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2021 ASSEMBLY BILL 206

March 25, 2021 - Introduced by Representatives B. Meyers, Doyle, Shankland, Vining, S. Rodriguez, Milroy, Sinicki, Andraca, Cabrera, Baldeh, Spreitzer, Conley, Emerson, Subeck, Hebl, Hintz, Hesselbein, Snodgrass, Ohnstad, Anderson, Drake, Vruwink, Billings, Goyke, Bowen, Stubbs, McGuire, Neubauer, Hong, Pope, Ortiz-Velez, Brostoff, Considine and Shelton, cosponsored by Senators Smith, Bewley, Johnson, Carpenter, Erpenbach, Agard, L. Taylor, Roys, Wirch, Ringhand, Larson and Pfaff. Referred to Committee on Workforce Development.

- 1 AN ACT *to amend* 108.04 (3) (b) of the statutes; **relating to:** the unemployment
- 2 insurance waiting period.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently, a claimant must generally wait one week after becoming eligible to receive unemployment insurance benefits before the claimant may receive benefits for a week of unemployment, but the application of the one-week waiting period is temporarily suspended for benefit years that began after March 12, 2020, and before March 14, 2021. This bill extends the end date for suspending the one-week waiting period to September 5, 2021.

For further information see the state and local fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

- 3 **Section 1.** 108.04 (3) (b) of the statutes, as affected by 2021 Wisconsin Act 4,
- 4 is amended to read:
- 5 108.04 (3) (b) Paragraph (a) does not apply with respect to benefit years that
- 6 begin after March 12, 2020, and before March 14 September 5, 2021. The

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1	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.

4 (END)