## Benefits and Beneficiaries Under the Railroad Retirement and Unemployment Insurance Systems - June 2003

Benefit payments	June 2003	<u>June 2002</u>
Total	\$737,218,000	\$716,515,000
Retired employees	470,409,000	451,493,000
Spouses and divorced spouses	88,829,000	88,267,000
Widow(er)s - aged and disabled	156,419,000	155,941,000
Other survivors	21,561,000	20,814,000

Regular Retirement and Survivor Benefits

Monthly benefits	Being paid end of month		Awarded in month		Average under Social Security June 2003	
	Number	Average <sup>1</sup>	Number	Average <sup>1</sup>	Being Paid	Awarded
Total	629,800		2,500			
Regular employee annuities, total	293,600	\$1,580	1,000	\$2,163		
Age	211,200	1,543	<sup>2</sup> 400	<sup>2</sup> 2,561	\$899	<sup>3</sup> \$1,167
Disability, Full Retirement Age and Over	36,200	1,407				
Disability, Under Full Retirement Age	46,200	1,883	400	2,130	839	918
Spouses and divorced spouses	147,400	594	700	740	439	326
Widow(er)saged and disabled	160,200	973	600	1,358	852	730
Widowed mothers and fathers	1,000	1,249	<u>4</u> /	1,459	639	663
Widow(er)sremarried and divorced	14,900	645	100	761	<u>5</u> /	<u>5</u> /
Children	12,600	744	100	1,042	589	600
Other survivors	100	647				

Supplemental Employee Annuities

Benefit pay	yments	Being end of	•		arded nonth
June 2003	June 2002	Number	<u>Average</u>	Number	<u>Average</u>
\$5,437,000	\$5,604,000	129,600	\$42	500	\$41

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Railroad retirement benefits shown are net of reduction for social security benefit entitlement.

Note. -- Data are on a cash basis (unaudited) and are partly estimated. Detail may not add to totals due to rounding

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>For employees retiring directly from the railroad industry with full age annuity (their years of service averaged 35); some 200 other age annuities were awarded in the month.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>For men aged 65 or over insured on regular basis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Fewer than 50.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Remarried and divorced widow(er)s included with aged and disabled widow(er)s and widowed mothers and fathers.

## Benefits and Beneficiaries Under the Railroad Retirement and Unemployment Insurance Systems - (Continued) June 2003

## **Unemployment and Sickness Benefits**

		Average payment		
Number of beneficiaries during month		Per 2-week registration period	Per full week	
Unemployment	2,500	\$436.70	\$254.65	
Sickness	5,700	455.19	257.95	
		Benefit payments		
		June 2003	June 2002	
Total		\$4,356,000	\$5,869,000	
Unemployment		1,617,000	3,055,000	
Sickness		2,739,000	2,815,000	

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