

Appropriations Committee JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT

Bill No: SB-354 / [Bill Status](#) / [Public Hearing Testimony](#)

AN ACT CONCERNING STAFFING IN THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE
Title: BENEFITS DIVISION IN THE LABOR DEPARTMENT.

Vote Date: 4/17/2026

Vote Action: Joint Favorable

PH Date: 3/10/2026

File No.: 463

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SPONSORS OF BILL:

Labor and Public Employees Committee

REASONS FOR BILL:

See Labor and Public Employees Committee JF Report

SUBSTITUTE LANGUAGE (IF APPLICABLE):

None from the Appropriations Committee

RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:

See Labor and Public Employees Committee JF Report

NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:

See Labor and Public Employees Committee JF Report

NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:

See Labor and Public Employees Committee JF Report

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