



1099G Forms for 2017 Tax Year Now Available Using Labor Department's Online Service

WETHERSFIELD, January 11, 2018 – According to the Connecticut Department of Labor, *Statement of Unemployment Compensation Payments* (1099G forms) are now available online for tax year 2017. The form is required for claimants who received unemployment benefits that must be reported as income on their annual tax filing. Tax statements can be downloaded by visiting www.FileCTUI.com and clicking on the UC-1099G instruction box at the top of the page.

State Labor Commissioner Scott D. Jackson is reminding residents that the statements are no longer mailed out. "Beginning last year the agency's paperless method has allowed us to cut costs and increase efficiency," Jackson said. "In addition to printing and mailing costs, the agency was experiencing a large number of returned 1099G forms due to claimant address changes. The online system offers 24/7 access and five years of the tax forms – currently from 2013 to 2017."

Those visiting www.FileCTUI.com and clicking on the UC-1099G box will also find links to an instructional tutorial, Frequently Asked Questions, and a log-in page to access the form(s). Claimants that have already used the agency's online system to file a weekly unemployment insurance claim, make an account inquiry, or request the method of benefit payment (direct deposit or debit card) can use their past User ID and password. Anyone that has not used the online system or forgot their ID or password will need to click on the *Create an Account/Forgot User ID or Password* link.

While printable electronic versions of the 1099G tax forms are immediately available online, the Labor Department can mail a copy to claimants requesting one through the online *1099G Request* service. Once a request has been processed, it will take 7-10 days to arrive in the mail.

"Knowing that not every person has a home computer, we want to note that the 1099G online site is secure and individuals can safely obtain their tax forms by visiting their local [American Job Center](#) or public library and use those computers to download their statement," Jackson added.

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