

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 365

Sponsor: SENATOR BARTOLOTTA

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1 Amend Bill, page 2, line 7, by striking out the period after
2 "DEFINITIONS)" and inserting

3 , who is an active volunteer, employe or member of an EMS
4 company that is:
5 (i) designated by a municipality as the municipality's
6 primary EMS provider; or
7 (ii) dispatched by a public safety answering point as
8 defined in 35 Pa.C.S. § 5302 (relating to definitions) or in
9 accordance with a mutual aid agreement under 35 Pa.C.S. § 7504
10 (relating to coordination, assistance and mutual aid).

11 Amend Bill, page 2, line 9, by inserting after "DEFINITIONS)"
12 who responds to emergency calls

13 Amend Bill, page 2, line 12, by inserting after
14 "DEFINITIONS)"

15 who responds to emergency calls

16 Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 16 and 17

17 "Qualifying traumatic event" means an incident or exposure:
18 (1) resulting in serious bodily injury or death to an
19 individual;
20 (2) involving a minor who has been injured, killed, abused
21 or exploited;
22 (3) involving an immediate threat to the life of the
23 claimant or another individual;
24 (4) involving mass casualties; or
25 (5) responding to crime scenes for investigations.
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27 Amend Bill, page 2, line 30, by inserting after "WAS"
28 the result of the individual undergoing a qualifying
29 traumatic event and was

30 Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 5 and 6
31 (2) Workers' compensation benefits for a post-traumatic

1 stress injury suffered by an individual under paragraph (1)
2 shall be available during the period of the post-traumatic
3 stress injury, but not for a period of more than one hundred
4 four weeks.

5 Amend Bill, page 3, line 6, by striking out "(2)" and
6 inserting

7 (3)

8 Amend Bill, page 3, lines 8 through 11, by striking out
9 "MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL OR A LICENSED MENTAL HEALTH" in line 8,
10 all of lines 9 and 10 and "PRACTICE OF THE PROFESSION" in line
11 11 and inserting

12 psychologist or psychiatrist

13 Amend Bill, page 3, line 13, by striking out "(3)" and
14 inserting

15 (4)

16 Amend Bill, page 3, line 14, by striking out "within three
17 years of" and inserting

18 no later than three years after

19 Amend Bill, page 3, line 15, by striking out all of said line
20 and inserting

21 (3) and the injury shall not have occurred more than five
22 years before the effective date of this paragraph.

23 Amend Bill, page 3, line 16, by striking out "(4)" and
24 inserting

25 (5)

26 Amend Bill, page 3, line 19, by striking out "direct"

27 Amend Bill, page 3, line 19, by inserting after "the" where
28 it occurs the third time

29 qualifying

30 Amend Bill, page 3, line 21, by striking out "(5)" and
31 inserting

32 (6)

1 Amend Bill, page 3, line 22, by striking out "an employment
2 action, including" and inserting

3 a

4 Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 24 and 25

5 (7) All terms and conditions specified under this act and
6 not specifically addressed under this subsection shall remain in
7 full force and effect and shall apply to benefits provided under
8 this subsection.

9 Amend Bill, page 3, line 28, by striking out "60 days" and
10 inserting

11 one year