

# Corporate Accountability for Tax Expenditures Act 93-552

## Annual Project Progress Reports for 2008

Big Ten Network, LLC

Chicago

### I. Development Assistance Agreements Awarded in 2007

	Assistance Amount	Agreement Number
EDGE Tax Credit	0.00	ZC ZCA401

### II. Organization/Project Site Information

Chief Officer or authorized designee	Kelly McGuire
Title	Director of Finance
Address	600 West Chicago Avenue
	Chicago, Illinois 60610
	USA
Phone	312-665-0709
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Standard Industrial Classification Number (SIC#)	4841
North American Industry Classification System (NAICS)	515120

III. Did the recipient's use of the State Funding reduce employment at any other site in Illinois? No

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### IV. Job Creation and Retention Data

**Program Type** EDGE Tax Credit

**Agreement Number** ZC ZCA401

**Assistance Amount** 0.00

Report Header Definitions	
Wages	Average Annual Salary by Classifications
Full-Time	Permanent Full-Time
+/-	Gain or (Loss)

#### Number of Employees At the Time of Application

Job Classification	Avg Annual Salary	Positions	Full-Time	Part-Time	Temporary
Executive/Administrative	0.00	1	1	0	0
Programming/Production	0.00	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

#### Number of Employees As of the Date of the Report (12/31/2008)

Job Classification	Avg Annual Salary	Positions	Full-Time	+/-	Part-Time	+/-	Temporary	+/-
Executive/Administrative	138754.00	29	29	28	0	0	0	0
Programming/Production	67774.00	62	62	62	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>91</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

#### Number of Jobs Stated in the Agreement that would be Created at the Site as a Result of Assistance

Job Classification	Avg Annual Salary	Positions	Full-Time	Part-Time	Temporary
Executive/Administrative	69000.00	40	40	0	0
Programming/Production	69000.00	85	85	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>125</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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### Number of Jobs Stated in the Agreement that would be Retained at the Site as a Result of Assistance

Job Classification	Avg Annual Salary	Positions	Full-Time	Part-Time	Temporary
Executive/Administrative	69000.00	40	40	0	0
Programming/Production	69000.00	85	85	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>125</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

### Number of Full-Time Permanent Employees Anticipated To Be Hired at this Site on 12/31/2008

Job Classification	Anticipated Starting Dates	Number of Positions to be Hired in this Category	Average Annual Wage per New Employee	Total New Payroll to be Created
Programming/Production	6/30/2009	14	\$67,774.00	\$948,836.00
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>14</b>		<b>\$948,836.00</b>

### Job Creation Data Explanatory Notes

If the change (gain/loss) in the number of full-time permanent employees as of the date of the report plus the number of full-time permanent employees anticipated to be hired after date of the report does not equal the number of full-time permanent employees stated in the Agreement that would be created at the site as a result of the assistance, then please explain why not:

We plan on hiring an addition 14 people by the end of 12/31/09 bringing our total to 105. Due to economic conditions we were not able to hire the additional 20 people bringing our total to 125. We will be looking to do so at some point in the future.

I, Kelly McGuire, as the chief officer or authorized designee of the recipient, verify that the information in the progress report contains no knowing misrepresentation of material facts upon which eligibility for development assistance is based. I further certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the recipient is in compliance with the development assistance agreements(s) between, or on behalf of, the recipient and the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity and/or the Illinois Department of Transportation and/or the office of the Illinois State Treasurer.

Kelly McGuire  
Signature

6/3/09  
Date

Director of Finance  
Title

Big Ten Network, LLC  
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