

1 assistance under this section made by the State
2 agency of any of the States.

3 “(B) PROCEDURE.—All levels of appeal
4 filed under this paragraph in the 50 states, the
5 District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of
6 Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands—

7 “(i) shall be carried out by the appli-
8 cable State that made the determination or
9 redetermination; and

10 “(ii) shall be conducted in the same
11 manner and to the same extent as the ap-
12 plicable State would conduct appeals of de-
13 terminations or redeterminations regarding
14 rights to regular compensation under State
15 law.

16 “(C) PROCEDURE FOR CERTAIN TERRI-
17 TORIES.—With respect to any appeal filed in
18 Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of
19 the Northern Mariana Islands, the Federated
20 States of Micronesia, Republic of the Marshall
21 Islands, and the Republic of Palau—

22 “(i) lower level appeals shall be car-
23 ried out by the applicable entity within the
24 State;