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49 states have an umbrella agency that serves as a labor function. Here are a few mission statements:

North Carolina Department of Labor

• Building a Safe, Healthy, Fair and Productive North Carolina;

Georgia Department of Labor

• The mission of the Georgia Department of Labor is to advance work force development and economic growth through customer-focused employment, unemployment, workplace safety and training services.

South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation

• The mission of the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation is to protect the safety, health, and well being of the citizens of South Carolina by the appropriate regulation and education of employers and employees, licensed professionals and occupational practitioners, and property owners and property users.

Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development

• Our mission at the Department of Labor and Workforce Development is to be a seamless organization with proactive employees who enhance economic success for both business and workers.

Kentucky Cabinet for Workforce Development

• The Cabinet for Workforce Development provides high-quality education, training and employment opportunities for individuals and the business community, resulting in a skilled workforce and economic vitality in the commonwealth.

Arkansas Department of Labor

• Today, the mission of the Arkansas Department of Labor is to foster, promote, and develop the health, safety and welfare of the wage earners of Arkansas by providing services and enforcing laws to improve working conditions and enhance their opportunities for safe and profitable employment.

Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations

• The Department of Labor and Industrial Relations strives to provide employees with safe and healthy workplaces and ensures economic security for all Missourians by promoting equal access to jobs, enforcing anti-discrimination laws, and awarding payment of compensation to those unemployed, injured at work and victims of crime.

Texas Workforce Commission

• Our mission is to promote and support a workforce system that offers individuals, employers and communities the opportunity to achieve and sustain economic prosperity.