2019 DRAFTING REQUEST

Bill

For:

Legislative Fiscal Bureau

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mduchek

By:

Ryan Horton

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Date:

4/1/2020

May Contact:

Same as LRB:

Submit via email:

YES

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Pre Topic:

No specific pre topic given

Topic:

UI waiting week - Pg. 28, DWD, Item 1, but only for calendar year 2020

Instructions:

See attached

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Barman, Mike

From:

Hanaman, Cathlene

Sent:

Wednesday, April 01, 2020 11:20 AM

To:

Champagne, Rick; Lunder, Erika; Wheeler, Elizabeth; Knepp, Fern; Gallagher,

Michael; Dodge, Tamara; Walkenhorst Barber, Sarah; Paczuski, Konrad;

McGreevy, Mary Alice; Shovers, Marc; Pleviak, Krista; Gary, Aaron; Kreye, Joseph; Pfotenhauer, Mary; Duchek, Michael; Shea, Elisabeth; Wyatt, Zachary; Johns,

Melinda

Cc:

Jackson, Wendy

Subject:

RE: More LFB Requests

Please, in addition to anything else you put in the topic line, include the language below ("Pg. 5, DOA, item 6" for instance).

You may have to make an educated guess as to the analyst. I can fix later.

Using the LFB Summary of the Governor's bill, please draft the following items for the LFB:

http://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/misc/lfb/misc/109 summary of provisions of lrb 5904 1 and lrb 5920 p2 3 24 20.pdf

Pg. 5, DOA, Item 6

Pg. 6, DOA, Item 9

Pg. 6 BLDG COMM, Item 1 (RAC)

Pg. 11, ETF, Item 1

Pg. 12, ETF, Item 2

Pg. 13, GEN PROV, Item 2

Pg. 16, HEALTH, Item 4

Pg. 18, INS, Item 2

Pg. 19, INS, Item 5

Pg. 19, INS, Item 6

Pg. 22, DPI, Item 3

Pg. 24, DSPS, Item 2

Pg. 25, DSPS, Item 3

Pg. 26, DSPS, Item 4

Pg. 28, DWD, Item 1, but only for calendar year 2020

Pg. 29, DWD, Item 2

Cathlene can coordinate and make sure drafts are accounted for.

Rick



 $\begin{array}{c} LRB-6066/1\\ MED:cjs \end{array}$

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- 5 to read:

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begin on or after January 5, 2020, and before January 4, 2021.

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Barman, Mike

From:

Horton, Ryan

Sent:

Thursday, April 02, 2020 3:26 PM

To:

Duchek, Michael

Subject:

RE: Change to 6066/1

March 21st would be the last day of UI Week No. 12. The agreement was signed on March 28th (the final day of UI Week No. 13) so I'm assuming that all benefits paid out for the waiting week would get reimbursed by the feds for UI Week No. 13, but not UI Week No. 12, based on when the agreement was signed? It's just a guess since we have no guidance from the feds.

Calendar here:

https://dwd.wisconsin.gov/uiben/calendars.htm

From: Duchek, Michael < Michael. Duchek@legis.wisconsin.gov>

Sent: Thursday, April 02, 2020 3:16 PM

To: Horton, Ryan <Ryan.Horton@legis.wisconsin.gov>

Subject: RE: Change to 6066/1

What is the significance of March 21?

From: Horton, Ryan < Ryan. Horton@legis.wisconsin.gov>

Sent: Thursday, April 02, 2020 3:05 PM

To: Duchek, Michael < <u>Michael.Duchek@legis.wisconsin.gov</u>> **Cc:** Ferguson, Paul < <u>Paul.Ferguson@legis.wisconsin.gov</u>>

Subject: Change to 6066/1

Mike,

Could you please replace the text on lines 5 and 6 with the following text:

"Paragraph (a) does not apply with respect to benefit years that begin on or after March 12, 2020, so as to apply to the public health emergency declared on March 12, 2020, by executive order 72, and before January 3, 2020."

NOTE: Mike - I think this works. However, the only issue with this is how USDOL interprets the CARES Act language in this section of the bill. Sec. Frostman signed the required agreement with USDOL on 3/28/2020. A strict interpretation of the CARES Act by USDOL could disqualify WI from taping into federal waiting week reimbursement \$ for the first few days (March 12-March 21). But, I do think that this is the correct way to draft this provision....we really don't have any other choice if we want to include that initial flood of claimants that filed starting already on the 12th.

CARES Act applicability language:

21	(c) APPLICABILITY.—An agreement entered into
22	under this section shall apply to weeks of unemployment—
23	(1) beginning after the date on which such
24	agreement is entered into; and
25	(2) ending on or before December 31, 2020.



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for which the claimant has timely applied and is otherwise eligible for regular
108.04 (3) (a) The Subject to par. (b), the first week of a claimant's benefit year

Barman, Mike

From:

Duchek, Michael

Sent:

Friday, April 03, 2020 4:44 PM

To:

Horton, Ryan

Subject:

RE: please add something like this to 6066/2

Will this work: "The department shall seek the maximum amount of federal reimbursement for benefits that are, during the time period specified in this paragraph, payable for the first week of a claimant's benefit year as a result of the application of this paragraph."

From: Horton, Ryan < Ryan. Horton@legis.wisconsin.gov>

Sent: Friday, April 03, 2020 4:38 PM

To: Duchek, Michael <Michael.Duchek@legis.wisconsin.gov> **Cc:** Ferguson, Paul <Paul.Ferguson@legis.wisconsin.gov>

Subject: please add something like this to 6066/2

Require the DWD secretary to seek the maximum amount of federal reimbursement for benefits provided during the time period specified under (b).

Thank you!!

Ryan Horton, Fiscal Analyst Legislative Fiscal Bureau One East Main St., Suite 301 Madison, WI 53703 (608) 266-3847



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Parisi, Lori

From:

Horton, Ryan

Sent:

Friday, April 10, 2020 2:07 PM

To:

Duchek, Michael

Subject:

RE: I'll have a small drafting request

But that says "before" just prior to the date.

Maybe say "and on and before January 31, 2020"

Call me.... 608-334-1230

From: Duchek, Michael < Michael. Duchek@legis.wisconsin.gov>

Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 2:02 PM

To: Horton, Ryan < Ryan. Horton@legis.wisconsin.gov>

Subject: RE: I'll have a small drafting request

Change the date on p. 2, line 9 you mean?

From: Horton, Ryan < Ryan. Horton@legis.wisconsin.gov >

Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 1:59 PM

To: Duchek, Michael < Michael < Michael.Duchek@legis.wisconsin.gov Ce: Ferguson, Paul < Paul.Ferguson@legis.wisconsin.gov

Subject: RE: I'll have a small drafting request

Can you change the end date in LRB-6066/3.

They want to extend it through January 31, 2021. Not sure exactly how to draft that....

From: Duchek, Michael < Michael. Duchek@legis.wisconsin.gov >

Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 1:24 PM

To: Horton, Ryan < Ryan. Horton@legis.wisconsin.gov>

Subject: RE: I'll have a small drafting request

OK? Standing by

From: Horton, Ryan < Ryan. Horton@legis.wisconsin.gov >

Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 1:23 PM

To: Duchek, Michael < Michael. Duchek@legis.wisconsin.gov >

Subject: I'll have a small drafting request

For you in a bit. Just an FYI. It will need a quick turnaround.

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10	time period specified in this paragraph, payable for the first week of a claimant's

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