

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 6405

January Session, 2025



Referred to Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Introduced by:

REP. ROCHELLE, 104th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE FOR FIRST RESPONDERS FOR POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS INJURIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That subparagraph (A) of subdivision (12) of subsection (a) of section
- 2 31-294k of the general statutes be amended to include incidents where a
- 3 police officer, parole officer, firefighter, emergency medical services
- 4 personnel, Department of Correction employee or telecommunicator
- 5 witnesses a serious bodily injury that does not result in death of a person
- 6 or the loss of a vital body part or a vital body function.

Statement of Purpose:

To expand workers' compensation coverage for first responders experiencing post-traumatic stress injuries.

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