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HB4131

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

820 ILCS 305/4a-1

from Ch. 48, par. 138.4a-1

Amends the Workers' Compensation Act. Makes a technical change to a Section concerning the Self-Insurers Advisory Board.

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AN ACT in relation to health in the workplace.

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

4 Section 5. The Workers' Compensation Act is amended by 5 changing Section 4a-1 as follows:

6 (820 ILCS 305/4a-1) (from Ch. 48, par. 138.4a-1)

7 Sec. 4a-1. Self-Insurers Advisory Board. The Self-Insurers Advisory Board is hereby established within the Commission for 8 9 the purpose of providing for the continuation of workers' compensation and occupational disease benefits due and unpaid 10 interrupted due to the inability of an insolvent 11 or self-insurer as defined in subsection (d) of Section 4a-2 to 12 meet its compensation obligations when the 13 employers' 14 financial resources, security deposit, guaranty agreements, surety agreements and excess insurance are either inadequate or 15 not immediately accessible for the payment of benefits, and to 16 17 review and recommend to the Chairman of the Commission the disposition of all initial and renewal applications to 18 19 self-insure filed by private self-insurers under this Act and 20 the Workers' Occupational Diseases Act.

21 (Source: P.A. 85-1385.)