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Senator Ring moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 114 and 115

insert:

(8) The provisions of this chapter do not impair a claimant's right to contract with an attorney for representation in connection with a claim under this chapter; however, an attorney may not recover attorney's fees from a claimant on benefits secured for which attorney's fees have been paid by a carrier or employer under this section.

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13 And the title is amended as follows:

14 Delete line 7

15 and insert:

16 carrier or employer; providing that a claimant has the  
17 right to contract with an attorney for representation;  
18 restricting the recovery of attorney's fees by an  
19 attorney representing a claimant; providing an  
20 effective date.