

JANUARY 8, 1943

MEMORANDUM

To: Chairman, Block Administrators

From: Joe Carroll

Subject: Unemployment Compensation

Reference is made to a memorandum to your information committee from Mr. Clarence Nishiga in connection with unemployment compensation and in which you requested that some statement be made by this division with reference thereto.

You are advised that we are at present engaged in the segregation of registrants to determine who may be eligible and that applicants may apply on or after January 15, 1943. This refers to Administrative Instruction No. 27, dated September 1, 1942, and applies to persons who on or after that date made application for employment and who did not secure such employment. These persons may make application to Employment and Housing Division for unemployment compensation, and this Division will certify the facts of unemployment and the family status and forward the application to the Project Director for his approval.

Upon approval of the Project Director, the regulation provides that the compensation will be paid to the head of the family. One of the reasons for setting the date January 15, 1943 is that we are getting a legal opinion as to who the payment shall be made for those who are eligible. The compensation for those who are eligible will be paid from the date beginning on which they made application for employment but not prior to September 1. Also the compensation will be paid for the month of September only as Administrative Instruction No. 27, Supplement No. 2 supercedes and is effective as of October 1, which provides for the new compensation.

Joe Carroll

CHIEF OF EMPLOYMENT AND

HOUSING