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Senator Atwater moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 24, between lines 27 and 28,

insert:

Section 5. Subsection (7) of section 440.16, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

440.16 Compensation for death.--

~~(7) Compensation under this chapter to aliens not residents (or about to become nonresidents) of the United States or Canada shall be the same in amount as provided for residents, except that dependents in any foreign country shall be limited to surviving spouse and child or children, or if there be no surviving spouse or child or children, to surviving father or mother whom the employee has supported, either wholly or in part, for the period of 1 year prior to the date of the injury, and except that the judge of compensation claims may, at the option of the judge of compensation claims, or upon the application of the insurance carrier, commute all future installments of compensation to be~~

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1 ~~paid to such aliens by paying or causing to be paid to them~~
2 ~~one-half of the commuted amount of such future installments of~~
3 ~~compensation as determined by the judge of compensation~~
4 ~~claims, and provided further that compensation to dependents~~
5 ~~referred to in this subsection shall in no case exceed~~
6 ~~\$75,000.~~

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8 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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

12 And the title is amended as follows:

13 On page 2, line 1, after the semicolon,

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15 insert:

16 amending s. 440.16(7), F.S., which limits
17 workers' compensation benefits to a nonresident
18 alien for the death of the worker;

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