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2012 Schedule of Unemployment Rate Press Releases

BATON ROUGE - The Louisiana Workforce Commission has released its 2012 unemployment rate press release schedule. Louisiana's state unemployment rate and nonfarm industry employment press release will coincide with the Bureau of Labor Statistics' monthly release of statewide data for the nation and will include seasonally adjusted data for the state. The Metropolitan Statistical Area unemployment rate press release will include not seasonally adjusted data for the state, all 64 parishes, and eight MSAs. For some months, the seasonally and not seasonally adjusted data will be combined into one release.

Listed release dates are target dates and are subject to change.

Jan. 24, 2012 – State and MSA Unemployment Rates for December 2011

March 13, 2012 – State and MSA Unemployment Rates for January 2012

March 30, 2012 – State and MSA Unemployment Rates for February 2012

April 20, 2012 – State and MSA Unemployment Rates for March 2012

May 18, 2012 – State SA Unemployment Rates for April 2012

May 25, 2012 – MSA Unemployment Rates for April 2012

June 15, 2012 – State SA Unemployment Rates for May 2012

June 22, 2012 – MSA Unemployment Rates for May 2012

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July 20, 2012 – State SA Unemployment Rates for June 2012

July 25, 2012 – MSA Unemployment Rates for June 2012

Aug. 17, 2012 – State SA Unemployment Rates for July 2012

Aug. 24, 2012 – MSA Unemployment Rates for July 2012

Sept. 21, 2012 – State SA Unemployment Rates for August 2012

Sept. 25, 2012 – MSA Unemployment Rates for August 2012

Oct. 19, 2012 – State SA Unemployment Rates for September 2012

Oct. 25, 2012 – MSA Unemployment Rates for September 2012

Nov. 20, 2012 – State and MSA Unemployment Rates for October 2012

Dec. 21, 2012 – State and MSA Unemployment Rates for November 2012

Jan. 18, 2013 – State SA Unemployment Rates for December 2012

Jan. 25, 2013 – MSA Unemployment Rates for December 2012

For more detailed statistics on Louisiana's labor market information, visit our website at www.laworks.net and select Labor Market Information.