merced, CA	1.0576
	Merced, CA	
5000	Miami, FL	1.0026
	Dade, FL	
5015	Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	1.1360
	Hunterdon, NJ	
	Middlesex, NJ	
	Somerset, NJ	
5080	Milwaukee-Waukesha, WI	1.0076
	Milwaukee, WI	
	Ozaukee, WI	

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
5120	Washington, WI Waukesha, WI Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	1.1067
5140	Anoka, MN Carver, MN Chisago, MN Dakota, MN Hennepin, MN Isanti, MN Ramsey, MN Scott, MN Sherburne, MN Washington, MN Wright, MN	0.9618
5160	Pierce, WI St. Croix, WI Missoula, MT	0.7933
5170	Missoula, MT Mobile, AL	1.1966
5190	Baldwin, AL Mobile, AL Modesto, CA	1.0889
5200	Stanislaus, CA Monmouth-Ocean, NJ	0.7913
5240	Monmouth, NJ Ocean, NJ Monroe, LA	0.8300
5280	Ouachita, LA Montgomery, AL	0.8580
5330	Autauga, AL Elmore, AL Montgomery, AL Muncie, IN	0.9022
5345	Delaware, IN Myrtle Beach, SC	1.0596
5360	Horry, SC Naples, FL	1.0108
5380	Collier, FL Nashville, TN	1.2921
5483	Cheatham, TN Davidson, TN Dickson, TN Robertson, TN Rutherford, TN Sumner, TN Williamson, TN Wilson, TN	1.2254
5523	Nassau-Suffolk, NY	1.1596
5560	Nassau, NY Suffolk, NY New Haven-Bridgeport-Stamford-Waterbury-Danbury, CT	0.9103
5600	Fairfield, CT New Haven, CT New London-Norwich, CT	1.3588
5600	New London, CT New Orleans, LA	1.3588
5600	Jefferson, LA Orleans, LA Plaquemines, LA St. Bernard, LA St. Charles, LA St. James, LA St. John The Baptist, LA St. Tammany, LA	1.3588
5600	New York, NY	1.3588
5600	Bronx, NY Kings, NY New York, NY Putnam, NY Queens, NY	1.3588

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
5640	Richmond, NY Rockland, NY Westchester, NY Newark, NJ	1.1625
	Essex, NJ Morris, NJ Sussex, NJ Union, NJ Warren, NJ	
5660	Newburgh, NY-PA	1.1171
	Orange, NY Pike, PA	
	Wage	
	MSA Urban area (constituent counties) index	
5720	Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Newport News, VA-NC	0.8895
	Currituck, NC Chesapeake City, VA Gloucester, VA Hampton City, VA Isle of Wight, VA James City, VA Mathews, VA Newport News City, VA Norfolk City, VA Poquoson City, VA Portsmouth City, VA Suffolk City, VA Virginia Beach City VA Williamsburg City, VA York, VA	
5775	Oakland, CA	1.5221
	Alameda, CA Contra Costa, CA	
5790	Ocala, FL	0.9153
	Marion, FL	
5800	Odessa-Midland, TX	0.9632
	Ector, TX Midland, TX	
5880	Oklahoma City, OK	0.8966
	Canadian, OK Cleveland, OK Logan, OK McClain, OK Oklahoma, OK Pottawatomie, OK	
5910	Olympia, WA	1.1007
	Thurston, WA	
5920	Omaha, NE-IA	0.9754
	Pottawattamie, IA Cass, NE Douglas, NE Sarpy, NE Washington, NE	
5945	Orange County, CA	1.1612
	Orange, CA	
5960	Orlando, FL	0.9742
	Lake, FL Orange, FL Osceola, FL Seminole, FL	
5990	Owensboro, KY	0.8434
	Daviss, KY	
6015	Panama City, FL	0.8124
	Bay, FL	
6020	Parkersburg-Marietta, WV-OH	0.8288
	Washington, OH Wood, WV	
6080	Pensacola, FL	0.8306
	Escambia, FL	

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MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
6120	Santa Rosa, FL Peoria-Pekin, IL Peoria, IL Tazewell, IL Woodford, IL	0.8886
6160	Philadelphia, PA-NJ Burlington, NJ Camden, NJ Gloucester, NJ Salem, NJ Bucks, PA Chester, PA Delaware, PA Mongtomery, PA Philadelphia, PA	1.0824
6200	Phoenix-Mesa, AZ Maricopa, AZ Pinal, AZ	0.9982
6240	Pine Bluff, AR Jefferson, AR	0.8673
6280	Pittsburgh, PA Allegheny, PA Beaver, PA Butler, PA Fayette, PA Washington, PA Westmoreland, PA	0.8756
6323	Pittsfield, MA Berkshire, MA	1.0439
6340	Pocatello, ID Bannock, ID	0.9602
6360	Ponce, PR Guayanilla, PR Juana Diaz, PR Penuelas, PR Ponce, PR Villalba, PR Yauco, PR	0.4954
6403	Portland, ME Cumberland, ME Sagadahoc, ME York, ME	1.0112
6440	Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA Clackamas, OR Columbia, OR Multnomah, OR Washington, OR Yamhill, OR Clark, WA	1.1403
6483	Providence-Warwick-Pawtucket, RI Bristol, RI Kent, RI Newport, RI Providence, RI Washington, RI	1.1062
6520	Provo-Orem, UT Utah, UT	0.9613
6560	Pueblo, CO Pueblo, CO	0.8752
6580	Punta Gorda, FL Charlotte, FL	0.9441
6600	Racine, WI Racine, WI	0.9045
6640	Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill, NC Chatham, NC Durham, NC Franklin, NC Johnston, NC Orange, NC Wake, NC	1.0258

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MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
6660	Rapid City, SD Pennington, SD	0.8912
6680	Reading, PA Berks, PA	0.9216
6690	Redding, CA Shasta, CA	1.1835
6720	Reno, NV Washoe, NV	1.0456
6740	Richland-Kennewick-Pasco, WA Benton, WA Franklin, WA	1.0520
6760	Richmond-Petersburg, VA Charles City County, VA Chesterfield, VA Colonia Heights City, VA Dinwiddie, VA Goochland, VA Hanover, VA Henrico, VA Hopewell City, VA New Kent, VA Petersburg City, VA Powhatan, VA Prince George, VA Richmond City, VA	0.9398
6780	Riverside-San Bernardino, CA Riverside, CA San Bernardino, CA	1.0975
6800	Roanoke, VA Botetourt, VA Roanoke, VA Roanoke City, VA Salem City, VA	0.8429
6820	Rochester, MN Olmsted, MN	1.1504
6840	Rochester, NY Genesee, NY Livingston, NY Monroe, NY Ontario, NY Orleans, NY Wayne, NY	0.9196
6880	Rockford, IL Boone, IL Ogle, IL Winnebago, IL	0.9626
6895	Rocky Mount, NC Edgecombe, NC Nash, NC	0.8998
6920	Sacramento, CA El Dorado, CA Placer, CA Sacramento, CA	1.1849
6960	Saginaw-Bay City-Midland, MI Bay, MI Midland, MI Saginaw, MI	0.9696
6980	St. Cloud, MN Benton, MN Stearns, MN	1.0215
7000	St. Joseph, MO Andrew, MO Buchanan, MO	1.0013
7040	St. Louis, MO-IL Clinton, IL Jersey, IL Madison, IL Monroe, IL St. Clair, IL Franklin, MO	0.9081

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MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
7080	Jefferson, MO Lincoln, MO St. Charles, MO St. Louis, MO St. Louis City, MO Warren, MO Salem, OR Marion, OR Polk, OR	1.0557
7120	Salinas, CA Monterey, CA	1.3823
7160	Salt Lake City-Ogden, UT Davis, UT Salt Lake, UT Weber, UT	0.9487
7200	San Angelo, TX Tom Green, TX	0.8168
7240	San Antonio, TX Bexar, TX Comal, TX Guadalupe, TX Wilson, TX	0.9023
7320	San Diego, CA San Diego, CA	1.1267
7360	San Francisco, CA Marin, CA San Francisco, CA San Mateo, CA	1.4712
7400	San Jose, CA Santa Clara, CA	1.4744
7440	San Juan-Bayamon, PR Aguas Buenas, PR Barceloneta, PR Bayamon, PR Canovanas, PR Carolina, PR Catano, PR Ceiba, PR Comerio, PR Corozal, PR Dorado, PR Fajardo, PR Florida, PR Guaynabo, PR Humacao, PR Juncos, PR Los Piedras, PR Loiza, PR Luguillo, PR Manati, PR Morovis, PR Naguabo, PR Naranjito, PR Rio Grande, PR San Juan, PR Toa Alta, PR Toa Baja, PR Trujillo Alto, PR Vega Alta, PR Vega Baja, PR Yabucoa, PR	0.4802
7460	San Luis Obispo-Atascadero-Paso Robles, CA	1.1118
7480	San Luis Obispo, CA Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc, CA Santa Barbara, CA	1.0771
7485	Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA Santa Cruz, CA	1.4780
7490	Santa Fe, NM Los Alamos, NM	1.0590

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MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
7500	Santa Fe, NM Santa Rosa, CA	1.2962
7510	Sonoma, CA Sarasota-Bradenton, FL	0.9630
7520	Manatee, FL Sarasota, FL Savannah, GA	0.9460
7560	Bryan, GA Chatham, GA Effingham, GA Scranton-Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton, PA	0.8523
7600	Columbia, PA Lackawanna, PA Luzerne, PA Wyoming, PA Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	1.1479
7610	Island, WA King, WA Snohomish, WA Sharon, PA	0.7881
7620	Mercer, PA Sheboygan, WI	0.8949
7640	Sheboygan, WI Sherman-Denison, TX	0.9617
7680	Grayson, TX Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	0.9112
7720	Bossier, LA Caddo, LA Webster, LA Sioux City, IA-NE	0.9094
7760	Woodbury, IA Dakota, NE Sioux Falls, SD	0.9441
7800	Lincoln, SD Minnehaha, SD South Bend, IN	0.9447
7840	St. Joseph, IN Spokane, WA	1.0661
7880	Spokane, WA Springfield, IL	0.8738
7920	Menard, IL Sangamon, IL Springfield, MO	0.8597
8003	Christian, MO Greene, MO Webster, MO Springfield, MA	1.0174
8050	Hampden, MA Hampshire, MA State College, PA	0.8462
8080	Centre, PA Steubenville-Weirton, OH-WV	0.8281
8120	Jefferson, OH Brooke, WV Hancock, WV Stockton-Lodi, CA	1.0564
8140	San Joaquin, CA Sumter, SC	0.8520
8160	Sumter, SC Syracuse, NY	0.9394
8200	Cayuga, NY Madison, NY Onondaga, NY Oswego, NY Tacoma, WA	1.1078
8240	Pierce, WA Tallahassee, FL	0.8656
8280	Gadsden, FL Leon, FL Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	0.9024

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
8320	Hernando, FL Hillsborough, FL Pasco, FL Pinellas, FL Terre Haute, IN Clay, IN Vermillion, IN Vigo, IN	0.8582
8360	Texarkana, AR-Texarkana, TX Miller, AR	0.8414
8400	Bowie, TX Toledo, OH Fulton, OH Lucas, OH Wood, OH	0.9525
8440	Topeka, KS Shawnee, KS	0.8904
8480	Trenton, NJ Mercer, NJ	1.0276
8520	Tucson, AZ Pima, AZ	0.8926
8560	Tulsa, OK Creek, OK Osage, OK Rogers, OK Tulsa, OK Wagoner, OK	0.8729
8600	Tuscaloosa, AL Tuscaloosa, AL	0.8440
8640	Tyler, TX Smith, TX	0.9502
8680	Utica-Rome, NY Herkimer, NY Oneida, NY	0.8295
8720	Vallejo-Fairfield-Napa, CA Napa, CA Solano, CA	1.3517
8735	Ventura, CA Ventura, CA	1.1105
8750	Victoria, TX Victoria, TX	0.8469
8760	Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton, NJ Cumberland, NJ	1.0573
8780	Visalia-Tulare-Porterville, CA Tulare, CA	0.9964
8800	Waco, TX McLennan, TX	0.8146
8840	Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV District of Columbia, DC Calvert, MD Charles, MD Frederick, MD Montgomery, MD Prince Georges, MD Alexandria City, VA Arlington, VA Clarke, VA Culpeper, VA Fairfax, VA Fairfax City, VA Falls Church City, VA Fauquier, VA Fredericksburg City, VA King George, VA Loudoun, VA Manassas City, VA Manassas Park City, VA Prince William, VA Spotsylvania, VA Stafford, VA	1.0971

ADDENDUM B.—PROPOSED CY 2005 WAGE INDEX FOR URBAN AREAS—PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX—Continued

MSA	Urban area (constituent counties)	Wage index
8920	Warren, VA Berkeley, WV Jefferson, WV Waterloo-Cedar Falls, IA	0.8633
8940	Black Hawk, IA Wausau, WI	0.9570
8960	Marathon, WI West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	1.0059
9000	Palm Beach, FL Wheeling, WV-OH	0.7449
9040	Belmont, OH Marshall, WV Ohio, WV Wichita, KS	0.9473
9080	Butler, KS Harvey, KS Sedgwick, KS Wichita Falls, TX	0.8395
9140	Archer, TX Wichita, TX Williamsport, PA	0.8486
9160	Lycoming, PA Wilmington-Newark, DE-MD	1.1121
9200	New Castle, DE Cecil, MD Wilmington, NC	0.9237
9260	New Hanover, NC Brunswick, NC Yakima, WA	1.0323
9270	Yakima, WA Yolo, CA	0.9378
9280	Yolo, CA York, PA	0.9150
9320	York, PA Youngstown-Warren, OH	0.9518
9340	Columbiana, OH Mahoning, OH Trumbull, OH Yuba City, CA	1.0364
9360	Sutter, CA Yuba, CA Yuma, AZ Yuma, AZ	0.8871

ADDENDUM C.—COMPARISON OF PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX FOR FY 2003 AND PROPOSED CY 2005

Rural area	FY 2003 wage index	Proposed CY 2005 wage index	Percent change, FY 2003-proposed CY 2005
ALABAMA	0.7660	0.7637	-0.30
ALASKA	1.2293	1.1637	-5.34
ARIZONA	0.8493	0.9140	7.62
ARKANSAS	0.7666	0.7704	0.50
CALIFORNIA	0.9840	1.0297	4.64
COLORADO	0.9015	0.9368	3.92
CONNECTICUT	1.2394	1.1586	-6.52
DELAWARE	0.9128	0.9504	4.12
FLORIDA	0.8814	0.8789	-0.28
GEORGIA	0.8230	0.8247	0.21
GUAM	0.9611	0.9611	0.00
HAWAII	1.0255	1.0522	2.60
IDAHO	0.8747	0.8826	0.90
ILLINOIS	0.8204	0.8341	1.67
INDIANA	0.8755	0.8736	-0.22
IOWA	0.8315	0.8550	2.83

ADDENDUM C.—COMPARISON OF PRE-FLOOR AND PRE-RECLASSIFIED HOSPITAL WAGE INDEX FOR FY 2003 AND PROPOSED CY 2005—Continued

Rural area	FY 2003 wage index	Proposed CY 2005 wage index	Percent change, FY 2003-proposed CY 2005
KANSAS	0.7923	0.8088	2.08
KENTUCKY	0.8079	0.7844	-2.91
LOUISIANA	0.7567	0.7291	-3.65
MAINE	0.8874	0.9039	1.86
MARYLAND	0.8946	0.9179	2.60
MASSACHUSETTS	1.1288	1.0217	-9.49
MICHIGAN	0.9000	0.8741	-2.88
MINNESOTA	0.9151	0.9339	2.05
MISSISSIPPI	0.7680	0.7583	-1.26
MISSOURI	0.8021	0.7829	-2.39
MONTANA	0.8481	0.8701	2.59
NEBRASKA	0.8204	0.9035	10.13
NEVADA	0.9577	0.9833	2.67
NEW HAMPSHIRE	0.9796	0.9940	1.47
New Jersey
NEW MEXICO	0.8872	0.8529	-3.87
NEW YORK	0.8542	0.8403	-1.63
NORTH CAROLINA	0.8666	0.8501	-1.90
NORTH DAKOTA	0.7788	0.7743	-0.58
OHIO	0.8613	0.8760	1.71
OKLAHOMA	0.7590	0.7537	-0.70
OREGON	1.0303	1.0050	-2.46
PENNSYLVANIA	0.8462	0.8348	-1.35
PUERTO RICO	0.4356	0.4047	-7.09
RHODE ISLAND
SOUTH CAROLINA	0.8607	0.8640	0.38
SOUTH DAKOTA	0.7815	0.8393	7.40
TENNESSEE	0.7877	0.7876	-0.01
TEXAS	0.7821	0.7910	1.14
UTAH	0.9312	0.8843	-5.04
VERMONT	0.9345	0.9375	0.32
VIRGINIA	0.8504	0.8480	-0.28
VIRGIN ISLANDS	0.7845	0.7457	-4.95
WASHINGTON	1.0179	1.0072	-1.05
WEST VIRGINIA	0.7975	0.8084	1.37
WISCONSIN	0.9162	0.9498	3.67
WYOMING	0.9007	0.9182	1.94
Urban MSA	FY 2003 wage index	Proposed CY 2005 wage index	Percent change, FY 2003-proposed CY 2005
0040	0.7792	0.8009	2.78
0060	0.4587	0.4294	-6.39
0080	0.9600	0.9055	-5.68
0120	1.0594	1.1266	6.34
0160	0.8384	0.8570	2.22
0200	0.9315	1.0485	12.56
0220	0.7859	0.8171	3.97
0240	0.9735	0.9536	-2.04
0280	0.9225	0.8462	-8.27
0320	0.9034	0.9178	1.59
0380	1.2358	1.2109	-2.01
0440	1.1103	1.0817	-2.58
0450	0.8044	0.7881	-2.03
0460	0.8997	0.9115	1.31
0470	0.4337	0.3757	-13.37
0480	0.9876	0.9502	-3.79
0500	1.0211	1.0203	-0.08
0520	0.9991	0.9971	-0.20
0560	1.1017	1.0907	-1.00
0580	0.8325	0.8215	-1.32
0600	1.0264	0.9208	-10.29
0640	0.9637	0.9596	-0.43
0680	0.9899	1.0036	1.38

Urban MSA	FY 2003 wage index	Proposed CY 2005 wage index	Percent change, FY 2003- proposed CY 2005
0720	0.9929	0.9908	-0.21
0733	0.9664	0.9955	3.01
0743	1.3202	1.2335	-6.57
0760	0.8294	0.8354	0.72
0840	0.8324	0.8616	3.51
0860	1.2282	1.1643	-5.20
0870	0.9042	0.8847	-2.16
0875	1.2150	1.1967	-1.51
0880	0.9022	0.8961	-0.68
0920	0.8757	0.8649	-1.23
0960	0.8341	0.8447	1.27
1000	0.9222	0.9199	-0.25
1010	0.7972	0.7505	-5.86
1020	0.8907	0.8588	-3.58
1040	0.9109	0.9111	0.02
1080	0.9310	0.9352	0.45
1123	1.1235	1.1291	0.50
1125	0.9689	1.0046	3.68
1145	0.8535	0.8525	-0.12
1150	1.0944	1.0614	-3.02
1240	0.8880	1.0125	14.02
1260	0.8821	0.9219	4.51
1280	0.9365	0.9339	-0.28
1303	1.0052	0.9322	-7.26
1310	0.4371	0.4061	-7.09
1320	0.8932	0.8895	-0.41
1350	0.9690	0.9244	-4.60
1360	0.9056	0.8975	-0.89
1400	1.0635	0.9527	-10.42
1440	0.9235	0.9420	2.00
1480	0.8898	0.8876	-0.25
1520	0.9850	0.9712	-1.40
1540	1.0438	1.0295	-1.37
1560	0.8976	0.9207	2.57
1580	0.8628	0.8980	4.08
1600	1.1044	1.0852	-1.74
1620	0.9745	1.0543	8.19
1640	0.9381	0.9595	2.28
1660	0.8406	0.8022	-4.57
1680	0.9670	0.9626	-0.46
1720	0.9916	0.9793	-1.24
1740	0.8496	0.8396	-1.18
1760	0.9307	0.9450	1.54
1800	0.8374	0.8690	3.77
1840	0.9751	0.9753	0.02
1880	0.8729	0.8647	-0.94
1890	1.1453	1.0545	-7.93
1900	0.7847	0.8662	10.39
1920	0.9998	1.0049	0.51
1950	0.8859	0.8643	-2.44
1960	0.8835	0.8774	-0.69
2000	0.9282	0.9232	-0.54
2020	0.9062	0.8900	-1.79
2030	0.8973	0.8894	-0.88
2040	0.8055	0.8122	0.83
2080	1.0601	1.0905	2.87
2120	0.8791	0.9267	5.41
2160	1.0448	1.0227	-2.12
2180	0.8137	0.7597	-6.64
2190	0.9356	0.9825	5.01
2200	0.8795	0.8748	-0.53
2240	1.0368	1.0356	-0.12
2281	1.0684	1.1658	9.12
2290	0.8952	0.9139	2.09
2320	0.9265	0.9065	-2.16
2330	0.9722	0.9279	-4.56
2335	0.8416	0.8445	0.34
2340	0.8376	0.9001	7.46
2360	0.8925	0.8699	-2.53
2400	1.0944	1.0940	-0.04

Urban MSA	FY 2003 wage index	Proposed CY 2005 wage index	Percent change, FY 2003- proposed CY 2005
2440	0.8177	0.8395	2.67
2520	0.9684	0.9115	-5.88
2560	0.8889	0.9363	5.33
2580	0.8100	0.8637	6.63
2620	1.0682	1.0611	-0.66
2640	1.1135	1.1178	0.39
2650	0.7792	0.7883	1.17
2655	0.8780	0.8961	2.06
2670	1.0066	1.0219	1.52
2680	1.0297	1.0165	-1.28
2700	0.9680	0.9372	-3.18
2710	0.9823	1.0046	2.27
2720	0.7895	0.8303	5.17
2750	0.9693	0.8786	-9.36
2760	0.9457	0.9737	2.96
2800	0.9446	0.9538	0.97
2840	1.0216	1.0408	1.88
2880	0.8505	0.8049	-5.36
2900	0.9871	0.9459	-4.17
2920	0.9465	0.9403	-0.66
2960	0.9584	0.9343	-2.51
2975	0.8281	0.8467	2.25
2980	0.8892	0.8779	-1.27
2985	0.8897	0.9092	2.19
2995	0.9456	0.9900	4.70
3000	0.9525	0.9520	-0.05
3040	0.8950	0.8810	-1.56
3060	0.9237	0.9444	2.24
3080	0.9502	0.9586	0.88
3120	0.9282	0.9312	0.32
3150	0.9100	0.9183	0.91
3160	0.9122	0.9400	3.05
3180	0.9268	0.9940	7.25
3200	0.9418	0.9066	-3.74
3240	0.9223	0.9286	0.68
3283	1.1549	1.1068	-4.16
3285	0.7659	0.7362	-3.88
3290	0.9028	0.9502	5.25
3320	1.1457	1.1014	-3.87
3350	0.8385	0.7721	-7.92
3360	0.9892	1.0117	2.27
3400	0.9636	0.9565	-0.74
3440	0.8903	0.8851	-0.58
3480	0.9717	1.0039	3.31
3500	0.9587	0.9655	0.71
3520	0.9532	0.9146	-4.05
3560	0.8607	0.8406	-2.34
3580	0.9275	0.8900	-4.04
3600	0.9381	0.9548	1.78
3605	0.8239	0.8402	1.98
3610	0.7976	0.7589	-4.85
3620	0.9849	0.9583	-2.70
3640	1.1190	1.0923	-2.39
3660	0.8268	0.8203	-0.79
3680	0.8329	0.7981	-4.18
3700	0.7749	0.7934	2.39
3710	0.8613	0.8721	1.25
3720	1.0595	1.0350	-2.31
3740	1.0790	1.0603	-1.73
3760	0.9736	0.9642	-0.97
3800	0.9686	0.9772	0.89
3810	1.0399	0.9242	-11.13
3840	0.8970	0.8509	-5.14
3850	0.8971	0.8986	0.17
3870	0.9400	0.9290	-1.17
3880	0.8475	0.8105	-4.37
3920	0.9278	0.9068	-2.26
3960	0.7965	0.7959	-0.08
3980	0.9357	0.8931	-4.55
4000	0.9078	0.9883	8.87

Urban MSA	FY 2003 wage index	Proposed CY 2005 wage index	Percent change, FY 2003- proposed CY 2005
4040	0.9726	0.9659	-0.69
4080	0.8472	0.8747	3.25
4100	0.8745	0.8784	0.45
4120	1.1521	1.1121	-3.47
4150	0.7923	0.8644	9.10
4200	0.8315	0.8212	-1.24
4243	0.9179	0.9562	4.17
4280	0.8581	0.8053	-6.15
4320	0.9483	0.9258	-2.37
4360	0.9892	1.0208	3.19
4400	0.9097	0.8827	-2.97
4420	0.8629	0.8739	1.27
4480	1.2001	1.1732	-2.24
4520	0.9276	0.9163	-1.22
4600	0.9646	0.8777	-9.01
4640	0.9219	0.9018	-2.18
4680	0.9204	0.9596	4.26
4720	1.0467	1.0395	-0.69
4800	0.8900	0.9105	2.30
4840	0.4914	0.4769	-2.95
4880	0.8428	0.8602	2.06
4890	1.0498	1.0534	0.34
4900	1.0253	0.9633	-6.05
4920	0.8920	0.9234	3.52
4940	0.9837	1.0576	7.51
5000	0.9802	1.0026	2.29
5015	1.1213	1.1360	1.31
5080	0.9893	1.0076	1.85
5120	1.0903	1.1067	1.50
5140	0.9157	0.9618	5.03
5160	0.8108	0.7933	-2.16
5170	1.0498	1.1966	13.98
5190	1.0674	1.0889	2.01
5200	0.8137	0.7913	-2.75
5240	0.7734	0.8300	7.32
5280	0.9284	0.8580	-7.58
5330	0.8976	0.9022	0.51
5345	0.9754	1.0596	8.63
5360	0.9578	1.0108	5.53
5380	1.3357	1.2921	-3.26
5483	1.2408	1.2254	-1.24
5523	1.1767	1.1596	-1.45
5560	0.9046	0.9103	0.63
5600	1.4414	1.3588	-5.73
5640	1.1381	1.1625	2.14
5660	1.1387	1.1171	-1.90
5720	0.8574	0.8895	3.74
5775	1.5072	1.5221	0.99
5790	0.9402	0.9153	-2.65
5800	0.9397	0.9632	2.50
5880	0.8900	0.8966	0.74
5910	1.0960	1.1007	0.43
5920	0.9978	0.9754	-2.24
5945	1.1474	1.1612	1.20
5960	0.9640	0.9742	1.06
5990	0.8344	0.8434	1.08
6015	0.8865	0.8124	-8.36
6020	0.8127	0.8288	1.98
6080	0.8645	0.8306	-3.92
6120	0.8739	0.8886	1.68
6160	1.0713	1.0824	1.04
6200	0.9820	0.9982	1.65
6240	0.7962	0.8673	8.93
6280	0.9365	0.8756	-6.50
6323	1.0235	1.0439	1.99
6340	0.9372	0.9602	2.45
6360	0.5169	0.4954	-4.16
6403	0.9794	1.0112	3.25
6440	1.0667	1.1403	6.90
6483	1.0854	1.1062	1.92

Urban MSA	FY 2003 wage index	Proposed CY 2005 wage index	Percent change, FY 2003- proposed CY 2005
6520	0.9984	0.9613	-3.72
6560	0.8820	0.8752	-0.77
6580	0.9218	0.9441	2.42
6600	0.9334	0.9045	-3.10
6640	0.9990	1.0258	2.68
6660	0.8846	0.8912	0.75
6680	0.9295	0.9216	-0.85
6690	1.1135	1.1835	6.29
6720	1.0648	1.0456	-1.80
6740	1.1491	1.0520	-8.45
6760	0.9477	0.9398	-0.83
6780	1.1365	1.0975	-3.43
6800	0.8614	0.8429	-2.15
6820	1.2139	1.1504	-5.23
6840	0.9194	0.9196	0.02
6880	0.9625	0.9626	0.01
6895	0.9228	0.8998	-2.49
6920	1.1500	1.1849	3.03
6960	0.9650	0.9696	0.48
6980	0.9700	1.0215	5.31
7000	0.8021	1.0013	24.83
7040	0.8855	0.9081	2.55
7080	1.0367	1.0557	1.83
7120	1.4623	1.3823	-5.47
7160	0.9945	0.9487	-4.61
7200	0.8374	0.8168	-2.46
7240	0.8753	0.9023	3.08
7320	1.1131	1.1267	1.22
7360	1.4142	1.4712	4.03
7400	1.4145	1.4744	4.23
7440	0.4741	0.4802	1.29
7460	1.1271	1.1118	-1.36
7480	1.0481	1.0771	2.77
7485	1.3646	1.4780	8.31
7490	1.0712	1.0590	-1.14
7500	1.3046	1.2962	-0.64
7510	0.9425	0.9630	2.18
7520	0.9376	0.9460	0.90
7560	0.8599	0.8523	-0.88
7600	1.1474	1.1479	0.04
7610	0.7869	0.7881	0.15
7620	0.8697	0.8949	2.90
7640	0.9255	0.9617	3.91
7680	0.8987	0.9112	1.39
7720	0.9046	0.9094	0.53
7760	0.9257	0.9441	1.99
7800	0.9802	0.9447	-3.62
7840	1.0852	1.0661	-1.76
7880	0.8659	0.8738	0.91
7920	0.8424	0.8597	2.05
8003	1.0927	1.0174	-6.89
8050	0.8941	0.8462	-5.36
8080	0.8804	0.8281	-5.94
8120	1.0506	1.0564	0.55
8140	0.8273	0.8520	2.99
8160	0.9714	0.9394	-3.29
8200	1.0940	1.1078	1.26
8240	0.8504	0.8656	1.79
8280	0.9065	0.9024	-0.45
8320	0.8599	0.8582	-0.20
8360	0.8088	0.8414	4.03
8400	0.9810	0.9525	-2.91
8440	0.9199	0.8904	-3.21
8480	1.0432	1.0276	-1.50
8520	0.8911	0.8926	0.17
8560	0.8332	0.8729	4.76
8600	0.8130	0.8440	3.81
8640	0.9521	0.9502	-0.20
8680	0.8465	0.8295	-2.01
8720	1.3354	1.3517	1.22

Urban MSA	FY 2003 wage index	Proposed CY 2005 wage index	Percent change, FY 2003-proposed CY 2005
8735	1.1096	1.1105	0.08
8750	0.8756	0.8469	-3.28
8760	1.0031	1.0573	5.40
8780	0.9429	0.9964	5.67
8800	0.8073	0.8146	0.90
8840	1.0851	1.0971	1.11
8920	0.8069	0.8633	6.99
8940	0.9782	0.9570	-2.17
8960	0.9939	1.0059	1.21
9000	0.7670	0.7449	-2.88
9040	0.9520	0.9473	-0.49
9080	0.8498	0.8395	-1.21
9140	0.8544	0.8486	-0.68
9160	1.1173	1.1121	-0.47
9200	0.9640	0.9237	-4.18
9260	1.0569	1.0323	-2.33
9270	0.9434	0.9378	-0.59
9280	0.9026	0.9150	1.37
9320	0.9358	0.9518	1.71
9340	1.0276	1.0364	0.86
9360	0.8589	0.8871	3.28

III. Waiver of Proposed Rulemaking

We ordinarily publish a notice of proposed rulemaking in the **Federal Register** to provide a period for public comment before the provisions of a Notice such as this takes effect. We can waive this procedure, however, if we find good cause that notice and comment procedure is impracticable, unnecessary, or contrary to the public interest and incorporate a statement of the finding and the reasons for it into the notice issued.

We find it unnecessary to undertake notice and comment rulemaking because this notice merely provides technical corrections to the regulations and makes no substantive changes to the regulation. Therefore, we find good cause to waive notice and comment procedures.

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Ann C. Agnew,

Executive Secretary to the Department.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[DA 04–2145, MB Docket No. 04–260, RM–10616]

Television Broadcast Service and Digital Television Broadcast Service; Tulsa, OK

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Global Education Development, Inc., Broadcasting for the Challenged, Inc., Faith That Pleases God Church, Family Educational Broadcasting, Inc., Creative Educational Media Corporation, Oral Roberts University, and Community Television Educators, Inc., jointly referred to as the “Applicants”, proposing the substitution of DTV channel *26 for TV channel *63 at Tulsa, Oklahoma. DTV Channel *26 can be allotted to Tulsa, Oklahoma, at reference coordinates 36–04–56 N. and 95–45–27 W. with a power of 200, a height above average terrain HAAT of 94 meters.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before September 9, 2004, and reply comments on or before September 24, 2004.

ADDRESSES: The Commission permits the electronic filing of all pleadings and comments in proceeding involving petitions for rule making (except in broadcast allotment proceedings). See

Electronic Filing of Documents in Rule Making Proceedings, GC Docket No. 97–113 (rel. April 6, 1998). Filings by paper can be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail. The Commission’s contractor, Natek, Inc., will receive hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission’s Secretary at 236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Suite 110, Washington, DC 20002. The filing hours at this location are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. All hand deliveries must be held together with rubber bands or fasteners. Any envelopes must be disposed of before entering the building. Commercial overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, MD 20743. U.S. Postal Service first-class mail, Express Mail, and Priority Mail should be addressed to 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. All filings must be addressed to the Commission’s Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant, as follows: Joseph E. Dunne III, Esquire, P.O. Box 9203, Durango, Colorado 81302–9203 (Counsel for the Applicants).

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