

Session 115 - (2003-2004)

H 4116 General Bill, By Tripp and Cato

Summary: Second Injury Fund; reimbursement for concealed or unknown preexisting condition prohibited

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 42-9-400, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE MANNER IN WHICH AN EMPLOYER OR INSURANCE CARRIER IS REIMBURSED BY THE SECOND INJURY FUND WHEN DISABILITY RESULTS FROM A PREEXISTING IMPAIRMENT AND SUBSEQUENT INJURY, SO AS TO ELIMINATE REIMBURSEMENTS FOR CONCEALED OR UNKNOWN PREEXISTING CONDITIONS; TO AMEND SECTION 42-9-410, RELATING TO REIMBURSEMENTS FROM THE SECOND INJURY FUND FOR TOTAL DISABILITY CAUSED BY A SUBSEQUENT INJURY SO AS TO ELIMINATE REIMBURSEMENTS FOR PREEXISTING IMPAIRMENTS UNKNOWN TO THE EMPLOYEE; AND TO ESTABLISH A COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY AND EFFECTS OF ABOLISHING THE SECOND INJURY FUND.

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