

# First responder workplace mental injury coverage.

Sponsored By: Senator(s) Nethercott, Anderson, Anselmi-Dalton,

Baldwin, Biteman, Boner, Coe, Hutchings, Landen, Moniz, Rothfuss and Schuler and Representative(s) Brown, Lindholm, Salazar, Walters and Zwonitzer

AN ACT relating to worker's compensation; specifying when mental injury is considered a compensable injury for first responders; providing conforming changes; and providing for an effective date.

2/11/2020 Bill Number Assigned

2/12/2020 S Received for Introduction

2/13/2020 S Introduced and Referred to S10 - Labor 29-1-0-0-0

#### ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Agar, Anderson, Anselmi-Dalton, Baldwin, Bebout, Biteman, Boner, Bouchard, Coe, Dockstader, Driskill, Ellis, Gierau, Hicks, Hutchings, James, Kinskey, Kost, Landen, Moniz, Nethercott, Pappas, Perkins, Rothfuss, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz, Von Flatern, Wasserburger

Nays: Senator Case

Ayes 29 Nays 1 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

2/17/2020 S10 - Labor: Recommend Amend and Do Pass 5-0-0-0-0

### ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Baldwin, Bouchard, Pappas, Schuler, Scott Ayes 5 Nays 0 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

2/17/2020 S Placed on General File

#### SF0117SS001/ADOPTED

Page 3-line 10 Delete "The mental injury shall".

Page 3-lines 11 through 17 Delete entirely.

Page 3-line 18 Delete "compensable under this subdivision.". SCOTT,

CHAIRMAN

## SF0117SW001/ADOPTED

Page 2-line 17 Strike "or" and insert "\_"; after "psychologist" insert "or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner".

Page 3-line 6 Delete "or" and insert "\_".

Page 3-line 7 After "psychologist" insert "or psychiatric mental

health nurse practitioner".

Page 4-line 3 Before "or" insert ", search and rescue personnel".

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2/24/2020 S COW: Passed

2/25/2020 S 2nd Reading:Passed

### SF0117S3001/ADOPTED

Page 3-line 22

After "employer." insert "In no event shall any disability benefit for a compensable mental injury under this subdivision be paid in an amount that would, when combined with all other payments made to the first responder for the compensable mental injury from other sources, exceed the amount otherwise due under W.S. 27-4-403.". PERKINS

2/26/2020 S 3rd Reading: Passed 24-6-0-0-0

#### ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Agar, Anderson, Anselmi-Dalton, Baldwin, Biteman, Boner, Bouchard, Dockstader, Ellis, Gierau, Hutchings, James, Kost, Landen, Moniz, Nethercott, Pappas, Perkins, Rothfuss, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz, Von Flatern, Wasserburger

Nays: Senator(s) Bebout, Case, Coe, Driskill, Hicks, Kinskey Ayes 24 Nays 6 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

2/26/2020 H Received for Introduction

2/28/2020 H Introduced and Referred to H10 - Labor

3/3/2020 H10 - Labor: Recommend Amend and Do Pass 6-3-0-0-0

### ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Barlow, Dayton, Hallinan, Roscoe, Sweeney, Yin

Nays: Representative(s) Clem, Styvar, Wilson

Ayes 6 Nays 3 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

3/3/2020 H Placed on General File

SF0117HS001/ADOPTED (TO ENGROSSED COPY) (CORRECTED COPY)

Page 2-line 23 Strike "six (6)" and insert "thirty-six (36)".

Page 3-line 18 After "subdivision" delete balance of line.

Page 3-lines 19 through 21 Delete entirely and insert " $\underbrace{\text{extend more than}}_{\text{thirty-six}}$  (36) months beyond the diagnosis of a compensable injury.".

WILSON, CHAIRMAN

#### SF0117HW001/WITHDRAWN

3/9/2020 H COW: Passed

3/10/2020 H 2nd Reading:Passed

## SF0117H2001/ADOPTED (TO ENGROSSED COPY)

Page 4-line 1 After "means" insert "a peace officer or"

Page 4-line 2 Delete "law enforcement".

Page 4-line 3 Delete "personnel,". OLSEN, BURKHART

3/10/2020 H 2nd Reading:Passed

## SF0117H3001/FAILED (TO ENGROSSED COPY)

Page 4-line 3 After "rescue personnel" insert ", emergency room

personnel". CLEM

### SF0117H3002/FAILED

### (TO ENGROSSED COPY)

Page 3-line 5

Delete "Experienced" and insert "A depression, anxiety, acute stress or post-traumatic stress related disorder experienced". CLEM

3/11/2020 H 3rd Reading: Passed 44-16-0-0-0

#### ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Barlow, Blackburn, Blake, Brown, Burkhart, Burlingame, Clausen, Clifford, Connolly, Crank, Dayton-Selman, Duncan, Flitner, Freeman, Furphy, Gray, Haley, Harshman, Henderson, Hunt, Kinner, Kirkbride, Lindholm, Loucks, Newsome, Northrup, Obermueller, Olsen, Paxton, Pelkey, Piiparinen, Pownall, Roscoe, Salazar, Schwartz, Simpson, Sommers, Stith, Sweeney, Washut, Western, Wilson, Yin, Zwonitzer

Nays: Representative(s) Clem, Edwards, Eklund, Eyre, Greear, Hallinan, Jennings, Larsen Lloyd, Laursen Dan, Macguire, Miller, Nicholas, Styvar, Tass, Walters, Winter

Ayes 44 Nays 16 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

3/11/2020 S Received for Concurrence 3/11/2020 S Concur: Passed 24-2-4-0-0

#### ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Anselmi-Dalton, Baldwin, Bebout, Biteman, Boner, Bouchard, Dockstader, Ellis, Gierau, Hicks, Hutchings, James, Kost, Moniz, Nethercott, Pappas, Perkins, Rothfuss, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz, Von Flatern, Wasserburger

Nays: Senator(s) Case, Kinskey

Excused: Senator(s) Agar, Coe, Driskill, Landen

Ayes 24 Nays 2 Excused 4 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

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