

# State Gets \$158,700 For TRA People

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U.S. Rep. Nick J. Rahall (D-W.Va.) today announced the approval of additional Trade Readjustment Assistance application for the State of West Virginia.

According to Rahall, the U.S. Department of Labor has allocated the state an additional \$158,700 which will aid workers laid off as a result of foreign competition.

"The TRA's will assist workers by providing extended unemployment compensation, training funds and job search and relocation allowances," Rahall said. "Unfair trade tactics have caused chaos in many areas. It is my belief that if a fair trade policy cannot be pursued, then it is the government's responsibility to assist those who lost their jobs as the result of such."