

Table 7: Ten States With Highest Economic Development Spending Per Capita Lagged in Population, Employment, and Personal Income Growth, 1997-2001

State	Economic Development Spending Per Capita (1997-98)	Population		Jobs (thousands)		Personal Income (thousands)	
		1997	2001	1997	2001	1997	2001*
North Dakota	\$36.53	640,945	634,448	319.4	331.0	\$13,332,229	\$16,750,000
Montana	\$25.99	878,706	904,433	370.1	390.3	\$17,726,294	\$21,692,000
Delaware	\$25.00	735,024	796,165	394.8	418.5	\$20,144,955	\$25,789,000
Maryland	\$22.96	5,092,914	5,375,156	2,294.6	2,469.9	\$148,825,662	\$191,479,000
Pennsylvania	\$22.59	12,015,888	12,287,150	5,465.3	5,663.1	\$313,456,625	\$381,855,000
Vermont	\$22.29	588,665	613,090	282.7	297.4	\$13,751,998	\$17,565,000
Connecticut	\$21.60	3,268,514	3,425,074	1,627.7	1,672.1	\$116,420,559	\$146,760,000
Missouri	\$17.59	5,407,113	5,629,707	2,665.2	2,695.2	\$131,144,196	\$159,466,000
Illinois	\$16.23	12,011,509	12,482,301	5,832.6	5,958.0	\$340,594,248	\$412,980,000
Iowa	\$15.81	2,854,396	2,923,179	1,424.3	1,462.8	\$67,937,661	\$81,375,000
Total		43,493,674	45,070,703	20,676.7	21,358.3	\$1,183,334,427	\$1,455,711,000
Change			3.6%		3.3%		23.0%

Table 8: Ten States With Lowest Economic Development Spending Per Capita Led in Population, Employment, and Personal Income Growth, 1997-2001

State	Economic Development Spending Per Capita (1997-98)	Population		Jobs (thousands)		Personal Income (thousands)	
		1997	2001	1997	2001	1997	2001*
Georgia	\$2.69	7,486,094	8,383,915	3,683.3	3,890.2	\$183,757,140	\$241,245,000
California	\$2.25	32,217,708	34,501,130	13,322.0	14,656.2	\$861,557,437	\$1,155,104,000
Tennessee	\$1.99	5,378,433	5,740,021	2,609.8	2,706.9	\$125,456,794	\$156,294,000
South Dakota	\$1.91	730,855	756,600	358.1	376.3	\$16,287,627	\$20,442,000
Washington	\$1.82	5,604,105	5,987,973	2,561.5	2,655.6	\$150,202,630	\$193,567,000
Massachusetts	\$1.61	6,115,476	6,379,304	3,144.8	3,307.1	\$191,595,928	\$252,183,000
Nevada	\$1.50	1,675,581	2,106,074	909.5	1,049.6	\$47,258,062	\$63,569,000
Idaho	\$1.32	1,210,638	1,321,006	518.5	568.9	\$25,226,342	\$32,697,000
Florida	\$1.27	14,683,350	16,396,515	6,507.1	7,166.3	\$377,673,158	\$477,718,000
Alabama	\$0.95	4,320,281	4,464,356	1,881.0	1,903.7	\$91,283,654	\$110,137,000
Total		79,422,521	86,036,894	35,495.6	38,280.8	\$2,070,298,772	\$2,702,956,000
Change			8.3%		7.8%		30.6%

Source: Pennsylvania Legislative Budget and Finance Committee, "Department of Community and Economic Development: Economic Development Programs," and U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census and Bureau of Economic Analysis. * Estimated.