

2. Benefits of an otherwise eligible individual may not be denied because he is taking approved training;
3. Period of disqualification, for all causes except fraud, labor disputes, and conviction of a work-connected crime, must be limited to 6 weeks postponement, with no cancellation or reduction of rights;
4. Benefits must be denied if claimant had no work since the beginning of his previous benefit year.
- i. Denial of tax credit after 1966 to maritime employers for contributions to States which do not meet the requirement of equal treatment of maritime workers.
- j. Appropriations for training State staff and potential staff, to increase effectiveness and efficiency of unemployment insurance administration.
- k. Specific authorization for a continuing and comprehensive research program in unemployment insurance, and publication of results of studies.
- l. Special Advisory Commission to review (commencing 3 years after enactment of bill) the operations of the program, with particular reference to changes made, and report to Secretary 2 years after its review commences.
- m. Change in date of certification of State laws for tax credit purposes from December 31 to October 31, effective with 1966.
- (b) None.
- (c) See answer for same question under MDTA, Title II, Excluding Section 241.

#### 7. *Coordination and cooperation*

a. *Within the Bureau of Employment Security.*—Within the BES the Unemployment Insurance Service operates in close coordination with the Employment Service. (See response of Employment Service.) Further, in almost all States, the same overall State agency which administers unemployment insurance also administers the Employment Service. Each State law requires that, as a condition of eligibility for unemployment insurance, all claimants must register for work at a public employment office and continue to report in accordance with the agency's regulations. Underlying this coordination of unemployment insurance and Employment Service activities is the expectation that jobs will be found for claimants whenever possible, and moreover, the offer of a job will often serve as a crucial test of the claimant's availability for work.

Procedures for coordination of unemployment insurance and Employment Service activities are spelled out in the Bureau's *Employment Security Manual* for the States' guidance.

b. *Within the Department of Labor.*—The activities of the unemployment insurance program are coordinated with other activities of the Department of Labor through the same means which are used for coordination of Employment Service activities. (See response for the Employment Service.)

c. *With Other Federal Agencies.*—The unemployment insurance program has long been coordinated with the Old Age and Survivors Insurance program. The history of close cooperation between these two programs dates from their common origin under the Social Secu-