

SENATE BILL NO. 845

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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AN ACT

To repeal section 288.036 as enacted by house bill no. 150, ninety-eighth general assembly, first regular session, section 288.036 as enacted by house bill no. 1456, ninety-third general assembly, second regular session, section 288.060 as enacted by house bill no. 150, ninety-eighth general assembly, first regular session, and section 288.060 as enacted by house bill no. 163, ninety-sixth general assembly, first regular session, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to unemployment benefits.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 288.036 as enacted by house bill no. 150, ninety-eighth general assembly, first regular session, section 288.036 as enacted by house bill no. 1456, ninety-third general assembly, second regular session, section 288.060 as enacted by house bill no. 150, ninety-eighth general assembly, first regular session, and section 288.060 as enacted by house bill no. 163, ninety-sixth general assembly, first regular session, are repealed and two new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 288.036 and 288.060, to read as follows:

[288.036. 1. "Wages" means all remuneration, payable or paid, for personal services including commissions and bonuses and, except as provided in subdivision (7) of this section, the cash value of all remuneration paid in any medium other than cash. Gratuities, including tips received from persons other than the employing unit, shall be considered wages only if required to be reported as wages pursuant to the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, 26 U.S.C. Section 3306, and shall be, for the purposes of this chapter, treated as having been

EXPLANATION-Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

13 paid by the employing unit. Severance pay shall
14 be considered as wages to the extent required
15 pursuant to the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, 26
16 U.S.C. Section 3306(b). Vacation pay,
17 termination pay, severance pay and holiday pay
18 shall be considered as wages for the week with
19 respect to which it is payable. The total
20 amount of wages derived from severance pay, if
21 paid to an insured in a lump sum, shall be
22 prorated on a weekly basis at the rate of pay
23 received by the insured at the time of
24 termination for the purposes of determining
25 unemployment benefits eligibility. The term
26 "wages" shall not include:

27 (1) The amount of any payment made
28 (including any amount paid by an employing unit
29 for insurance or annuities, or into a fund, to
30 provide for any such payment) to, or on behalf
31 of, an individual under a plan or system
32 established by an employing unit which makes
33 provision generally for individuals performing
34 services for it or for a class or classes of
35 such individuals, on account of:

36 (a) Sickness or accident disability, but
37 in case of payments made to an employee or any
38 of the employee's dependents this paragraph
39 shall exclude from the term wages only payments
40 which are received pursuant to a workers'
41 compensation law; or

42 (b) Medical and hospitalization expenses
43 in connection with sickness or accident
44 disability; or

45 (c) Death;

46 (2) The amount of any payment on account
47 of sickness or accident disability, or medical
48 or hospitalization expenses in connection with
49 sickness or accident disability, made by an
50 employing unit to, or on behalf of, an
51 individual performing services for it after the
52 expiration of six calendar months following the
53 last calendar month in which the individual
54 performed services for such employing unit;

55 (3) The amount of any payment made by an
56 employing unit to, or on behalf of, an
57 individual performing services for it or his or
58 her beneficiary:

59 (a) From or to a trust described in 26
60 U.S.C. Section 401(a) which is exempt from tax
61 pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 501(a) at the time
62 of such payment unless such payment is made to
63 an employee of the trust as remuneration for
64 services rendered as such an employee and not as
65 a beneficiary of the trust; or

66 (b) Under or to an annuity plan which, at
67 the time of such payments, meets the
68 requirements of Section 404(a)(2) of the Federal
69 Internal Revenue Code (26 U.S.C.A. Section 404);

70 (4) The amount of any payment made by an
71 employing unit (without deduction from the
72 remuneration of the individual in employment) of
73 the tax imposed pursuant to Section 3101 of the
74 Federal Internal Revenue Code (26 U.S.C.A.
75 Section 3101) upon an individual with respect to
76 remuneration paid to an employee for domestic
77 service in a private home or for agricultural
78 labor;

79 (5) Remuneration paid in any medium other
80 than cash to an individual for services not in
81 the course of the employing unit's trade or
82 business;

83 (6) Remuneration paid in the form of meals
84 provided to an individual in the service of an
85 employing unit where such remuneration is
86 furnished on the employer's premises and at the
87 employer's convenience, except that remuneration
88 in the form of meals that is considered wages
89 and required to be reported as wages pursuant to
90 the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, 26 U.S.C.
91 Section 3306 shall be reported as wages as
92 required thereunder;

93 (7) For the purpose of determining wages
94 paid for agricultural labor as defined in
95 paragraph (b) of subdivision (1) of subsection
96 12 of section 288.034 and for domestic service
97 as defined in subsection 13 of section 288.034,
98 only cash wages paid shall be considered;

99 (8) Beginning on October 1, 1996, any
100 payment to, or on behalf of, an employee or the
101 employee's beneficiary under a cafeteria plan,
102 if such payment would not be treated as wages
103 pursuant to the Federal Unemployment Tax Act.

104 2. The increases or decreases to the state
105 taxable wage base for the remainder of calendar
106 year 2004 shall be eight thousand dollars, and
107 the state taxable wage base in calendar year
108 2005, and each calendar year thereafter, shall
109 be determined by the provisions within this
110 subsection. On January 1, 2005, the state
111 taxable wage base for calendar year 2005, 2006,
112 and 2007 shall be eleven thousand dollars. The
113 taxable wage base for calendar year 2008 shall
114 be twelve thousand dollars. The state taxable
115 wage base for each calendar year thereafter
116 shall be determined by the average balance of
117 the unemployment compensation trust fund of the
118 four preceding calendar quarters (September
119 thirtieth, June thirtieth, March thirty-first,
120 and December thirty-first of the preceding
121 calendar year), less any outstanding federal
122 Title XII advances received pursuant to section
123 288.330, less the principal, interest, and
124 administrative expenses related to any credit
125 instrument issued under section 288.030, and
126 less the principal, interest, and administrative

127 expenses related to any financial agreements
 128 under subdivision (17) of subsection 2 of
 129 section 288.330. When the average balance of
 130 the unemployment compensation trust fund of the
 131 four preceding quarters (September thirtieth,
 132 June thirtieth, March thirty-first, and December
 133 thirty-first of the preceding calendar year), as
 134 so determined is:

135 (1) Less than, or equal to, three hundred
 136 fifty million dollars, then the wage base shall
 137 increase by one thousand dollars; or

138 (2) Six hundred fifty million or more,
 139 then the state taxable wage base for the
 140 subsequent calendar year shall be decreased by
 141 five hundred dollars. In no event, however,
 142 shall the state taxable wage base increase
 143 beyond twelve thousand five hundred dollars, or
 144 decrease to less than seven thousand dollars.
 145 For calendar year 2009, the tax wage base shall
 146 be twelve thousand five hundred dollars. For
 147 calendar year 2010 and each calendar year
 148 thereafter, in no event shall the state taxable
 149 wage base increase beyond thirteen thousand
 150 dollars, or decrease to less than seven thousand
 151 dollars.

152 For any calendar year, the state taxable wage
 153 base shall not be reduced to less than that part
 154 of the remuneration which is subject to a tax
 155 under a federal law imposing a tax against which
 156 credit may be taken for contributions required
 157 to be paid into a state unemployment
 158 compensation trust fund. Nothing in this
 159 section shall be construed to prevent the wage
 160 base from increasing or decreasing by increments
 161 of five hundred dollars.]

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 2 or paid, for personal services including commissions and
 3 bonuses and, except as provided in subdivision (7) of this
 4 [section] **subsection**, the cash value of all remuneration
 5 paid in any medium other than cash. Gratuities, including
 6 tips received from persons other than the employing unit,
 7 shall be considered wages only if required to be reported as
 8 wages pursuant to the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, 26
 9 U.S.C. Section [3306] **3301, et seq., as amended**, and shall
 10 be, for the purposes of this chapter, treated as having been
 11 paid by the employing unit. [Severance pay shall be
 12 considered as wages to the extent required pursuant to the

13 Federal Unemployment Tax Act, 26 U.S.C. Section 3306(b).]

14 Vacation pay, **termination pay, severance pay**, and holiday
15 pay shall be considered as wages for the week with respect
16 to which it is payable. **The total amount of wages derived**
17 **from severance pay, termination pay, vacation pay, or**
18 **holiday pay, if paid to an insured in a lump sum, shall be**
19 **prorated on a weekly basis at the rate of pay received by**
20 **the insured at the time of termination for the purposes of**
21 **determining unemployment benefits eligibility.** The term
22 "wages" shall not include:

23 (1) The amount of any payment made (including any
24 amount paid by an employing unit for insurance or annuities,
25 or into a fund, to provide for any such payment) to, or on
26 behalf of, an individual under a plan or system established
27 by an employing unit which makes provision generally for
28 individuals performing services for it or for a class or
29 classes of such individuals, on account of:

30 (a) Sickness or accident disability, but in case of
31 payments made to an employee or any of the employee's
32 dependents this paragraph shall exclude from the term wages
33 only payments which are received pursuant to a workers'
34 compensation law; or

35 (b) Medical and hospitalization expenses in connection
36 with sickness or accident disability; or

37 (c) Death;

38 (2) The amount of any payment on account of sickness
39 or accident disability, or medical or hospitalization
40 expenses in connection with sickness or accident disability,
41 made by an employing unit to, or on behalf of, an individual
42 performing services for it after the expiration of six
43 calendar months following the last calendar month in which
44 the individual performed services for such employing unit;

45 (3) The amount of any payment made by an employing
46 unit to, or on behalf of, an individual performing services
47 for it or his or her beneficiary:

48 (a) From or to a trust described in 26 U.S.C. Section
49 401(a) which is exempt from tax pursuant to 26 U.S.C.
50 Section 501(a) at the time of such payment unless such
51 payment is made to an employee of the trust as remuneration
52 for services rendered as such an employee and not as a
53 beneficiary of the trust; or

54 (b) Under or to an annuity plan which, at the time of
55 such payments, meets the requirements of Section 404(a)(2)
56 of the Federal Internal Revenue Code (26 U.S.C.A. Section
57 404);

58 (4) The amount of any payment made by an employing
59 unit (without deduction from the remuneration of the
60 individual in employment) of the tax imposed pursuant to
61 Section 3101 of the Federal Internal Revenue Code (26
62 U.S.C.A. Section 3101) upon an individual with respect to
63 remuneration paid to an employee for domestic service in a
64 private home or for agricultural labor;

65 (5) Remuneration paid in any medium other than cash to
66 an individual for services not in the course of the
67 employing unit's trade or business;

68 (6) Remuneration paid in the form of meals provided to
69 an individual in the service of an employing unit where such
70 remuneration is furnished on the employer's premises and at
71 the employer's convenience, except that remuneration in the
72 form of meals that is considered wages and required to be
73 reported as wages pursuant to the Federal Unemployment Tax
74 Act, 26 U.S.C. Section 3306 shall be reported as wages as
75 required thereunder;

76 (7) For the purpose of determining wages paid for
77 agricultural labor as defined in paragraph (b) of
78 subdivision (1) of subsection 12 of section 288.034 and for
79 domestic service as defined in subsection 13 of section
80 288.034, only cash wages paid shall be considered;

81 (8) Beginning on October 1, 1996, any payment to, or
82 on behalf of, an employee or the employee's beneficiary
83 under a cafeteria plan, if such payment would not be treated
84 as wages pursuant to the Federal Unemployment Tax Act.

85 2. The increases or decreases to the state taxable
86 wage base for the remainder of calendar year 2004 shall be
87 eight thousand dollars, and the state taxable wage base in
88 calendar year 2005, and each calendar year thereafter, shall
89 be determined by the provisions within this subsection. On
90 January 1, 2005, the state taxable wage base for calendar
91 year 2005, 2006, and 2007 shall be eleven thousand dollars.
92 The taxable wage base for calendar year 2008 shall be twelve
93 thousand dollars. The state taxable wage base for each
94 calendar year thereafter shall be determined by the average
95 balance of the unemployment compensation trust fund of the
96 four preceding calendar quarters (September thirtieth, June
97 thirtieth, March thirty-first, and December thirty-first of
98 the preceding calendar year), less any outstanding federal
99 Title XII advances received pursuant to section 288.330,
100 less the principal, interest, and administrative expenses
101 related to any credit instrument issued under section
102 [288.030] **288.330**, and less the principal, interest, and
103 administrative expenses related to any financial agreements
104 under subdivision (17) of subsection 2 of section 288.330.
105 When the average balance of the unemployment compensation
106 trust fund of the four preceding quarters (September
107 thirtieth, June thirtieth, March thirty-first, and December

108 thirty-first of the preceding calendar year), as so
109 determined is:

110 (1) Less than, or equal to, three hundred fifty
111 million dollars, then the wage base shall increase by one
112 thousand dollars; or

113 (2) Six hundred fifty million or more, then the state
114 taxable wage base for the subsequent calendar year shall be
115 decreased by five hundred dollars. In no event, however,
116 shall the state taxable wage base increase beyond twelve
117 thousand five hundred dollars, or decrease to less than
118 seven thousand dollars. For calendar year 2009, the tax
119 wage base shall be twelve thousand five hundred dollars.
120 For calendar year 2010 and each calendar year thereafter, in
121 no event shall the state taxable wage base increase beyond
122 thirteen thousand dollars, or decrease to less than seven
123 thousand dollars.

124 For any calendar year, the state taxable wage base shall not
125 be reduced to less than that part of the remuneration which
126 is subject to a tax under a federal law imposing a tax
127 against which credit may be taken for contributions required
128 to be paid into a state unemployment compensation trust
129 fund. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent
130 the wage base from increasing or decreasing by increments of
131 five hundred dollars.

2 [288.060. 1. All benefits shall be paid
3 through employment offices in accordance with
4 such regulations as the division may prescribe.
5 2. Each eligible insured worker who is
6 totally unemployed in any week shall be paid for
7 such week a sum equal to his or her weekly
8 benefit amount.
9 3. Each eligible insured worker who is
10 partially unemployed in any week shall be paid
11 for such week a partial benefit. Such partial
12 benefit shall be an amount equal to the
difference between his or her weekly benefit

13 amount and that part of his or her wages for
14 such week in excess of twenty dollars, and, if
15 such partial benefit amount is not a multiple of
16 one dollar, such amount shall be reduced to the
17 nearest lower full dollar amount. For calendar
18 year 2007 and each year thereafter, such partial
19 benefit shall be an amount equal to the
20 difference between his or her weekly benefit
21 amount and that part of his or her wages for
22 such week in excess of twenty dollars or twenty
23 percent of his or her weekly benefit amount,
24 whichever is greater, and, if such partial
25 benefit amount is not a multiple of one dollar,
26 such amount shall be reduced to the nearest
27 lower full dollar amount. Pay received by an
28 eligible insured worker who is a member of the
29 organized militia for training or duty
30 authorized by Section 502(a)(1) of Title 32,
31 United States Code, shall not be considered
32 wages for the purpose of this subsection.

33 4. The division shall compute the wage
34 credits for each individual by crediting him or
35 her with the wages paid to him or her for
36 insured work during each quarter of his or her
37 base period or twenty-six times his or her
38 weekly benefit amount, whichever is the lesser.
39 In addition, if a claimant receives wages in the
40 form of termination pay or severance pay and
41 such payment appears in a base period
42 established by the filing of an initial claim,
43 the claimant may, at his or her option, choose
44 to have such payment included in the calendar
45 quarter in which it was paid or choose to have
46 it prorated equally among the quarters
47 comprising the base period of the claim. For
48 the purpose of this section, wages shall be
49 counted as wage credits for any benefit year,
50 only if such benefit year begins subsequent to
51 the date on which the employing unit by whom
52 such wages were paid has become an employer.
53 The wage credits of an individual earned during
54 the period commencing with the end of a prior
55 base period and ending on the date on which he
56 or she filed an allowed initial claim shall not
57 be available for benefit purposes in a
58 subsequent benefit year unless, in addition
59 thereto, such individual has subsequently earned
60 either wages for insured work in an amount equal
61 to at least five times his or her current weekly
62 benefit amount or wages in an amount equal to at
63 least ten times his or her current weekly
64 benefit amount.

65 5. The duration of benefits payable to any
66 insured worker during any benefit year shall be
67 limited to:

68 (1) Twenty weeks if the Missouri average
69 unemployment rate is nine percent or higher;

70 (2) Nineteen weeks if the Missouri average
71 unemployment rate is between eight and one-half
72 percent and nine percent;

73 (3) Eighteen weeks if the Missouri average
74 unemployment rate is eight percent up to and
75 including eight and one-half percent;

76 (4) Seventeen weeks if the Missouri
77 average unemployment rate is between seven and
78 one-half percent and eight percent;

79 (5) Sixteen weeks if the Missouri average
80 unemployment rate is seven percent up to and
81 including seven and one-half percent;

82 (6) Fifteen weeks if the Missouri average
83 unemployment rate is between six and one-half
84 percent and seven percent;

85 (7) Fourteen weeks if the Missouri average
86 unemployment rate is six percent up to and
87 including six and one-half percent;

88 (8) Thirteen weeks if the Missouri average
89 unemployment rate is below six percent.

90 As used in this subsection, the phrase "Missouri
91 average unemployment rate" means the average of
92 the seasonally adjusted statewide unemployment
93 rates as published by the United States
94 Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics,
95 for the time periods of January first through
96 March thirty-first and July first through
97 September thirtieth. The average of the
98 seasonally adjusted statewide unemployment rates
99 for the time period of January first through
100 March thirty-first shall be effective on and
101 after July first of each year and shall be
102 effective through December thirty-first. The
103 average of the seasonally adjusted statewide
104 unemployment rates for the time period of July
105 first through September thirtieth shall be
106 effective on and after January first of each
107 year and shall be effective through June
108 thirtieth; and

109 (9) The provisions of this subsection
110 shall become effective January 1, 2016.

111 6. In the event that benefits are due a
112 deceased person and no petition has been filed
113 for the probate of the will or for the
114 administration of the estate of such person
115 within thirty days after his or her death, the
116 division may by regulation provide for the
117 payment of such benefits to such person or
118 persons as the division finds entitled thereto
119 and every such payment shall be a valid payment
120 to the same extent as if made to the legal
121 representatives of the deceased.

122 7. The division is authorized to cancel
123 any benefit warrant remaining outstanding and
124 unpaid one year after the date of its issuance
125 and there shall be no liability for the payment
126 of any such benefit warrant thereafter.

127 8. The division may establish an
128 electronic funds transfer system to transfer
129 directly to claimants' accounts in financial
130 institutions benefits payable to them pursuant
131 to this chapter. To receive benefits by
132 electronic funds transfer, a claimant shall
133 satisfactorily complete a direct deposit
134 application form authorizing the division to
135 deposit benefit payments into a designated
136 checking or savings account. Any electronic
137 funds transfer system created pursuant to this
138 subsection shall be administered in accordance
139 with regulations prescribed by the division.
140 9. The division may issue a benefit
141 warrant covering more than one week of benefits.
142 10. Prior to January 1, 2005, the division
143 shall institute procedures including, but not
144 limited to, name, date of birth, and Social
145 Security verification matches for remote claims
146 filing via the use of telephone or the internet
147 in accordance with such regulations as the
148 division shall prescribe. At a minimum, the
149 division shall verify the Social Security number
150 and date of birth when an individual claimant
151 initially files for unemployment insurance
152 benefits. If verification information does not
153 match what is on file in division databases to
154 what the individual is stating, the division
155 shall require the claimant to submit a division-
156 approved form requesting an affidavit of
157 eligibility prior to the payment of additional
158 future benefits. The division of employment
159 security shall cross-check unemployment
160 compensation applicants and recipients with
161 Social Security Administration data maintained
162 by the federal government at least weekly. The
163 division of employment security shall cross-
164 check at least monthly unemployment compensation
165 applicants and recipients with department of
166 revenue drivers license databases.]

288.060. 1. All benefits shall be paid through
2 employment offices in accordance with such regulations as
3 the division may prescribe.

4 2. Each eligible insured worker who is totally
5 unemployed in any week shall be paid for such week a sum
6 equal to his or her weekly benefit amount.

7 3. Each eligible insured worker who is partially
8 unemployed in any week shall be paid for such week a partial
9 benefit. Such partial benefit shall be an amount equal to

10 the difference between his or her weekly benefit amount and
11 that part of his or her wages for such week in excess of
12 twenty dollars, and, if such partial benefit amount is not a
13 multiple of one dollar, such amount shall be reduced to the
14 nearest lower full dollar amount. For calendar year 2007
15 and each year thereafter, such partial benefit shall be an
16 amount equal to the difference between his or her weekly
17 benefit amount and that part of his or her wages for such
18 week in excess of twenty dollars or twenty percent of his or
19 her weekly benefit amount, whichever is greater, and, if
20 such partial benefit amount is not a multiple of one dollar,
21 such amount shall be reduced to the nearest lower full
22 dollar amount. [Termination pay, severance pay, or] Pay
23 received by an eligible insured worker who is a member of
24 the organized militia for training or duty authorized by
25 Section 502(a)(1) of Title 32, United States Code, shall not
26 be considered wages for the purpose of this subsection.

27 4. The division shall compute the wage credits for
28 each individual by crediting him or her with the wages paid
29 to him or her for insured work during each quarter of his or
30 her base period or twenty-six times his or her weekly
31 benefit amount, whichever is the lesser. In addition, if a
32 claimant receives wages in the form of termination pay,
33 **vacation pay, holiday pay,** or severance pay and such payment
34 appears in a base period established by the filing of an
35 initial claim, the claimant may, at his or her option,
36 choose to have such payment included in the calendar quarter
37 in which it was paid or choose to have it prorated equally
38 among the quarters comprising the base period of the claim.
39 The maximum total amount of benefits payable to any insured
40 worker during any benefit year shall not exceed twenty times
41 his or her weekly benefit amount, or thirty-three and one-

42 third percent of his or her wage credits, whichever is the
43 lesser. For the purpose of this section, wages shall be
44 counted as wage credits for any benefit year, only if such
45 benefit year begins subsequent to the date on which the
46 employing unit by whom such wages were paid has become an
47 employer. The wage credits of an individual earned during
48 the period commencing with the end of a prior base period
49 and ending on the date on which he or she filed an allowed
50 initial claim shall not be available for benefit purposes in
51 a subsequent benefit year unless, in addition thereto, such
52 individual has subsequently earned either wages for insured
53 work in an amount equal to at least five times his or her
54 current weekly benefit amount or wages in an amount equal to
55 at least ten times his or her current weekly benefit amount.

56 5. In the event that benefits are due a deceased
57 person and no petition has been filed for the probate of the
58 will or for the administration of the estate of such person
59 within thirty days after his or her death, the division may
60 by regulation provide for the payment of such benefits to
61 such person or persons as the division finds entitled
62 thereto and every such payment shall be a valid payment to
63 the same extent as if made to the legal representatives of
64 the deceased.

65 6. The division is authorized to cancel any benefit
66 warrant remaining outstanding and unpaid one year after the
67 date of its issuance and there shall be no liability for the
68 payment of any such benefit warrant thereafter.

69 7. The division may establish an electronic funds
70 transfer system to transfer directly to claimants' accounts
71 in financial institutions benefits payable to them pursuant
72 to this chapter. To receive benefits by electronic funds
73 transfer, a claimant shall satisfactorily complete a direct

74 deposit application form authorizing the division to deposit
75 benefit payments into a designated checking or savings
76 account. Any electronic funds transfer system created
77 pursuant to this subsection shall be administered in
78 accordance with regulations prescribed by the division.

79 8. The division may issue a benefit warrant covering
80 more than one week of benefits.

81 9. Prior to January 1, 2005, the division shall
82 institute procedures including, but not limited to, name,
83 date of birth, and Social Security verification matches for
84 remote claims filing via the use of telephone or the
85 internet in accordance with such regulations as the division
86 shall prescribe. At a minimum, the division shall verify
87 the Social Security number and date of birth when an
88 individual claimant initially files for unemployment
89 insurance benefits. If verification information does not
90 match what is on file in division databases to what the
91 individual is stating, the division shall require the
92 claimant to submit a division-approved form requesting an
93 affidavit of eligibility prior to the payment of additional
94 future benefits. The division of employment security shall
95 cross-check unemployment compensation applicants and
96 recipients with Social Security Administration data
97 maintained by the federal government at least weekly. The
98 division of employment security shall cross-check at least
99 monthly unemployment compensation applicants and recipients
100 with department of revenue drivers license databases.

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