

95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB4690

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

820 ILCS 320/3

Amends the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act. Defines "catastrophic injury" as consequences of an injury that permanently prevent an individual from performing any gainful work. Effective immediately.

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AN ACT concerning employment.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Public Safety Employee Benefits Act is 5 amended by changing Section 3 as follows:

6 (820 ILCS 320/3)

Sec. 3. <u>Definitions</u> Definition. For the purposes of this
Act:

9 <u>"Firefighter"</u>, the term "firefighter" includes, without 10 limitation, a licensed emergency medical technician (EMT) who 11 is a sworn member of a public fire department.

12 <u>"Catastrophic injury" means consequences of an injury that</u>
13 permanently prevent an individual from performing any gainful
14 work.

15 (Source: P.A. 93-569, eff. 8-20-03.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.