Fiscal Estimate - 2017 Session

☑ Original ☐ Updated	Corrected	Supplemental	
LRB Number 17-4579/1	Introduction Number	SB-542	
Description criminal penalties for fraud in obtaining unemployment insurance benefits and providing a criminal penalty			
Fiscal Effect			
Appropriations Reve	rease Existing to absorb	Costs - May be possible within agency's budget /es No	
Local: No Local Government Costs Indeterminate 1. Increase Costs Permissive Mandatory 2. Decrease Costs Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Districts School Districts			
Fund Sources Affected Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEGS			
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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

The Department of Justice prosecutes unemployment insurance fraud cases referred by the Department of Workforce Development and represents the state in all felony appeals before the Wisconsin Court of Appeals, the Wisconsin Supreme Court and the United States Supreme Court. Any potential change to criminal penalties could increase or decrease the number of unemployment insurance referrals and felony appeals. The magnitude of the potential change is unknown.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications