



Unemployment Insurance Integrity Center

Integrity Data Hub (IDH)

Participation Agreement

Amendment #2 – Identity Verification Solution

1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this amendment to the Integrity Data Hub Participation Agreement, Version 3.0 dated December 5, 2018, between the National Association of State Workforce Agencies' (NASWA) Center for Employment Security Education and Research (CESER), and the Massachusetts Department of Employment Assistance, hereinafter referred to as "State", is to add the Identity Verification Solution as part of the Integrity Data Hub.

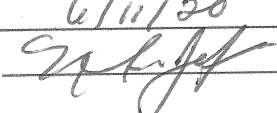
2. AMENDMENT

a. Amend Section 8 Terms and Conditions, Data Management, Data Sharing, to include the following:

- i. **Data Management, Data Sharing:** State acknowledges that participation in the Integrity Data Hub (IDH) Identity Verification Solution (IDV) requires the use of a third-party Identity Verification vendor who is subject to provisions of Section 609 of the Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA). This act specifically requires an FCRA subject vendor to log the Inquiry for compliance by updating their existing vendor Transaction Log File (TLF) that such an inquiry from NASWA was initiated. This Inquiry will result in a "soft hit" being recorded in the claimant's credit report. This "soft hit," however, has no impact on claimant credit score, is not a disputable query, and is not a part of the vendor operational, search, or analysis data. The TLF entry is stored offline with access limited to NASWA and regulatory auditors. In addition, CESER requires the IDV vendor to verifiably delete the Personally Identifiable Information and other data elements from their operational and searchable database.

By signing below, the signatories agree to bind their respective agencies/entities to the terms and conditions of this agreement. All other Aspects of the original Participation Agreement between the parties remain in effect.

Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance

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Center for Employment Security Education and Research, Inc.

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