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DEW Executive Director Cheryl Stanton's Statement
January 2016 Employment Statement

"Once again, we have a record number of people working with nearly 11,000 people finding work in January. In this robust economy, we also are seeing more and more people deciding to enter the job market, either for the first time or re-entering after time away. As they join the workforce, it is exciting to see that people are able to find work and are able to provide for themselves," said Cheryl Stanton, executive director of the S.C. Department of Employment and Workforce.

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About SCDEW
The South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce is putting South Carolinians to work. The agency invests in building a pipeline of quality workers, matches workers with jobs, and is a bridge for individuals who find themselves out of work for no fault of their own. This promotes financial stability and economic prosperity for employers, individuals and communities. SCDEW is dedicated to advancing South Carolina through services that meet the needs of the state's businesses, jobseekers and those looking to advance their careers.