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Labor Department enhances online job search system

PIERRE, S.D. – The South Dakota Department of Labor (DOL) has devised an enhanced version of its popular online job search system, SDWORKS, which can be found at www.sdjobs.org

SDWORKS is the state's largest job search database. It has been used by nearly 318,000 job seekers since its inception in December 2001.

“Based on customer feedback, the new site offers a more professional look and more detailed search capabilities,” said State Labor Secretary Pam Roberts. “I am confident our new features will better serve people in their employment searches.”

Search capabilities have been expanded to include searching by job title, date of job opening, job order ID, employer, category, education requirement, and full- or part-time preference. Job seekers can also use a custom search option which automatically runs daily, identifies job matches and sends e-mail notifications of the openings.

“The more information job seekers include on their profiles, the better our DOL staff can find openings matching their desired fields and interests,” Secretary Roberts said. “This is a great tool provided at no cost to the individual. I recommend that people register today.”

The mission of DOL is to enhance the South Dakota workforce by providing businesses with employment-related solutions and helping people attain job placement and career transition services.