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February 5, 2008

The Honorable Ethan K. Strimling, Senate Chair
The Honorable John L. Tuttle, Jr., House Chair
Members of the Joint Standing Committee on Labor
123rd Maine State Legislature
100 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0100

Dear Senator Strimling, Representative Tuttle, and Members of the Joint Standing Committee on Labor:

We are pleased to submit the Annual Nontraditional Occupations (NTO) Report as required by An Act to Establish the Nontraditional Occupation Act, 26 M.R.S.A., §2021, et seq. This report represents the period from January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007.

The annual report contains two parts: Participant Data, including NTO participation by gender, age, and activity; and Placement Data, including NTO placements and wage at placement by gender. A list of occupations in which participants were either enrolled or placed during the last year is also enclosed. Please note that the report captures all active participants who received NTO training during program participation, regardless of the specific enrollment activity during the report period. We believe this captures a more accurate picture of NTO strategies provided by our system.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please feel free to contact Peaches Bass, Labor Program Specialist at 623-7985.

Sincerely,

Laura A. Fortman
Commissioner

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Enclosures

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
 Bureau of Employment Services
 Annual Nontraditional Occupations Report
 January 01, 2007 Through December 31, 2007

	Statewide	Local Workforce Investment Board			
		Aroostook/ Washington	Tri-County	Central/Western Maine	Coastal Counties
<u>Participant Data:</u>					
Enrollments	3,416	615	794	868	1,139
Gender					
Men	1,619	295	397	373	554
Women	1,797	320	397	495	585
Total NTO Participants	83	15	16	23	29
Gender					
Men	47	7	10	13	17
Women	36	8	6	10	12
Age					
15 & Under	0	0	0	0	0
16 - 19	19	7	2	7	3
20 - 21	7	2	1	1	3
22 - 44	40	5	12	10	13
45 - 54	13	1	1	3	8
55 & Over	4	0	0	2	2
Activities					
Customized Occupational Training	0	0	0	0	0
General Occupational Training	40	7	7	18	8
On-the-Job Training	3	0	1	0	2
Work Experience	7	0	2	2	3
<u>Placement Data:</u>					
Placements*	1,583	196	486	374	527
Gender					
Men	830	99	260	171	300
Women	753	97	226	203	227
Total NTO Placements	64	4	16	18	26
Gender					
Men	35	2	8	10	15
Women	29	2	8	8	11
Average NTO Wage at Placement					
Total	\$11.62	\$9.56	\$11.06	\$10.29	\$13.21
Men	\$9.85	\$10.38	\$9.84	\$9.48	\$10.02
Women	\$13.77	\$8.75	\$12.27	\$11.30	\$17.57

Please note that to be considered nontraditional, training must occur in one of the above activities as well as on the list of nontraditional occupations.

* Includes unduplicated counts for all Workforce Investment Act programs.

NON-TRADITIONAL OCCUPATIONS
January 01, 2006 Through December 31, 2006

Occupational Title	SOC	NTO		Emp		NON-TRADITIONAL OCCUPATIONS	
		F	M	F	M	Female Total	Male Total
Industrial Production Manager	11-3051.00	X		229	1,083	17.45%	82.55%
Farmers & Rancher	11-9012.00	X		487	1,542	24.00%	76.00%
Construction Manager	11-9021.00	X		115	2,634	4.18%	95.82%
Cost Estimator	13-1051.00	X		40	330	10.81%	89.19%
Chemical Engineer	17-2041.00	X		15	100	13.04%	86.96%
Civil Engineer	17-2051.00	X		75	974	7.15%	92.85%
Engineer, All Other	17-2199.99	X		80	1,124	6.64%	93.36%
Paralegal & Legal Assistant	23-2011.00		X	1,073	89	92.34%	7.66%
Librarian	25-4021.00		X	1,003	164	85.95%	14.05%
Library Technician	25-4031.00		X	260	54	82.80%	17.20%
Teacher Assistant	25-9041.00		X	2,568	279	90.20%	9.80%
Registered Nurse	29-1111.00		X	11,409	748	93.85%	6.15%
Occupational Therapist	29-1122.00		X	453	40	91.89%	8.11%
Physical Therapist	29-1123.00		X	598	140	81.03%	18.97%
Speech-Language Pathologist	29-1127.00		X	530	54	90.75%	9.25%
Dental Hygienist	29-2021.00		X	786	4	99.49%	0.51%
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocation	29-2061.00		X	2,148	119	94.75%	5.25%
Medical Records and Health Information T	29-2071.00		X	419	30	93.32%	6.68%
Massage Therapist	31-9011.00		X	349	55	86.39%	13.61%
Dental Assistant	31-9091.00		X	808	25	97.00%	3.00%
Medical Assistant	31-9092.00		X	3,334	428	88.62%	11.38%
Medical Equipment Preparer	31-9093.00		X	3,334	428	88.62%	11.38%
Medical Transcriptionist	31-9094.00		X	3,334	428	88.62%	11.38%
Veterinary Assistant and Laboratory Anim	31-9096.00		X	3,334	428	88.62%	11.38%
Healthcare Support Worker, All Other	31-9099.99		X	3,334	428	88.62%	11.38%
First-Line Supervisor or Manager, Protec	33-1099.99	X		45	243	15.63%	84.38%
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Wo	35-3021.00		X	1,563	424	78.66%	21.34%
Waiter and Waitress	35-3031.00		X	7,413	1,120	86.87%	13.13%
Host and Hostess, Restaurant, Lounge, an	35-9031.00		X	635	50	92.70%	7.30%
Maid and Housekeeping Cleaner	37-2012.00		X	5,452	692	88.74%	11.26%
Nonfarm Animal Caretaker	39-2021.00		X	524	140	78.92%	21.08%
Hairdresser, Hairstylist, and Cosmetolog	39-5012.00		X	3,231	113	96.62%	3.38%
Child Care Worker	39-9011.00		X	7,534	512	93.64%	6.36%
Personal and Home Care Aide	39-9021.00		X	2,741	484	84.99%	15.01%
Parts Salesperson	41-2022.00	X		65	827	7.29%	92.71%
Switchboard Operator, Including Answerin	43-2011.00		X	459	65	87.60%	12.40%
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Cl	43-3031.00		X	8,323	895	90.29%	9.71%
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerk	43-3051.00		X	849	85	90.90%	9.10%
Teller	43-3071.00		X	2,241	110	95.32%	4.68%
File Clerk	43-4071.00		X	987	234	80.84%	19.16%
Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerk	43-4081.00		X	524	155	77.17%	22.83%
Library Assistant, Clerical	43-4121.00		X	734	130	84.95%	15.05%
Loan Interviewer and Clerk	43-4131.00		X	410	69	85.59%	14.41%
Human Resources Assistant, Except Payrol	43-4161.00		X	215	40	84.31%	15.69%
Receptionist and Information Clerk	43-4171.00		X	4,402	403	91.61%	8.39%
Information and Record Clerk, All Other	43-4199.99		X	310	85	78.48%	21.52%
Courier and Messenger	43-5021.00	X		183	1,082	14.47%	85.53%
Data Entry Keyer	43-9021.00		X	1,817	334	84.47%	15.53%
Word Processor and Typist	43-9022.00		X	1,006	60	94.37%	5.63%
Office Clerk, General	43-9061.00		X	5,489	943	85.34%	14.66%
Fisher and Related Fishing Worker	45-3011.00	X		225	4,348	4.92%	95.08%
Construction Laborer	47-2061.00	X		208	4,555	4.37%	95.63%
Electrician	47-2111.00	X		40	3,883	1.02%	98.98%

NON-TRADITIONAL OCCUPATIONS

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Painter, Construction and Maintenance	47-2141.00 X	263	2,387	9.92%	90.08%
Sheet Metal Worker	47-2211.00 X	45	987	4.36%	95.64%
Construction and Building Inspector	47-4011.00 X	35	184	15.98%	84.02%
Highway Maintenance Worker	47-4051.00 X	54	982	5.21%	94.79%
Septic Tank Servicer and Sewer Pipe Clea	47-4071.00 X	0	60	0.00%	100.00%
Explosives Worker, Ordnance Handling Exp	47-5031.00 X	0	25	0.00%	100.00%
First-Line Supervisor or Manager of Mech	49-1011.00 X	120	1,859	6.06%	93.94%
Automotive Body and Related Repairer	49-3021.00 X	10	1,088	0.91%	99.09%
Bus and Truck Mechanic and Diesel Engine	49-3031.00 X	10	1,825	0.54%	99.46%
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigera	49-9021.00 X	4	1,348	0.30%	99.70%
Industrial Machinery Mechanic	49-9041.00 X	115	2,538	4.33%	95.67%
Maintenance and Repair Worker, General	49-9042.00 X	88	1,943	4.33%	95.67%
Maintenance Worker, Machinery	49-9043.00 X	10	129	7.19%	92.81%
Millwright	49-9044.00 X	55	1,089	4.81%	95.19%
Electrical Power-Line Installer and Repa	49-9051.00 X	35	448	7.25%	92.75%
Telecommunications Line Installer and Re	49-9052.00 X	30	709	4.06%	95.94%
Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine Ser	49-9091.00 X	35	189	15.63%	84.38%
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Wo	49-9099.99 X	49	964	4.84%	95.16%
First-Line Supervisor or Manager of Prod	51-1011.00 X	1,185	4,892	19.50%	80.50%
Engine and Other Machine Assembler	51-2031.00 X	10	45	18.18%	81.82%
Extruding and Drawing Machine Setter, Op	51-4021.00 X	0	44	0.00%	100.00%
Lathe and Turning Machine Tool Setter, O	51-4034.00 X	15	179	7.73%	92.27%
Machinist	51-4041.00 X	64	2,654	2.35%	97.65%
Tool and Die Maker	51-4111.00 X	4	340	1.16%	98.84%
Textile Winding, Twisting, and Drawing O	51-6064.00 X	234	55	80.97%	19.03%
Cabinetmaker and Bench Carpenter	51-7011.00 X	55	505	9.82%	90.18%
Woodworker, All Other	51-7099.99 X	65	528	10.96%	89.04%
Water and Liquid Waste Treatment Plant a	51-8031.00 X	4	375	1.06%	98.94%
Paper Goods Machine Setter, Operator, an	51-9196.00 X	159	1,535	9.39%	90.61%
Motor Vehicle Operator, All Other	53-3099.99 X	15	135	10.00%	90.00%
Ship Engineer	53-5031.00 X	10	210	4.55%	95.45%
Industrial Truck and Tractor Operator	53-7051.00 X	80	1,611	4.73%	95.27%
Material Moving Worker, All Other	53-7199.99 X	45	497	8.30%	91.70%