

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representatives Berfield and Gannon offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 On page 29, between lines 20 and 21,
5 remove: all of said lines

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7 and insert:

8 Section 11. Subsection (7) of section 440.16, Florida
9 Statutes, is repealed:

10 440.16 Compensation for death.--

11 ~~(7) Compensation under this chapter to aliens not~~
12 ~~residents (or about to become nonresidents) of the United States~~
13 ~~or Canada shall be the same in amount as provided for residents,~~
14 ~~except that dependents in any foreign country shall be limited~~
15 ~~to surviving spouse and child or children, or if there be no~~
16 ~~surviving spouse or child or children, to surviving father or~~

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17 ~~mother whom the employee has supported, either wholly or in~~
 18 ~~part, for the period of 1 year prior to the date of the injury,~~
 19 ~~and except that the judge of compensation claims may, at the~~
 20 ~~option of the judge of compensation claims, or upon the~~
 21 ~~application of the insurance carrier, commute all future~~
 22 ~~installments of compensation to be paid to such aliens by paying~~
 23 ~~or causing to be paid to them one-half of the commuted amount of~~
 24 ~~such future installments of compensation as determined by the~~
 25 ~~judge of compensation claims, and provided further that~~
 26 ~~compensation to dependents referred to in this subsection shall~~
 27 ~~in no case exceed \$75,000.~~

28 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

29 On page 1, line 31,
 30 remove: all of said lines

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 32 and insert:
 33 cross references; repealing s. 440.15(7), F.S., relating to
 34 payment of workers' compensation benefits to dependents for the
 35 death of a nonresident alien; amending s. 440.20, F.S.;

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