

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Unemployment Insurance Act is amended by  
5 adding Section 1502.5 as follows:

6 (820 ILCS 405/1502.5 new)

7 Sec. 1502.5. Benefit charges.

8 A. With respect to any benefits that are paid for a week of  
9 unemployment that begins on or after January 3, 2021, and  
10 before September 4, 2021, and would not have been paid but for  
11 subsection D of Section 612, notwithstanding any other  
12 provisions to the contrary, an employer that is subject to the  
13 payment of contributions shall not be chargeable for any  
14 benefit charges.

15 B. With respect to any regular benefits paid for a week of  
16 unemployment that begins on or after January 3, 2021, and  
17 before September 4, 2021, and would not have been paid but for  
18 subsection D of Section 612, notwithstanding any other  
19 provisions to the contrary except subsection E of Section  
20 1502.4, a nonprofit organization that is subject to making  
21 payments in lieu of contributions shall be chargeable for 50%  
22 of the benefits paid if the week begins before April 4, 2021,  
23 and 75% if the week begins on or after April 4, 2021.

1       C. With respect to any benefits paid for a week of  
2 unemployment that begins on or after January 3, 2021, and  
3 before September 4, 2021, and would not have been paid but for  
4 subsection D of Section 612, notwithstanding any other  
5 provisions to the contrary except subsection E of Section  
6 1502.4 and irrespective of whether the State or local  
7 government paid the individual who received the benefits wages  
8 for insured work during the individual's base period, the  
9 State and any local government that is subject to making  
10 payments in lieu of contributions shall be chargeable for 50%  
11 of the benefits paid if the week begins before April 4, 2021,  
12 and 75% if the week begins on or after April 4, 2021.

13       Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
14 becoming law.