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Alabama Career Centers Celebrate Community Partnerships

MONTGOMERY- Career Centers across the state are hosting open houses and recognition ceremonies to celebrate community partnerships in workforce development. Employers, community leaders, elected officials, Chamber of Commerce officers and members, local educators and training providers have all been invited to attend a reception in their area where they will be thanked for their contributions to and for their support of workforce development initiatives. Simultaneous receptions will be held on October 20, 2010 from 2:00 – 4:00 P.M. at all comprehensive offices of the Alabama Career Center System.

“The joint efforts of the Career Centers and their respective local partners in getting the people of Alabama back to work have taken a lot of hard work and have shown enormous dedication to our citizens,” said Matthew Hughes, Director of the Governor’s Office of Workforce Development. “This is our small way of saying thank-you for your efforts in assisting Alabamians in their pursuit of employment,” he said.

Each Career Center has invited local partners to receive recognition. In addition to the recognition ceremony, each Career Center will also host an open house for members of their respective communities interested in learning more about their services. See attached for a list of participating Career Centers.

WHAT: Alabama Career Center partnership recognition, celebration and open house

WHEN: 2:00-4:00 P.M. Wednesday, October 20, 2010

WHERE: See attached list of participating Career Centers

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