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AN ACT .; relating to: the budget.

# Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

#### WISCONSIN WORKS

This is a preliminary draft. An analysis will be provided in a later version.

## The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

- **SECTION 1.** 20.445 (3) (dz) of the statutes is amended to read:
- 3 20.445 (3) (dz) Wisconsin works Works and other public assistance
- 4 administration and benefits. The amounts in the schedule, less the amounts
- withheld under s. 49.143 (3), for administration and benefit payments under
- Wisconsin works Works under ss. 49.141 to 49.161, the learnfare program under s.
- 7 49.26, the work experience and job search program under s. 49.36, and the food

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stamp employment and training program under s. 49.13;

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reimbursements, participant stipends, deducation and training costs

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der sel 49.141 April for payments to counties, tribal

governing bodies, and Wisconsin works Works agencies; for hospital paternity

incentive payments under s. 69.14 (1) (cm); for job training services under the

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workforce attachment and advancement program under s. 49.173; and for funeral

expenses under s. 49.30. Payments may be made from this appropriation to counties

for fraud investigation and error reduction under s. 49.197 (1m). Moneys

appropriated under this paragraph may be used to match federal funds received

under par. (md). Notwithstanding ss. 20.001 (3) (a) and 20.002 (1), the department

may transfer funds between fiscal years under this paragraph. Notwithstanding ss.

20.001 (3) and 20.002 (1), the department of health and family services shall credit

or deposit into this appropriation account funds for the purposes of this

appropriation that the department transfers from the appropriation account under

s. 20.435 (7) (bc). All funds allocated by the department but not encumbered by

December 31 of each year lapse to the general fund on the next January 1 unless

transferred to the next calendar year by the joint committee on finance.

\*\*\*\*Note: This Section involves a change in an appropriation that must be reflected in the revised schedule in s. 20.005, stats.

**Section 2.** 20.445 (3) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.445 (3) (e) Job access loans. Biennially, the amounts in the schedule for job access loans under s. 49.147 (6) 49.1471.

**SECTION 3.** 20.445 (3) (jL) of the statutes is amended to read:

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20.445 (3) (jL) Job access loan repayments. All moneys received from repayments of loans made under s. 49.147 (6) 49.1471 for the purpose of making loans under s. 49.147 (6) 49.1471.

**SECTION 4.** 49.015 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.015 (2) RECIPIENTS OF OTHER AID. Except as provided in sub. (3), an individual is not eligible for relief for a month in which the individual has received aid to families with dependent children under s. 49.19 or supplemental security income under 42 USC 1381 to 1383c or has participated in a Wisconsin works Works employment position under s. 49.147 (3) to (5), as defined in s. 49.141 (1) (r), or in which aid to families with dependent children, supplemental security income benefits, or a Wisconsin works Works employment position is immediately available to the individual.

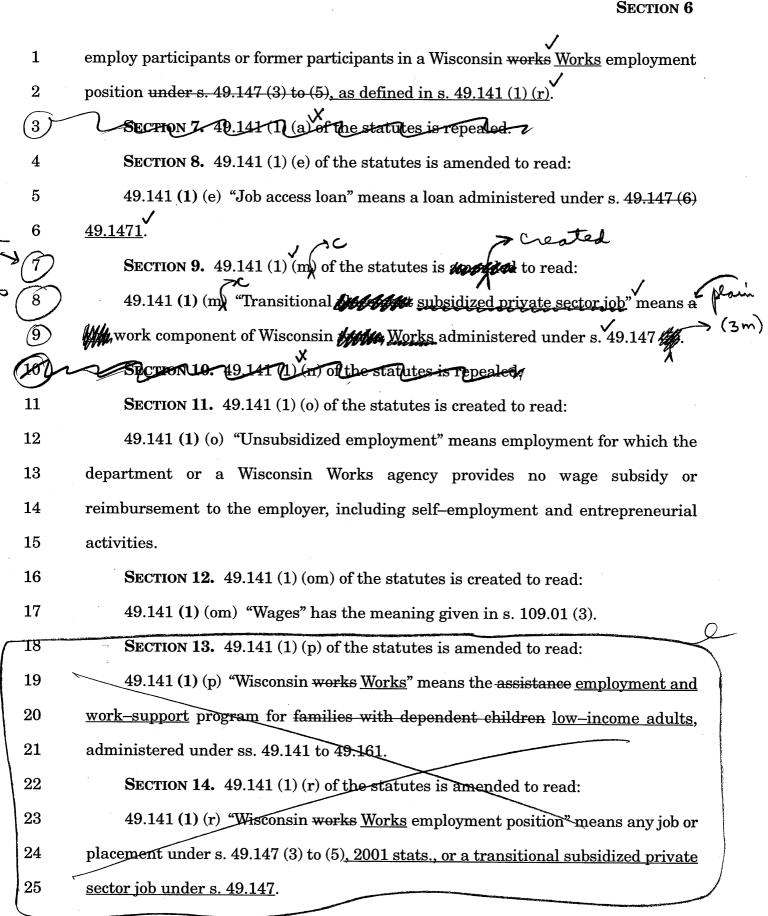
**SECTION 5.** 49.13 (2) (cm) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.13 (2) (cm) The amount of food stamp benefits paid to a recipient who is a participant in a Wisconsin works Works employment position under s. 49.147 (4) or (5) shall be calculated based on the pre-sanction benefit amount received s. 49.148 participant's gross wages and stipend, if any, under s. 49.147, as reduced under s.

49.147 (7), if relevant.

**SECTION 6.** 49.136 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.136 (2) (b) The department shall attempt to award grants under this section to head start agencies designated under 42 USC 9836, employers that provide or wish to provide child care services for their employees, family day care centers, group day care centers and day care programs for the children of student parents, organizations that provide child care for sick children, and child care providers that

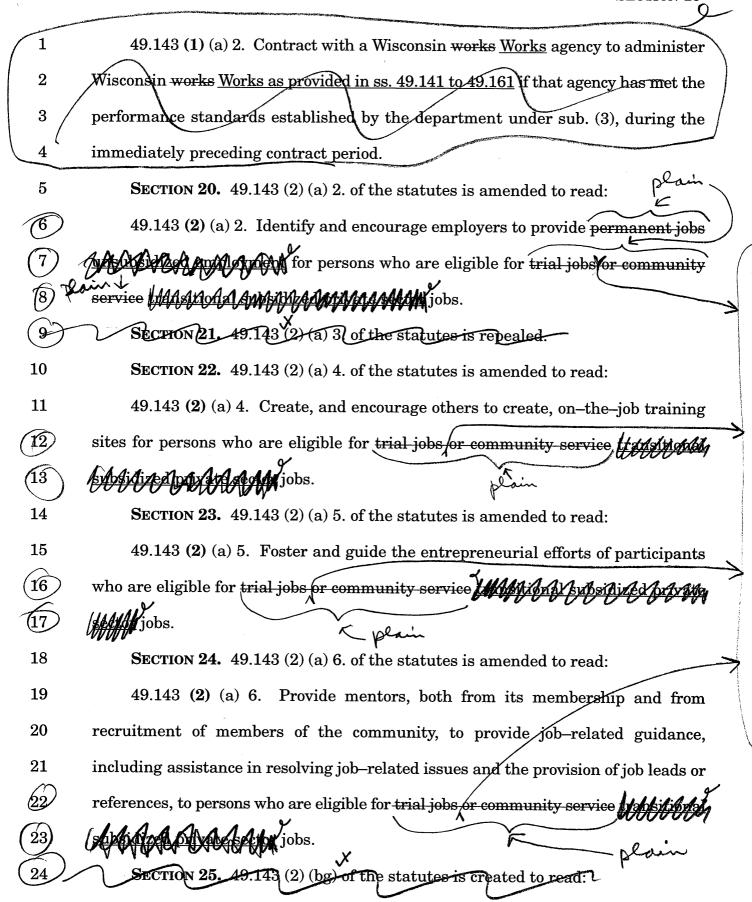


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1	SECTION 15. 49.141 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	49.141 (3) APPLICATIONS. Any individual may apply for any component of to
3	participate in Wisconsin works Works. Application for each component of
4	participation in Wisconsin works Works shall be made on a form prescribed by the
5	department. The individual shall submit a completed application form to a
6	Wisconsin works Works agency in the geographical area specified by the department
7	under s. 49.143 (6) in which the individual lives and in the manner prescribed by the
8	department.
9	SECTION 16. 49.141 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:
10	49.141 (4) NONENTITLEMENT. Notwithstanding fulfillment of the eligibility
11	requirements for any component of physiology Wisconsin works Works, an
12	individual is not entitled to services, employment, or benefits under Wisconsin works
13	Works.
14	SECTION 17. 49.141 (5) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
15	49.141 (5) (a) Have the effect of filling a vacancy created by an employer
16	terminating a regular employee or otherwise reducing its work force for the purpose
17	of hiring an individual under s. $49.147 \frac{\checkmark}{(3), (4) \text{ or } (5)}$ .
18	SECTION 18. 49.143 (1) (a) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:
19	49.143 (1) (a) 1. Award a contract, on the basis of a competitive process
20	approved by the secretary of administration, to any person to administer Wisconsin
21 ?	works Works as provided in ss. 49.141 to 49.161 in a geographical area determined
22	by the department under sub. (6). The competitive process shall include cost and
23	prior experience criteria.
24	SECTION 19. 49.143 (1) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 49.143 (2) (bg) In addition to providing job search assistance under s. 49.147 (5) (a) to participants in Wisconsin Works employment positions, provide job search 2 assistance, upon request, to participants on a waiting list under s. 49.147 (1) (b) 1. 3 and to custodial parents who are under the age of 18. SECTION 26, 49.143-(2) (ct) of the statutes is repealed 49.143 (2) (f) of the statutes is renumbered 49.143 (2) (g) and 6 SECTION 27. amended to read: 7 49/143 (2) (g) Perform any other tasks specified by the department in the 8 9 contract that the department determines are necessary for the administration of 10 Wisconsin works Works. SECTION 28. 49.143 (2) (fm) of the statutes is created to read: 11 1249.143 (2) (fm) Provide to every participant information about and assistance 13 in obtaining any work supports for which the participant is eligible, such as child 14 care, health insurance, and income tax credits and refunds. 15 SECTION 29. 49.143 (3g) (a) (intro.) and 4. of the statutes are consolidated, 16 renumbered 49.143 (3g) (am) and amended to read: 17 49.143 **(3g)** (am) The department shall base any performance bonus 18 calculation that it makes for Wisconsin works Works agencies only on all of the 19 following performance criteria: 4. Wages wages and benefits earned in unsubsidized 20 employment by former participants in Wisconsin works Works employment 21 positions. 22 **SECTION 30.** 49.143 (3g) (a) 1. of the statutes is repealed. 23 **SECTION 31.** 49.143 (3g) (a) 2. of the statutes is repealed. 24 **Section 32.** 49.143 (3g) (a) 3. of the statutes is repealed. 25 **SECTION 33.** 49.143 (3g) (a) 5. of the statutes is repealed.

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1 Section 34.	49.143 (3g) (a) 6. of the	statutes is repealed.
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**Section 35.** 49.145 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.145 (1) GENERAL ELIGIBILITY. In order to be eligible for a Wisconsin works Works employment positions and position or job access leans loan for any month, an individual shall meet the eligibility requirements under subs. (2) and (3). The department may promulgate rules establishing additional eligibility criteria and specifying how eligibility criteria are to be administered. The department may promulgate rules establishing payment and reporting periods as needed to administer this subsection.

- SECTION 36. 49.145 (2) (a) of the statutes is repealed.
  - > Section 37. 49.145 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
- 12 49.145 (2) (b) The individual has attained the age of is at least 18 years of age

  13 but not more than 65 years of age.
  - SECTION 38. 49.145 (2) (h) of the statutes is amended to read:
  - 49.145 (2) (h) The individual has made, for at least 2 weeks immediately after applying, makes a good faith effort, as determined by the Wisconsin works Works agency on a case—by—case basis, to obtain unsubsidized employment and.
  - (hc) The individual has not refused any bona fide offer of <u>unsubsidized</u> employment within the 180 days immediately preceding application.

SECTION 39. 49.145 (2) (i) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.145 (2) (i) The individual is not receiving supplemental security income under 42 USC 1381 to 1383c or state supplemental payments under s. 49.77 and, if the individual is a dependent child, the custodial parent of the individual does not receive a payment on behalf of the individual under s. 49.775. The department may require an individual who receives the state a stipend under s. 49.147 or benefits

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under s. 49.148 and who has applied for supplemental security income under 42 USC 1381 to 1383c to authorize the federal social security administration to reimburse the department for the waste for the waste for the individual under s. 49.147 or the benefits paid to the individual under s. 49.148 during the period that the individual was entitled to supplemental security income benefits to the extent that retroactive supplemental security income benefits are made available to the individual.

**SECTION 40.** 49.145 (2) (s) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.145 (2) (s) The individual assigns to the state any right of the individual or of any dependent child of the individual to support or maintenance from any other person, including any right to amounts accruing during the time that any Wisconsin works Works water stipend or benefit is paid to the individual. If a minor who is a beneficiary of any Wisconsin works Works Watth stipend or benefit is also the beneficiary of support under a judgment or order that includes support for one or more children not receiving a benefit who are not beneficiaries under Wisconsin works Works, any support payment made under the judgment or order is assigned to the state during the period that the minor is a beneficiary of the Wisconsin works Works stipend or benefit in the amount that is the proportionate share of the minor receiving the benefit who is the beneficiary under Wisconsin works Works, except as otherwise ordered by the court on the motion of a party. Amounts assigned to the state under this paragraph remain assigned to the state until the amount due to the federal government has been recovered. No amount of support that begins to accrue after the individual ceases to receive the stipend or benefits under Wisconsin works Works may be considered assigned to this state. Except as provided in s. 49.1455, any money received by the department in a month under an

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assignment to the state under this paragraph for an individual applying for or participating in Wisconsin works Works shall be paid to the individual applying for or participating in Wisconsin works Works. The department shall pay the federal share of support assigned under this paragraph as required under federal law or waiver.

**SECTION 41.** 49.145 (3) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

49.145 (3) (b) 1. All earned and unearned income of the individual, except any amount received under section 32 of the Internal Revenue Code, as defined in s. 71.01 (6), any amount received under s. 71.07 (9e), any payment made by an employer under section 3507 of the Internal Revenue Code, as defined in s. 71.01 (6), any student financial aid received under any federal or state program, any scholarship used for tuition and books, any wages or stipend received under s. 49.147 and any assistance received under s. 49.148. In determining the earned and unearned income of the individual, the Wisconsin works agency may not include income earned by a dependent child of the individual.

**SECTION 42.** 49.146 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.146 (title) Employer criteria selectio

**SECTION 43.** 49.146 of the statutes is renumbered 49.146 (1) and amended to

read:

49.146 (1) ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA. To be eligible to employ a participant under s.

49.147, an employer must be a corporation described under section 501 (c) (3) or (4)

of the Internal Revenue Code and exempt from taxation under section 501 (a) of the

Internal Revenue Code. The department shall establish by rule triteria

that an employer providing a Wisconsin works Works employment position must meet in order to employ a participant under s. 49.147 (3) to (5). An employer that does

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**Section 46.** 49.1465 of the statutes is created to read:

49.1465 Education and training. (1) EDUCATIONAL NEEDS ASSESSMENT. A Wisconsin Works agency shall conduct an educational needs assessment of each individual who applies for a Wisconsin Works employment position. If the individual and the Wisconsin Works agency determine that the individual needs, or would benefit from, education or training activities, the Wisconsin Works agency shall include education or training activities in any employability plan developed for the individual. The Wisconsin Works agency shall pay, or arrange for payment, for the education or training services identified in the employability plan to the extent that funds are available.

(2) PROGRAM AND EMPLOYER COORDINATION. A Wisconsin Works agency shall do all of the following:

SECTION 47. 49.147 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read.

49.147 Wisconsin Works; transitional subsidized private sector jobs.

Jos offers (a) Subject to pars. (b) and (c), an individual who applies for a

Wisconsin Works employment position and who meets the eligibility requirements

under s. 49.145 shall be offered a transitional subsidized private sector job at

reasonably accessible location with one or more employers selected under s. 49.146

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Job offers under shall be limited by the number of employers selected under s. 49.146 (2) and the number and types of employment positions available with

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each employer, as provided in the employer's contract with the department. If the number of participants exceeds, or the department determines that the number of participants will exceed, the number of transitional subsidized private sector jobs available, the department may do any of the following:

- 1. Create waiting lists of participants.
- 2. By rule modify program requirements for new participants so as to manage the anticipated caseload within existing resources.
- (c) If the department creates waiting lists under par. (b) 1., the department shall arrange for transitional subsidized private sector jobs to be offered to participants on waiting lists in the following order of priority:
- 1. Subject to par. (d) and s. 49.152 (3) (a), custodial parents, in order of priority
  based on income, giving the highest priority to custodial parents with the lowest
  incomes.
  - 2. Subject to par. (d) and s. 49.152 (3) (a), noncustodial parents, in order of priority based on income, giving the highest priority to noncustodial parents with the lowest incomes.
  - 3. Subject to par. (d) and s. 49.152 (3) (a), participants not specified under subds. 1. and 2., in order of priority based on income, giving the highest priority to participants with the lowest incomes.
  - (d) The department may, if the department determines that it is appropriate, arrange for a transitional subsidized private sector job to be offered to a participant in a different priority from the priority set forth in par (c) 1 to 3
- 23 P (b) JOBS DESCRIPTION. To the extent possible, each transitional subsidized private sector job shall be designed by the employer, in consultation with the Wisconsin Works agency and the department, to meet the needs and fit the abilities

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1 of the participant to whom the job is offered. Each transitional subsidized private 2 sector job shall involve the performance of useful work that benefits the community. 3 Employers offering transitional subsidized private sector jobs and the department 4 shall consult with labor unions representing public sector employees on the design of transitional subsidized private sector jobs to ensure compliance with s. 49.141 (5). 5 6 The department may design transitional subsidized private sector jobs that 7 do any of the following: Allow a participant to work in a sheltered workshop, as defined in s. 104.01 (6), or in other supported employment if the determines that the participant is highly unlikely to be able to obtain or retain employment at a 10 11 minimum wage. 6. 2 Allow a participant to care for a severely disabled child or other relative of 12 the participant, if the disparate fletermines that such an arrangement would be 13 14 cost-effective for taxpayers. (c) Unless a different number of hours is recommended on a case-by-case basis 15 by the Wisconsin Works agency in accordance with guidelines established by the 16 17 department, each transitional subsidized private sector job shall provide at least 25 18 hours, but not more than 30 hours, of work per week to allow a participant time to continue to search for unsubsidized employment, as required under (19 EMPLOYER-EMPLOYEE RELATIONSHIP MONAGE Except as otherwise 20 provided in this section or in a contract between the department and the employer, 21 22 a participant who accepts a transitional subsidized private sector job with an employer selected under s. 49.146 (2) is an employee of that employer for all purposes 23

and in all respects. The participant shall be supervised in the same manner as the

employer's other employees, shall be covered under the employer's worker's

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transitional subsidized private sector job is not making satisfactory or good faith

efforts to seek unsubsidized employment after having been given appropriate notice,

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as defined by the department, by the Wisconsin Works agency, the participant shall be terminated from his or her employment in the transitional subsidized private sector job. A participant who believes that he or she has been wrongfully terminated under this participant may appeal the termination to the department.

in a transitional subsidized private sector job for at least 2 weeks and the employer determines that the participant's work performance has been satisfactory, the participant and the Wisconsin Works agency, in consultation with the employer, may enter into an agreement under which all of the following occur:

- 10 & a. 4. The participant enrolls in an education or training program that the participant and Wisconsin Works agency agree has a high probability of enabling the participant to acquire skills leading to unsubsidized employment.
- 13) Q b. 2 The participant's work hours in the transitional subsidized private sector job are reduced to between 15 and 20 hours per week.
  - 15 ( ) C. If The Wisconsin Works agency pays the participant a stipend equal to 90% of the wages that the participant would have earned in the transitional subsidized private sector job if his or her hours had not been reduced.
  - 18 A stipend under process may not be paid for longer than 3 months, unless
    19 the Wisconsin Works agency recommends a longer period in accordance with
    20 guidelines established by the department. In no case, however, may the stipend be
    21 paid after the participant's employment in the transitional subsidized private sector
    22 job terminates.
  - 23 Section 48. 49.1471 of the statutes is created to read:
- 24 49.1471 Wisconsin Works; job access loans. (1) Additional eligibility
- 25 CRITERIA. An individual is eligible to receive a job access loan if, in addition to meeting

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1	the eligibility requirements under s. 49.145, the individual meets all of the following
2	conditions:
3	(a) The individual needs the loan to address an immediate and discrete
4	financial crisis. The crisis may not be the result of the individual's failure to accept
5	a bona fide offer of employment or the individual's termination of a job without good
6	cause.
7	(b) The individual needs the loan to obtain or continue employment.
8	Fulfillment of this requirement includes a loan that is needed to repair or purchase
9	a vehicle that is needed to obtain or continue employment.
10	(c) The individual is not in default with respect to the repayment of any
11	previous job access loan or repayment of any grant or wage overpayments under the
12	Wisconsin Works program.
13	(d) The individual is not a migrant worker.
14	(2) TERMS. The department shall promulgate rules establishing the terms of
15	any job access loan, including all of the following:
16	(a) The maximum and minimum loan amounts in any 12-month period.
17	(b) The method of loan disbursement.
18	(c) The terms and conditions of repayment. The rules promulgated under this
19	paragraph shall provide for repayment by performance of in-kind services. The
20	rules shall establish criteria that the Wisconsin Works agency shall use to approve
21	in-kind repayment of loans.
22	(3) DISTRIBUTION AND ADMINISTRATION. From the appropriations under s. 20.445
23	(3) (e), (jL), and (md), the department shall distribute funds for job access loans to
24/	a Wisconsin Works agency, which shall administer the loans in accordance with rules
<b>2</b> 5	promulgated by the department.

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1	(4) MINOR CUSTODIAL PARENTS. An individual who would be eligible for a job
2	access loan under sub. (1), except that the individual has not attained the age of 18,
3	is eligible under this subsection if the individual meets the following requirements:
4	(a) The individual is in an out-of-home placement or independent living
5	arrangement supervised by an adult, as defined by the department.
6	(b) The individual has graduated from high school or has met the standards
7	established by the state superintendent of public instruction for the granting of a
8	declaration of equivalency of high school graduation under s. 115.29 (4).
9	(c) The individual will be 18 years old within 2 months after applying for the
10	job access loan.
11	SECTION 49. 49.148 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:
12	49.148 (title) Wisconsin works; wages and Works; custodial parent
13	benefits
14	SECTION 50. 49.148 (1) of the statutes is repealed.
15	SECTION 51. 49.148 (1m) (title) of the statutes is repealed.
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17	amended to read: (a)  49.148 (b) (A) A person who meets the eligibility requirements
(18)	49.148 (19) A person who meets the eligibility requirements
19	under s. 49.145 (2) and (3) and who is a custodial parent of a child who is 12 weeks
20	old or less and who meets the eligibility requirements under s. $49.145(2)$ and $(3)$ may

receive a monthly grant of \$673 unless another adult member of the custodial

parent's Wisconsin works Works group is participating in, or is eligible to participate

in, a Wisconsin works Works employment position or is employed in unsubsidized

employment, as defined in s. 49.147 (1) (c). A Wisconsin works Works agency may

(b) The Wisconsin works Works agency may require an individual who tests positive for use of a controlled substance under par. (a) to participate in a drug abuse evaluation, assessment, and treatment program as part of the participation requirement under s. 49.147 (4) (as) or (5) (bs) a condition of employment.

(c) Paragraph (a) does not apply if the participant was convicted more than 5 years prior to the date on which the participant applied or reapplied for a Wisconsin works Works employment position.

20 SECTION 55. 49.149 (intro.) of the statutes is repealed.

**SECTION 56.** 49.149 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 49.1465 (2) (a).

**SECTION 57.** 49.149 (3) of the statutes is renumbered 49.1465 (2) (b).

**Section 58.** 49.149 (4) of the statutes is renumbered 49.1465 (2) (c).

**SECTION 59.** 49.15 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

25 49.15 (3) (a) Unsubsidized employment, as defined in s. 49.147 (1) (c).

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# SECTION 60. 49.151 of the statutes is repealed.

**SECTION 61.** 49.152 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.152 (1) Petition for review. Any individual whose application for any component of Wisconsin works Works is not acted upon by the Wisconsin works Works agency with reasonable promptness after the filing of the application, as defined by the department by rule, or is denied in whole or in part, whose benefit, wage, or stipend is modified or canceled, or who believes that the benefit, wage, or stipend was calculated incorrectly or that the Wisconsin Works employment position in which the individual was placed or the individual was offered is inappropriate, may petition the Wisconsin works Works agency for a review of such action. Review is unavailable if the action by the Wisconsin works Works agency occurred more than 45 days prior to submission of the petition for review.

**SECTION 62.** 49.152 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

agency or the department determines that an individual, whose application for a Wisconsin works Works employment position was denied based on eligibility, was in fact eligible, or that the individual was placed in Wisconsin works Works employment position the Wisconsin works Works agency shall place what the individual in the first available Wisconsin works Works employment position that is appropriate for that individual, as determined by the Wisconsin works Works agency or the department. An individual who is placed in a Wisconsin works employment position under this paragraph is eligible for the benefit for that position under s. 49.148 beginning on the date on which the individual begins participation under s. 49.147.

Section 63. 49.152 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

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49.152 (3) (b) If, following review under sub. (2), the Wisconsin works Works agency or the department determines that a participant's benefit, wage, or stipend was improperly modified or canceled, or was calculated incorrectly, the Wisconsin works Works agency shall restore the benefit, wage, or stipend to the level determined to be appropriate by the Wisconsin works Works agency or by the department retroactive to the date on which the benefit, wage, or stipend was first improperly modified or canceled or incorrectly calculated.

SECTION 64. 49.155 (1m) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

9 49.155 (1m) (a) 3. Work in a Wisconsin works Works employment position, including participation in job search, orientation and training activities under s.

49.147 (2) (a) and in education or training activities under s. 49.1465 or 49.147

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Section 65749-159 of the statutes is repealed.

**SECTION 66.** 49.161 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.161 (1) Trial Jobs Wage, STIPEND, OR GRANT OVERPAYMENTS. Notwithstanding s. 49.96, the department shall recover an overpayment of wages paid under s. 49.147 (3) (c) from the individual who received the wages, an overpayment of a stipend paid under s. 49.147 (6) from the individual who received the stipend, and an overpayment of benefits paid under s. 49.148 (1) (a) from an the individual who receives received the benefits paid under s. 49.148 (1) (a). The value of the benefit liable for recovery under this subsection may not exceed the amount that the department paid in wage subsidies with respect to that participant while the participant was ineligible to participate. The department shall promulgate rules establishing policies and procedures for administrating administering this subsection.

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SECTION 67. 49.161 (2) of the statutes is repealed. **SECTION 68.** 49.161 (3) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read: 49.161 (3) OVERPAYMENTS CAUSED BY INTENTIONAL PROGRAM VIOLATIONS. (intro.) If an overpayment under sub. (1) or (2) is the result of an intentional violation of ss. 49.141 to 49.161 or of rules promulgated by the department under those sections, the department shall recover the overpayment by deducting an amount from the stipend received under s. 49.147 (6) or the benefits received under s. 49.148 (1) (a), (b) or (c), or by directing the participant's employer to deduct an amount from the participant's wages paid under s. 49.147/(3) (c), until the overpayment is recovered. The amount to be deducted each month may not exceed the following: SECTION 69. 49.161 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read: 49.161 (3) (a) For intentional program violations resulting in an overpayment that is less than \$300, 10% of the amount of the monthly stipend, wages, or benefit payment. \*\*\*\*NOTE: Please review this section closely. You may want something differen The language under current law does not work real well for wages SECTION 70. 49.173 of the statutes is repealed **SECTION 71.** 49.175 (1) (n) of the statutes is amended to read: 49.175 (1) (n) *Job access loans*. For job access loans under s. 49.147 (6) 49.1471. \$600,000 in each fiscal year. Section 72. 49.175 (1) (u) of the statutes is repealed **SECTION 73.** 49.179 of the statutes is repealed.

**SECTION 74.** 49.195 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

Wisconsin works benefits Works payments.

49.195 (title) Recovery of aid to families with dependent children and

**SECTION 75.** 49.195 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 49.195 (1) If any parent individual at the time of receiving aid under s. 49.19, (3m)(3)(3m)(3) (3m)(4) (3m)(5) 3 4 or at any time thereafter, acquires property by gift, inheritance, sale of assets, court 5 judgment, or settlement of any damage claim, or by winning a lottery or prize, the county granting such aid, or the Wisconsin works Works agency 6 while may sue the parent individual on behalf of the department to recover the value of that portion of the aid or of the stipend, or benefit which that does not exceed the amount of the property so acquired. The value of the aid, waster stipend, or benefit liable for recovery under this section (10)11 may not include the value of work performed by a member of the family in a 12 community work experience program under s. 46.215 (1) (o), 1991 stats., s. 46.22 (1) 13 (b) 11., 1991 stats., or s. 49.50 (7j) (d), 1991 stats., or in a community work experience component under s. 49.193 (6), 1997 stats. During the life of the parent individual, 14 15 the 10-year statute of limitations may be pleaded in defense against any suit for 16 recovery under this section; and if such property is his or her homestead it shall be 17 exempt from execution on the judgment of recovery until his or her death or sale of the property, whichever occurs first. Notwithstanding the foregoing restrictions and 18 limitations, where if the aid, water stipend, or benefit recipient is deceased, a claim 19 20 may be filed against any property in his or her estate and the statute of limitations 21 specified in s. 859.02 shall be exclusively applicable. The court may refuse to render 22 judgment or allow the claim in any case where a parent, spouse, or child is dependent 23 on the property for support, and the court in rendering judgment shall take into 24 account the current family budget requirement as fixed by the U.S. department of labor for the community or as fixed by the authorities of the community in charge of 25

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public assistance. The records of aid, water stipend, or benefits paid kept by the county, by the department, or by the Wisconsin works Works agency are prima facie evidence of the value of the aid, water stipend, or benefits furnished paid. Liability under this section shall extend to any parent or stepparent whose family receives aid under s. 49.19, water a stipend under s. 49.147, or benefits under s. 49.148, 49.155, or 49.157 during the period that he or she is a member of the same household, but his or her liability is limited to such period. This section does not apply to medical and health assistance payments for which recovery is prohibited or restricted by federal law or regulation.

**Section 76.** 49.195 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

or the department shall determine whether an overpayment has been made under s. 49.19 49.147, 49.148, 49.155 er, 49.157, or 49.19 and, if so, the amount of the overpayment. The county, tribal governing body, or Wisconsin works Works agency or the department shall provide notice of the overpayment to the liable person. The department shall give that person an opportunity for a review following the procedure specified under s. 49.152, if the person received the overpayment under s. 49.141 to 49.161, and for a hearing under ch. 227. Notwithstanding s. 49.96, the department shall promptly recover all overpayments made under s. 49.19 49.147, 49.148, 49.155 er, 49.157, or 49.19 that have not already been received under s. 49.161 or 49.19 (17) and shall promulgate rules establishing policies and procedures to administer this subsection. The rules shall include notification procedures similar to those established for child support collections.

**SECTION 77.** 49.22 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

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49.22 (6) The department shall establish, pursuant to federal and state laws, rules, and regulations, a uniform system of fees for services provided under this section to individuals not receiving aid under s. 46.261, 49.19, or 49.47; \*\*Market Stipends under s. 49.147; \*\*benefits under s. 49.148, 49.155, or 49.79; foster care maintenance payments under 42 USC 670 to 679a; or kinship care payments under s. 48.57 (3m) or long-term kinship care payments under s. 48.57 (3n). The system of fees may take into account an individual's ability to pay. Any fee paid and collected under this subsection may be retained by the county providing the service except for the fee specified in 42 USC 653 (e) (2) for federal parent locator services.

**SECTION 78.** 49.26 (1) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.26 (1) (e) For an individual who is a recipient of aid under s. 49.19, or whose custodial parent is a participant under s. 49.147 (3) to (5), who is the parent with whom a dependent child lives and who is subject to the school attendance requirement under par. (ge), the department shall make a monthly payment to the individual or the child care provider for the month's child care costs in an amount based on need with the maximum amount per child equal to the lesser of the actual cost of the care or the rate established under s. 49.155 (6) if the individual demonstrates the need to purchase child care services in order to attend school and those services are available from a child care provider.

**SECTION 79.** 49.26 (1) (g) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.26 (1) (g) (intro.) An individual who is a dependent child in a Wisconsin works Works group that includes a participant under s. 49.147 (3), (4) or (5) or who is a recipient of aid under s. 49.19 is subject to the school attendance requirement under par. (ge) if all of the following apply:

**SECTION 80.** 49.26 (1) (h) 1s. b. of the statutes is amended to read:

49.26 (1) (h) 1s. b. An individual who is a dependent child in a Wisconsin works
Works group that includes a participant under s. 49.147 (3), (4) or (5) and who fails
to meet the school attendance requirement under par. (ge) is subject to a monthly
sanction.

**SECTION 81.** 49.26 (1) (hm) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.26 (1) (hm) The department may require consent to the release of school attendance records, under s. 118.125 (2) (e), as a condition of eligibility for benefits participation under s. 49.147 (3) to (5) or aid under s. 49.19.

**Section 82.** 49.30 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.30 (1) (intro.) Except as provided in sub. (1m), if any recipient of the state of the astipend under s. 49.147 or of benefits under s. 49.148, 49.46, or 49.77, or under 42 USC 1381 to 1385 in effect on May 8, 1980, dies and the estate of the deceased recipient is insufficient to pay the funeral, burial, and cemetery expenses of the deceased recipient, the county or applicable tribal governing body or organization responsible for burial of the recipient shall pay, to the person designated by the county department under s. 46.215, 46.22, or 46.23 or applicable tribal governing body or organization responsible for the burial of the recipient, all of the following:

Section 83. 49.32 (4) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 84. 49.32 (9) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.32 (9) (a) Each county department under s. 46.215, 46.22, or 46.23 administering aid to families with dependent children shall maintain a monthly report at its office showing the names of all persons receiving aid to families with dependent children together with the amount paid during the preceding month. Each Wisconsin works Works agency administering Wisconsin works Works under ss. 49.141 to 49.161 shall maintain a monthly report at its office showing the names

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of all persons receiving stipends under s. 49.147/or benefits under s. 49.148
together with the amount paid during the preceding month. Nothing in this
paragraph shall be construed to authorize or require the disclosure in the report of
any information (, including names, amounts of aid, or otherwise) other information,
pertaining to adoptions, or aid furnished for the care of children in foster homes or
treatment foster homes under s. 46.261 or 49.19 (10).

**SECTION 85.** 49.32 (10) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.32 (10) (b) If a law enforcement officer believes, on reasonable grounds, that a warrant has been issued and is outstanding for the arrest of a Wisconsin works Works participant, the law enforcement officer may request that a law enforcement officer be notified when the participant appears to obtain his or her stipend or benefits under the Wisconsin works Works program. At the request of a law enforcement officer under this paragraph, an employee of a Wisconsin works Works agency who disburses stipends or benefits may notify a law enforcement officer when the participant appears to obtain Wisconsin works his or her stipend or benefits.

SECTION 86. 49.32 (10m) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

Wisconsin works Works agency shall, upon request, and after providing the notice to the recipient required by this paragraph, release the current address of a recipient of relief under s. 49.01 (3), aid to families with dependent children, under s. 49.147, or benefits under s. 49.148 to a person, the person's attorney, or an employee or agent of that attorney, if the person is a party to a legal action or proceeding in which the recipient is a party or a witness, unless the person is a respondent in an action commenced by the recipient under s. 813.12, 813.122, 813.123, 813.125, or 813.127. If the person is a respondent in an action commenced

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by the recipient under s. 813.12, 813.122, 813.123, 813.125, or 813.127, the county department, relief agency, or Wisconsin works Works agency may not release the current address of the recipient. No county department, relief agency, or Wisconsin works Works agency may release an address under this paragraph until 21 days after the address has been requested. A person requesting an address under this paragraph shall be required to prove his or her identity and his or her participation as a party in a legal action or proceeding in which the recipient is a party or a witness by presenting a copy of the pleading or a copy of the subpoena for the witness. The person shall also be required to sign a statement setting forth his or her name, address, and the reasons for making the request and indicating that he or she understands the provisions of par. (b) with respect to the use of the information obtained. The statement shall be made on a form prescribed by the department and shall be sworn and notarized. Within 7 days after an address has been requested under this paragraph, the county department, relief agency, or Wisconsin works Works agency shall mail to each recipient whose address has been requested a notification of that fact on a form prescribed by the department. The form shall also include the date on which the address was requested, the name and address of the person who requested the disclosure of the address, the reason that the address was requested, and a statement that the address will be released to the person who requested the address no sooner than 21 days after the date on which the request for the address was made. County departments, relief agencies, and Wisconsin works Works agencies shall keep a record of each request for an address under this paragraph.

**SECTION 87.** 49.36 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

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49.36 (2) The department may contract with any county, tribal governing body, or Wisconsin works Works agency to administer a work experience and job training program for parents who are not custodial parents and who fail to pay child support or to meet their children's needs for support as a result of unemployment or underemployment. The program may provide the kinds of work experience and job training services available from the program under s. 49.193, 1997 stats., or s. 49.147

(3) or program (4) program was also include job search and job orientation activities. The department shall fund the program from the appropriation under s. 20.445 (3) (dz).

**SECTION 88.** 49.95 (4m) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.95 (4m) (a) Without legal authority, sends or brings a person to a county, tribal governing body, or municipality or advises a person to go to a county, tribal governing body, or municipality for the purpose of obtaining relief funded by a relief block grant, wages, a stipend, or benefits under the Wisconsin works Works program under ss. 49.141 to 49.161, aid to families with dependent children under s. 49.19, medical assistance under subch. IV, or food stamps under 7 USC 2011 to 2029.

**SECTION 89.** 49.95 (11) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.95 (11) "Public assistance" as used in this section includes relief funded by a relief block grant and <u>wages</u>, a <u>stipend</u>, or benefits under ss. 49.141 to 49.161.

SECTION 90. 49.96 of the statutes is amended to read:

49.96 Assistance grants exempt from levy. All grants of aid to families with dependent children, stipends paid under s. 49.147, payments made under ss. s. 48.57 (3m) or (3n), 49.148 (1) (b) 1. or (c) or (1m) or 49.149 to 49.159, 49.155, or 49.157, payments made for social services, cash benefits paid by counties under s. 59.53 (21), and benefits under s. 49.77 or federal Title XVI, are exempt from every

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tax, and from execution, garnishment, attachment, and every other process and shall be inalienable.

**SECTION 91.** 59.53 (5) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

development to implement and administer the child and spousal support and establishment of paternity and the medical support liability programs provided for by Title IV of the federal social security act. The board may designate by board resolution any office, officer, board, department, or agency, except the clerk of circuit court, as the county child support agency. The board or county child support agency shall implement and administer the programs in accordance with the contract with the department of workforce development. The attorneys responsible for support enforcement under sub. (6) (a), circuit court commissioners, and all other county officials shall cooperate with the county and the department of workforce development as necessary to provide the services required under the programs. The county shall charge the fee established by the department of workforce development under s. 49.22 for services provided under this paragraph to persons not receiving

SECTION 92. 71.07 (2dj) (am) 4h. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.07 (2dj) (am) 4h. Modify section 51 (a) of the internal revenue code so that the amount of the credit is 25% of the qualified first—year wages if the wages are paid to an applicant for a Wisconsin works Works employment position for service either in an unsubsidized position or in a trial job under s. 49.147 (3), 2001 stats., and so that the amount of the credit is 20% of the qualified first—year wages if the wages are not paid to such an applicant.

1	SECTION 93. 71.07 (2dx) (a) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:		
2	71.07 (2dx) (a) 5. "Member of a targeted group" means a person	ho resi	$\mathbf{des}$

in an empowerment zone, or an enterprise community, that the U.S. government designates, a person who is employed in an unsubsidized job but meets the eligibility requirements under s. 49.145 (2) and (3) for a Wisconsin works Works employment position, a person who is employed in a trial job, as defined in s. 49.141 (1) (n), a person who is eligible for child care assistance under s. 49.155, a person who is a vocational rehabilitation referral, an economically disadvantaged youth, an economically disadvantaged veteran, a supplemental security income recipient, a general assistance recipient, an economically disadvantaged ex—convict, a qualified summer youth employee, as defined in 26 USC 51 (d) (7), a dislocated worker, as defined in 29 USC 2801 (9), or a food stamp recipient; if the person has been certified in the manner under sub. (2dj) (am) 3. by a designated local agency, as defined in sub. (2dj) (am) 2.

SECTION 94. 71.07 (2dx) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.07 (2dx) (b) 2. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (b) by the number of full-time jobs created in a development zone and filled by a member of a targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

SECTION 95. 71.07 (2dx) (b) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.07 (2dx) (b) 3. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (c) by the number of full-time jobs created in a development zone and not filled by a member of a targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

**SECTION 96.** 71.07 (2dx) (b) 4. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.07 (2dx) (b) 4. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (bm) by the number of full-time jobs retained, as provided in the rules under s. 560.785, excluding jobs for which a credit has been claimed under sub. (2dj), in an enterprise development zone under s. 560.797 and for which significant capital investment was made and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

SECTION 97. 71.07 (2dx) (b) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.07 (2dx) (b) 5. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (c) by the number of full—time jobs retained, as provided in the rules under s. 560.785, excluding jobs for which a credit has been claimed under sub. (2dj), in a development zone and not filled by a member of a targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

SECTION 98. 71.28 (1dj) (am) 4h. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.28 (1dj) (am) 4h. Modify section 51 (a) of the internal revenue code so that the amount of the credit is 25% of the qualified first-year wages if the wages are paid to an applicant for a Wisconsin works Works employment position for service either in an unsubsidized position or in a trial job under s. 49.147 (3), 2001 stats., and so that the amount of the credit is 20% of the qualified first-year wages if the wages are not paid to such an applicant.

SECTION 99. 71.28 (1dx) (a) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.28 (1dx) (a) 5. "Member of a targeted group" means a person who resides in an empowerment zone, or an enterprise community, that the U.S. government designates, a person who is employed in an unsubsidized job but meets the eligibility requirements under s. 49.145 (2) and (3) for a Wisconsin works Works employment

position, a person who is employed in a trial job, as defined in s. 49.141 (1) (n), a
person who is eligible for child care assistance under s. 49.155, a person who is a
vocational rehabilitation referral, an economically disadvantaged youth, an
economically disadvantaged veteran, a supplemental security income recipient, a
general assistance recipient, an economically disadvantaged ex-convict, a qualified
summer youth employee, as defined in 26 USC 51 (d) (7), a dislocated worker, as
defined in 29 USC 2801 (9), or a food stamp recipient; if the person has been certified
in the manner under sub. (1dj) (am) 3. by a designated local agency, as defined in sub.
(1dj) (am) 2.

SECTION 100. 71.28 (ldx) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.28 (1dx) (b) 2. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (b) by the number of full-time jobs created in a development zone and filled by a member of a targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

SECTION 101. 71.28 (1dx) (b) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.28 (1dx) (b) 3. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (c) by the number of full-time jobs created in a development zone and not filled by a member of a targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

SECTION 102. 71.28 (1dx) (b) 4. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.28 (1dx) (b) 4. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (bm) by the number of full-time jobs retained, as provided in the rules under s. 560.785, excluding jobs for which a credit has been claimed under sub. (1dj), in an enterprise development zone under s. 560.797 and for

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which significant capital investment was made and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

**SECTION 103.** 71.28 (1dx) (b) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.28 (1dx) (b) 5. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (c) by the number of full—time jobs retained, as provided in the rules under s. 560.785, excluding jobs for which a credit has been claimed under sub. (1dj), in a development zone and not filled by a member of a targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

SECTION 104. 71.47 (1dj) (am) 4h. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.47 (1dj) (am) 4h. Modify section 51 (a) of the internal revenue code so that the amount of the credit is 25% of the qualified first—year wages if the wages are paid to an applicant for a Wisconsin works Works employment position for service either in an unsubsidized position or in a trial job under s. 49.147 (3), 2001 stats., and so that the amount of the credit is 20% of the qualified first—year wages if the wages are not paid to such an applicant.

**SECTION 105.** 71.47 (1dx) (a) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.47 (1dx) (a) 5. "Member of a targeted group" means a person who resides in an empowerment zone, or an enterprise community, that the U.S. government designates, a person who is employed in an unsubsidized job but meets the eligibility requirements under s. 49.145 (2) and (3) for a Wisconsin works Works employment position, a person who is employed in a trial job, as defined in s. 49.141 (1) (n), a person who is eligible for child care assistance under s. 49.155, a person who is a vocational rehabilitation referral, an economically disadvantaged youth, an economically disadvantaged veteran, a supplemental security income recipient, a

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SECTION 106. 71.47 (1dx) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.47 (1dx) (b) 2. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (b) by the number of full-time jobs created in a development zone and filled by a member of a targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

SECTION 107. 71.47 (1dx) (b) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.47 (1dx) (b) 3. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (c) by the number of full-time jobs created in a development zone and not filled by a member of a targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

SECTION 108, 71.47 (1dx) (b) 4. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.47 (1dx) (b) 4. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (bm) by the number of full-time jobs retained, as provided in the rules under s. 560.785, excluding jobs for which a credit has been claimed under sub. (1dj), in an enterprise development zone under s. 560.797 and for which significant capital investment was made and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs.

**SECTION 109.** 71.47 (1dx) (b) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:

71.47 (1dx) (b) 5. The amount determined by multiplying the amount determined under s. 560.785 (1) (c) by the number of full-time jobs retained, as

provided in the rules under s. 560,785, excluding jobs for which a credit has been 2 claimed under sub. (1dj), in a development zone and not filled by a member of a 3 targeted group and by then subtracting the subsidies paid under s. 49.147 (3) (a) for those jobs. 5 SECTION 110. 71.54 (2) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read: 71.54 (2) (a) (intro.)/Property taxes accrued or rept constituting property taxes 6 accrued shall be reduced by one-twelfth for each month or portion of a month for 7 which the claimant received relief from any county under s. 59.53 (21) equal to or in 8 excess of \$400, participated in Wisconsin works Works under s. 49.147 (4) or (5) or 9 10 49.148 (1m), or received assistance under s. 49.19, except assistance received: 11 **Section 111.** 102.07 (17m) of the statutes is amended to read: (12)102.07 (17m) A participant in a trial transitional subsidized private sector job 13 under s. 49.147 (3) is an employee of any employer under this chapter for whom the 14 participant is performing service at the time of the injury. Section 112. 102.07 (18) of the statutes is repealed 150 16 SECTION 113. 102.29 (8m) of the statutes is amended to read: 102.29 (8m) No participant in a community service job under s. 49.147 (4), 2001 17 stats., or a transitional placement under s. 49.147(5), 2001 stats., who, under s. 18 49.147 (4) (c), 2001 stats., or s. 49/147 (5) (c), 2001 stats., is provided worker's 19 compensation coverage by a Wisconsin works Works agency, as defined under s. 20 49.001 (9), and who makes a claim for compensation under this chapter may make 21 22 a claim or maintain an action in tort against the employer who provided the 23 community service job or transitional placement from which the claim arose. Section 114. 115.347 (2) of the statutes is amended to read: 24

1	115.347 (2) Whenever a school district that is located in whole or in part in a
2	county that has converted to the client assistance for reemployment and economic
3	support data system submits a report under sub. (1) in the prescribed format, the
4	department of workforce development shall determine which children enrolled in the
5	school district are members of Wisconsin works Works groups participating under
6	s. $49.147$ (3) to (5) or of families receiving aid to families with dependent children or
$\widetilde{7}$	food stamps and shall provide the information to the school board as soon thereafter
8	as possible. The school board shall use the information to directly certify children
9	as eligible for free or reduced–price meals served by the school district under federal
LO	school nutrition programs, pursuant to 42 USC 1758 (b) (2) (C) (ii) and (iii).
11	SECTION 115. 115.45 (3m) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:
<b>l</b> 2	115.45 (3m) (a) 2. "Low-income pupil" means a pupil for whom aid to families
13	with dependent children is being received under s. 49.19 or a pupil who is a member
<b>L4</b>	of a Wisconsin works Works group, as defined in s. 49.141 (1) (s), with a member who
<b>L</b> 5	is participating in Wisconsin <del>works</del> Works under s. 49.147 <del>(3) to (5)</del> .
<b>l</b> 6	SECTION 116. 119.82 (1) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:
L7	119.82 (1) (a) 2. Is receiving aid to families with dependent children under s.
18	49.19 or is a member of a Wisconsin <del>works</del> <u>Works</u> group, as defined in s. 49.141 (1)
L9	(s), with a member who is participating in Wisconsin works Works under s. 49.147
20	(3) to (5).
21	SECTION 117. 120.13 (27m) of the statutes is amended to read:
22	120.13 (27m) Transportation of indigent pupils. Provide transportation to
23	and from school for indigent pupils who reside in the school district and who are not
24	required to be transported under s. 121.54. In this subsection, "indigent pupils"
25	means pupils who are eligible for free lunches or reduced-price lunches under 42

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2		49.141 (1) (s), with a member who is participating in Wisconsin works Works under
3		s. 49.147 (3) to (5) or any combination thereof, as determined by the school board.
4		If a school board determines to provide transportation under this subsection, there
5		shall be reasonable uniformity in the transportation furnished such pupils whether
6		they attend public or private schools. The cost of transporting pupils under this
7		subsection may not be included in the school district's shared cost under s. 121.07 (6)
8		(a).
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SECTION 119. 230.04 (13) of the statutes is repeated.

SECTION 120. 230-147 of the statutes is repealed

SECTION 121. 767.045 (1) (c) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

767.045 (1) (c) 1. Aid is provided under s. 46.261, 48.57 (3m) or (3n), 49.19, or 49.45 on behalf of the child, or wages or a stipend are paid to or benefits are provided to the child's custodial parent under ss. 49.141 to 49.161, but the state and its delegate under s. 49.22 (7) are barred by a statute of limitations from commencing an action under s. 767.45 on behalf of the child.

**SECTION 122.** 767.075 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

767.075 (1) (c) Whenever aid under s. 46.261, 48.57 (3m) or (3n), 49.19, or 49.45 is provided on behalf of a dependent child or <u>wages or a stipend are paid to or</u> benefits are provided to the child's custodial parent under ss. 49.141 to 49.161.

SECTION 123. 767.075 (1) (cm) of the statutes is amended to read:

767.075 (1) (cm) Whenever aid under s. 46.261, 48.57 (3m) or (3n), 49.19, or
49.45 has, in the past, been provided on behalf of a dependent child, or wages or a
stipend have, in the past, been paid to or benefits have, in the past, been provided
to the child's custodial parent under ss. 49.141 to 49.161, and the child's family is
eligible for continuing child support services under 45 CFR 302.33.
SECTION 124. 767.15 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:
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767.15 (1) In any action affecting the family in which either party is a recipient of wages, a stipend, or benefits under ss. 49.141 to 49.161 or aid under s. 46.261, 49.19, or 49.45, each party shall, either within 20 days after making service on the opposite party of any motion or pleading requesting the court or circuit court commissioner to order, or to modify a previous order, relating to child support, maintenance, or family support, or before filing the motion or pleading in court, serve a copy of the motion or pleading upon the county child support agency under s. 59.53 (5) of the county in which the action is begun.

**SECTION 125.** 767.24 (6) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

767.24 (6) (c) In making an order of joint legal custody and periods of physical placement, the court may specify one parent as the primary caretaker of the child and one home as the primary home of the child, for the purpose of determining eligibility for aid under s. 49.19 or wages, a stipend, or benefits under ss. 49.141 to 49.161 or for any other purpose the court considers appropriate.

SECTION 126. 767.47 (6) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

pursuant to an assignment under s. 46.261, 48.57 (3m) (b) 2. or (3n) (b) 2., 49.19 (4) (3m)(5) (h) 1., or 49.45 (19), or receipt of the state brings the action to determine paternity pursuant to an assignment under s. 46.261, 48.57 (3m) (b) 2. or (3n) (b) 2., 49.19 (4) (3m)(5) (3m)(5)

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compelled to testify about the paternity of the child if it has been determined that the mother has good cause for refusing to cooperate in establishing paternity as provided in 42 USC 602 (a) (26) (B) and the federal regulations promulgated pursuant to this statute, as of July 1, 1981, and pursuant to any rules promulgated by the department which define good cause in accordance with the federal regulations, as authorized by 42 USC 602 (a) (26) (B) in effect on July 1, 1981.

**SECTION 127.** 767.47 (6) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

767.47 (6) (b) Nothing in par. (a) prevents the state from bringing an action to determine paternity pursuant to an assignment under s. 48.57 (3m) (b) 2. or (3n) (b) 2., 49.19 (4) (h) 1., or 49.45 (19), or receipt of the assignment under s. 49.147 or benefits under s. 49.148, 49.155, or 49.157 or 49.159, where evidence other than the testimony of the mother may establish the paternity of the child.

SECTION 128. 814.61 (13) of the statutes is amended to read:

whenever a person not receiving whenever a stipend under s. 49.147 benefits under s. 49.148 or, 49.155, or 49.157, or aid under s. 49.19, 49.46, 49.465, 49.468, or 49.47 files a petition requesting child support, maintenance, or family support payments, \$10 in addition to any other fee required under this section. This subsection does not apply to a petition filed by the state or its delegate.

## SECTION 9159. Nonstatutory provisions; workforce development.

(1) COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT FUNDS. The department of workforce development may not pay out to Wisconsin Works agencies any community reinvestment funds earned under contracts that were entered into under section 49.143 of the statutes and that had terms beginning on January 1, 2000, and ending on December 31, 2001.

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### (2) WISCONSIN WORKS TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS

- (a) Wisconsin Works agency contracts. Notwithstanding section 49.143 (1) of the statutes, as affected by this act, and Section 9459 (1) of this act, the department of workforce development and a Wisconsin Works agency may agree to extend, on a month-to-month basis, until no later than June 30, 2004, a contract entered into under section 49.143 (1) of the statutes that has a term ending on December 31, 2003.
- (b) Waiver of certain participant requirements. Notwithstanding sections 49.141 to 49.161 of the statutes, as affected by this act, and Section 9459 (1) of this act, the department of workforce development may waive any reapplication requirement and the requirement under section 49.145 (2) (h) of the statutes, as affected by this act, to seek unsubsidized employment with respect to an individual to whom all of the following apply:
- 1. The individual is a participant in Wisconsin Works on the date on which sections 49.141 to 49.161 of the statutes, as affected by this act, are implemented under paragraph (c) in the geographical area under section 49.143 (6) of the statutes in which the individual resides.
- 2. The individual wishes to participate in a transitional subsidized private sector job under section 49.147 of the statutes, as affected by this act.
- (c) Implementation. Notwithstanding Section 9459 (1) of this act, the department of workforce development may implement Wisconsin Works under sections 49.141 to 49.161 of the statutes, as affected by this act, for one or more counties or other geographical areas under section 49.143 (6) of the statutes on a date that is later than January 1, 2004, but not later than July 1, 2004. The department of workforce development shall publish a notice in the Wisconsin Administrative Register that states the date on which Wisconsin Works under sections 49.141 to

49.161 of the statutes, as affected by this act, is implemented in each county or geographical area in which the department implements Wisconsin Works after January 1, 2004.

Uses for other federal funding. The department of workforce development shall investigate ways in which federal funding other than Temporary Assistance for Needy Families block grants, including but not limited to Workforce Investment Act funding, may be used by the state to create a more seamless system of employment and education and training services for low-income adults in the state. The department of workforce development shall submit a report on the findings of its investigation to the department of administration no later than December 31, 2003.

## SECTION 9345. Initial applicability; revenue.

13 (1) DEVELOPMENT ZONES AND HOMESTEAD TAX CREDITS. The treatment of sections
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16 applies to taxable years beginning on January 1, 2005.

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SECTION 1. 49.13 (2) (cm) of the statutes is amended to read: 1 49.13 (2) (cm) The amount of food stamp benefits paid to a recipient who is a 2 participant in a Wisconsin works Works employment position under s. 49.147 (4) or 3 (5) shall be calculated based on the pre-sanction benefit amount received s. 49.148. 4 The amount of food stamp benefits paid to a recipient who is a participant in a 5 Wisconsin Works employment position under s. 49.147 (3m) shall be calculated based 6 on the participant's gross wages under s. 49.148 (1) (am) and stipend, if any, under 7 s. 49.147 (3m) (g), as reduced under s. 49.148 (4), if relevant. 8 History: 2001 a. 16 ss. 1656ti, 1656tim to 1656tp, 1656uu.

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SECTION 2. 49.147 (title) of the statutes is amended to read: 9 49.147 (title) Wisconsin works; work programs and job access loans. 10 History: 1995 a. 289; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a. 9; 2001 a. 16. SECTION 3. 49.147 (1) of the statutes is repealed. 11 SECTION 4. 49.147 (1m) of the statutes is repealed. 12 SECTION 5. 49.147 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read: 13 49.147 (3) (a) Administration. A Wisconsin works Works agency shall 14 administer a trial job program as part of its administration of the Wisconsin works 15 Works program to improve the employability of individuals who are not otherwise 16 able to obtain unsubsidized employment, as determined by the Wisconsin works 17 Works agency, by providing work experience and training to assist them to move 18 promptly into unsubsidized employment. In determining an appropriate placement 19 for a participant, a Wisconsin works Works agency shall give priority to placement 20

under this subsection over placements under subs. (3m), (4), and (5). The Wisconsin works Works agency shall pay a wage subsidy to an employer that employs a participant under this subsection and agrees to make a good faith effort to retain the participant as a permanent unsubsidized employee after the wage subsidy is terminated. The wage subsidy may not exceed \$300 per month for full-time employment of a participant. For less than full-time employment of a participant during a month, the wage subsidy may not exceed a dollar amount determined by multiplying \$300 by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of hours worked by the participant in the month and the denominator of which is the number of hours which would be required for full-time employment in that month.

History: 1995 a. 289; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a. 9; 2001 a. 16. SECTION 6. 49.147 (3m) of the statutes is created to read:

49.147 (3m) Transitional subsidized private sector jobs. (a) Administration.

1. A Wisconsin Works agency shall administer a transitional subsidized private sector job program as part of its administration of the Wisconsin Works program. If a Wisconsin Works agency determines for a participant that a placement under sub.

(3) is inappropriate, or that an appropriate trial job is unavailable, and that a placement under either this subsection or sub. (4) is appropriate, the participant shall be allowed to choose between a placement under this subsection or under sub.

(4), to the extent of the availability of appropriate transitional subsidized private sector jobs and community service jobs. A placement under this subsection shall be given priority over placements under sub. (5).

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2. If a participant chooses a placement under this subsection, a Wisconsin Works agency shall arrange for a transitional subsidized private sector job, if available, to be offered to the participant at a

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SECTION 7. 49.147 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.147 (4) (a) Administration. A Wisconsin works Works agency shall administer a community service job program as part of its administration of Wisconsin works Works to improve the employability of an individual who is not otherwise able to obtain employment, as determined by the Wisconsin works Works agency, by providing work experience and training, if necessary, to assist the individual to move promptly into unsubsidized public or private employment or a trial job. In determining an appropriate placement for a participant, a Wisconsin works Works agency shall give placement under this subsection priority over placements under sub. (5). If a Wisconsin Works agency determines that placement is appropriate for a participant under either this subsection or sub. (3m), the participant shall be allowed to choose between a placement under this subsection or under sub. (3m), to the extent of the availability of appropriate transitional subsidized private sector jobs and community service jobs. Community service jobs shall be limited to projects that the department determines would serve a useful public purpose or projects the cost of which is partially or wholly offset by revenue generated from such projects. After each 6 months of an individual's participation under this subsection and at the conclusion of each assignment under this



1	subsection, a Wisconsin works Works agency shall reassess the individual's
2	employability.
Histo	SECTION 8. 49.147 (6) of the statutes is renumbered 49.1471, and 49.1471
4	(title), (1) (c), (2) (c), and (4) (intro.), as renumbered, are amended to read:
<b>(5)</b>	49.1471 (title) Job Wisconsin Works; job access loan loans.
6	(1) (c) The individual is not in default with respect to the repayment of any
7	previous job access loan or repayment of any grant of wage, or stipend overpayments
8	under this section Wisconsin Works.
9	(2) (c) The terms and conditions of repayment. The rules promulgated under
10	this subdivision paragraph shall provide for repayment by performance of in-kind
11	services. The rules shall establish criteria that the Wisconsin works Works agency
12	shall use to approve in-kind repayment of loans.
13	(4) (intro.) An individual who would be eligible for a job access loan under par.
14	(a) sub. (1), except that the individual has not attained the age of 18, is eligible under
15	this paragraph subsection if the individual meets the following requirements:
16	SECTION 9. 49.147 (6m) of the statutes is created to read:
17	49.147 (6m) PLACEMENT FLEXIBILITY. Notwithstanding the placement priorities
18	specified in subs. (3)-to (5), the department and a Wisconsin Works agency shall allow
19	a participant flexibility to participate, at the request of the participant, in one or
20	more work components that are different from the one initially determined by the
21 /	Wisconsin Works agency to be appropriate for the participant, to the extent that a
22	Wisconsin Works employment position requested by the participant is available.
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24	specified in subs. (3) to (5), a Wisconsin Works agency shall, at the request of a

participant, allow the participant flexibility to participate in one or more work 1 components that are different from the one initially determined by the Wisconsin  $\mathbf{2}$ Works agency to be appropriate for the participant. 3

SECTION 10. 49.148 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.148 (1) BENEFIT LEVELS AND WAGES FOR PARTICIPANTS IN EMPLOYMENT POSITIONS. (intro.) A participant in a Wisconsin works Works employment position shall receive the following benefits or wages:

History: 1995 a. 289; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a./.
SECTION 11. 49.148 (1) (am) of the statutes is created to read:

49.148 (1) (am) Transitional subsidized private sector jobs. For a participant in a transitional subsidized private sector job, the prevailing federal minimum wage for hours actually worked, paid by the participant's employer.

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SECTION 12. 49.148 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.148 (4) (a) A Wisconsin works Works agency shall require a participant in a transitional subsidized private sector job, community service job, or transitional placement who, after August 22, 1996, was convicted in any state or federal court of a felony that had as an element possession, use, or distribution of a controlled substance to submit to a test for use of a controlled substance as a condition of continued eligibility. If the test results are positive, the Wisconsin works Works agency shall decrease the presanction benefit amount for that a participant in a community service job or a transitional placement not more than 15%, and shall decrease the number of hours that a participant in a transitional subsidized private sector job may work by up to 15%, for not fewer than 12 months, or for the remainder



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job, community service job, or transitional placement, if less than 12 months. If, at
the end of 12 months, the individual is still a participant in a transitional subsidized
private sector job, community service job, or transitional placement and submits to
another test for use of a controlled substance and if the results of the test are
negative, the Wisconsin works Works agency shall discontinue the reduction in
benefits or work hours under this paragraph.

History: 1995 a. 289; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a. 9. SECTION 13. 49.148 (4) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.148 (4) (b) The Wisconsin works Works agency may require an individual who tests positive for use of a controlled substance under par. (a) to participate in a drug abuse evaluation, assessment, and treatment program as part of the participation requirement under s. 49.147 (4) (as) or (5) (bs) or as a condition of employment in the transitional subsidized private sector job.

History: 1995 a. 289; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a. 9.

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SECTION 14. 49.161 (1m) of the statutes is created to read:

49.161 (1m) Transitional subsidized private sector jobs overpayments.

Notwithstanding s. 49.96, the department shall recover an overpayment of wages paid under s. 49.148 (1) (am) from the individual who received the wages and an overpayment of a stipend paid under s. 49.147 (3m) (g) from the individual who received the stipend. The department shall establish policies and procedures for administering this subsection.

SECTION 15. 49.161 (3) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

1	49.161 (3) OVERPAYMENTS CAUSED BY INTENTIONAL PROGRAM VIOLATIONS. (intro.)
2	If an overpayment under sub. (1), $(1m)$ , or (2) is the result of an intentional violation
3	of ss. 49.141 to 49.161 or of rules promulgated by the department under those
4	sections, the department shall recover the overpayment by deducting an amount
5	from the stipend received under s. 49.147 (3m) (g) or the benefits received under s.
6	49.148 (1) (a), (b), or (c), or by directing the employer to deduct an amount from a
7	participant's wages paid under s. $49.148(1)$ (am), until the overpayment is recovered.
8	The amount to be deducted each month may not exceed the following:
9	History: 1995 a. 289; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a. 9.  SECTION 16. 49.161 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
10	49.161 (3) (a) For intentional program violations resulting in an overpayment
11	that is less than \$300, 10% of the amount of the monthly benefit, stipend, or wages
12	payment.
13	History: 1995 a. 289; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a. 9.  SECTION 17. 49.1635 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:
14	49.1635 (1) To the extent permitted under federal law and subject to sub. (2),
15	from the appropriation under s. 20.445 (3) (md) the department shall $\underline{\text{may}}$ distribute
16	funds to the Wisconsin Trust Account Foundation in an amount equal up to the

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this subsection may be used only for the provision of legal services to individuals who

are eligible for temporary assistance for needy families under 42 USC 601 et seq. and

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STUDY ON ASSISTANCE WITH LABOR MARKET PARTICIPATION. The department of workforce development shall conduct a study to determine the best ways to assist low-income custodial parents and other at-risk low-income adults in entering and successfully participating in the labor market. The department of workforce development is encouraged, in conducting the study, to consult with other state agencies, public and private organizations, and individuals with expertise in the subject area. The department of workforce development shall, no later than June 30, 2004, submit a report on the results of the study, including the department's findings and recommendations, to the legislature in the manner provided in section 13.172 (2) of the statutes and to the governor.

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49.148 (1) (b) 1. Except as provided in subd. 1m., for a participant in a community service job under s. 49.147 (4), a monthly grant of \$673, paid by the Wisconsin works agency. For every hour that the participant misses work or education or training activities without good cause, the grant amount shall be reduced by \$5.15. Good cause shall be determined by the financial and employment planner in accordance with rules promulgated by the department. Good cause shall include required court appearances for a victim of domestic abuse. If a participant in a community service job under s. 49.147 (4) is required to work fewer than 30 hours per week because the participant has unsubsidized employment, as defined in s. 49.147 (1) (e) the grant amount under this paragraph shall equal the amount specified under subd. 1m. minus \$5.15 for each hour that the participant misses work or education or training activities without good cause.

History: 1995 a. 289; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a. 9.

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