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Senator Feyen Statement on Senate Bill 1

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Madison, WI – Today, Senator Dan Feyen (R-Fond du Lac), released the following statement on Senate Bill 1:

“After the holding a hearing in January to get to the bottom of the issues within the State’s Unemployment system, my colleagues and I immediately went to work to address the problem. I am proud of my vote today on Senate Bill 1 and am excited for this to be overwhelmingly passed in the Assembly and sent to the Governor’s desk for signature.

“The COVID 19 pandemic made it clear that Unemployment in Wisconsin is in need of many fixes. This bill is a huge first step towards cleaning up the issues, but there is still a long way to go. I am looking forward to moving forward with the Department of Workforce Development on legislative fixes to ensure Wisconsinites are able to quickly and efficiently get the benefits they deserve. I am hopeful that the administration will continue to address the internal issues that have slowed down the State’s unemployment system.

“Today, in bipartisan fashion, the State Senate became part of the solution. This is not a time for political finger pointing or casting blame, this is a time to get results for the people of Wisconsin.”

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