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WAIVER REQUESTS	ACTION					Comments
	Appr	Pend- ing (PY 98)	No Auth	Not Needed	Dis- appr	
Program						
1. Provide for youth on-the-job training (OJT) without wage requirement. (VT97-001)	X					
2. Eliminate requirement that 50% of participants served with Title IIC funds be out-of-school youth. (VT97-002)			X			
3. Waive the OJT requirements to permit JTPA participants to be referred to a prospective employer for an initial period of employment not to exceed two weeks. (VT97-003)	X					This kind of assignment will be based on a participant assessment and the purpose of assignment is for employer and participant evaluation of occupational suitability.
4. Exclude up to 50% of Social Security income and Old Age Survivors' Insurance payments from the definition of family income. (VT97-004)	X					
Administrative						
1. Waive JTPA cost limitations and reduce cost categories to two: Administrative and Program (except for Rapid Response activities under Title III). (VT97-005)	X					
2. Use obligations instead of expenditures for recapture and reallocation of Title III funds and permit the use of obligation plans to measure obligation requirements for reallocation (85% under Title IIA & IIC and 80% under Title III funds). (VT97-006)			X			Allocation issue which is excepted from the Secretary's waiver authority.
3. Provide that more than 33% of incentive grant funds be spent on capacity building. (VT97-007)	X					

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4. Exclude from JTPA follow-up requirements 1) Title III Basic Readjustment Participants, 2) 204(d) Older Individual participants, and 3) duplicate follow-up for terminees who transfer to another JTPA program for inter-SDA/SSA transfers only. (VT97-008)	X					Waiver granted only for Older Individuals and inter-SDA/SSA transfers. The follow-up requirement for for participants receiving Title III Basic Readjustment Services has not been waived.
<p>Consultative Process: Summaries of the waiver proposal were shared with the Consolidated Council for Employment & Training (SJTCC/PIC, the HRIC, the local WIBs, and the state legislature. Labor and education are represented on the HRIC, the local WIBs, and the CCET.</p> <p>Period of the granted waivers: PY 98 (4/01/98-6/30/99).</p> <p>Performance goals under the granted waivers: PY 98 (4/01/98-6/30/99) 5% increase over PY 97 actual.</p>						