Wisconsin Department of Administration
Division of Executive Budget and Finance

Fiscal Estimate - 2025 Session

☒ Original ☐ Updated ☐ Corrected ☐ Supplemental

LRB Number **25-4813/1**	Introduction Number **AB-0650**

Description
funding for identity verification under the unemployment insurance law and making an appropriation

Fiscal Effect

State:

☒ No State Fiscal Effect

☐ Indeterminate

- ☐ Increase Existing Appropriations
- ☐ Decrease Existing Appropriations
- ☐ Create New Appropriations
- ☐ Increase Existing Revenues
- ☐ Decrease Existing Revenues
- ☐ Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget ☐ Yes ☐ No
- ☐ Decrease Costs

Local:

☐ No Local Government Costs

☐ Indeterminate

1. ☐ Increase Costs ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory
2. ☐ Decrease Costs ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory
3. ☐ Increase Revenue ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory
4. ☐ Decrease Revenue ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory
5. Types of Local Government Units Affected
   - ☐ Towns ☐ Village ☐ Cities
   - ☐ Counties ☐ Others
   - ☐ School Districts ☐ WTCS Districts

Fund Sources Affected

☐ GPR ☐ FED ☐ PRO ☐ PRS ☐ SEG ☐ SEGS

Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

The department estimates no fiscal impact under this bill. While, at this time, there is no statute at s. 108.14 (10m), 2025 Assembly Bill 652 proposes a number of policy changes to the Unemployment Insurance program. The bill proposes to create s. 108.14 (10m) with specific identity proofing requirements which are in line with the department's current practices. This is the only policy provision in Assembly Bill 652 that includes funding. The provision allows General Purpose Revenue funds currently allocated for UI drug testing to be used for costs related to identity verification if federal funding is no longer sufficient to cover these costs. The annual costs supported from s. 20.445(1)(aL) will not increase as a result of this provision. If the policy companion bill is not passed, funding would be allocated to existing programs for anti-fraud activity and identify verification.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications