

**Division Of Employment & Rehabilitation Services
Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I-B
Informational Broadcast (IB)
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**Administrative Updates to Chapter 2, Section 100, Adult and
Dislocated Worker Program Registration, Eligibility, Enrollment, and
Tracking Eligibility Policy
Section 103 - Selective Service Requirements**

Effective 07/1/2026

This Informational Broadcast is to inform Arizona Department of Economic Security (DES) staff, Local Workforce Development Boards (LWDBs), and their staff, and other interested parties of two administrative updates to the WIOA Title I-B Adult and Dislocated Worker Program Registration, Eligibility, Enrollment, and Tracking Eligibility Policy. These updates align with the April 28, 2026, memorandum issued by the Selective Services System regarding the discontinuation of *Status Information Letters* for individuals who failed to register before reaching age 26.

Because Status Information Letters will no longer be available after June 30, 2026, LWDBs should rely on their local established policies and procedures and the documentation provided by the applicant, consistent with [Training and Employment Guidance Letter \(TEGL\) 11-11, Change 2](#), when determining whether a failure to register was knowing and willful.

Memorandum Description

The attached memorandum included in the email announcing this IB, was issued by the Selective Service System National Headquarters, and clarifies that the Status Information Letter program will be discontinued effective **June 30, 2026**.

The following **changes** to WIOA Title I-B Adult and Dislocated Worker Program Registration, Eligibility, Enrollment, and Tracking Eligibility Policy **are effective as of the date of this IB, unless otherwise noted**:

- **Subsection 103.01.A.3.e** is *removed*.
- **Subsection 103.01.A.3.f** is ***amended*** to read:
 - *The LWDBs must develop a policy for determining whether a male knowingly and willfully failed to register with Selective Service. When a male was required to register but failed to do so, he may only receive WIOA Title I-B Adult and/or DW program services if he can establish by a preponderance of evidence, which he presents to the service provider, that his failure to register was not knowing and willful (refer to [TEGL 11-11, Change 2](#), for additional guidance).*

These revisions clarify that each LWDB is responsible for establishing local procedures to evaluate Selective Service registration compliance and determining whether an individual's failure to register was knowing and willful.

LWDBs should review and, if necessary, update their local policies and procedures to ensure compliance with these revisions.

A revised version of the policy will be issued at a later date. LWDBs should follow the guidance provided in this Informational Broadcast.

Please note:

- Individuals may continue to verify registration through the website: <https://www.sss.gov/verify/>.
- Applicants who are not registered with the Selective Service System, may provide the following table to the service provider: <https://www.sss.gov/register/who-needs-to-register/>.
- The Selective Service System cannot determine an individual's eligibility for benefits or employment that require registration.
- Individuals may also submit any additional documentation or information supporting their circumstances (for example, documents showing they entered the United States after age 26).
- Some organizations may require applicants to certify that all information, declarations, and supporting documentation submitted with an application are true, accurate, and provided in good faith.
- We have also been informed that, pursuant to the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2026 (Public Law 119-60), the Selective Service System will begin automatically registering eligible males born on and after December 18, 2000. Automatic registration is expected to begin in December of 2026.

All requests for clarification regarding implementation should be sent to the Title [I Policy team](#) at TitleIPolicy@azdes.gov.

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