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CONGRESSMAN

**Nick Rahall**

WEST VIRGINIA-4th DISTRICT

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RAHALL SAYS W. VA'S APPLICATION FOR LABOR TRAINING \$\$\$ APPROVED

Washington, D.C. -- U.S. Rep. Nick Rahall (D-WV) says that the U.S. Department of Labor has approved West Virginia's application for additional Trade Readjustment Assistance (TRA) funds. The state will receive \$138,575 for training programs.

"I am very pleased to report that the Department of Labor has recognized the urgent need for funds in West Virginia and has approved this application," Rahall said. "It is now up to the state to disburse the funds to the appropriate workers so they may enroll in classes."

Rahall pointed out that once the federal government provides the funds, the state must write contracts for training. "I want to emphasize that once a training program receives funding it would not be taken away unless the state fails to follow through," Rahall observed.

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# House of Representatives

Washington, D.C. 20515

## MEMORANDUM

to: ~~Congressman~~  
From: Bob

*Jerry P.R. has  
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men on this*

"The Department of Labor has notified me that West Virginia's application for training benefits has been approved (~~late Friday evening~~) *MONDAY*.

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*Bob*  
*Mary Ann Donovan*  
*D.O.L.*