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Senator Baker moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete line 165

and insert:

Section 5. Paragraphs (b) and (c) of subsection (2) of section 112.191, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

112.191 Firefighters; death benefits.-

(2)

(b) The sum of \$50,000, as adjusted pursuant to paragraph (i), shall be paid as provided in this section if a firefighter is accidentally killed as specified in paragraph (a) and the accidental death occurs as a result of the firefighter's response to what is reasonably believed to be an emergency



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14 involving the protection of life or property or the
15 firefighter's participation in a training exercise. This sum is
16 ~~shall be~~ in addition to any sum provided ~~for~~ in paragraph (a).
17 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, ~~in no case shall~~ the
18 amount payable under this subsection may not be less than the
19 actual amount stated therein.

20 (c) If a firefighter, while engaged in the performance of
21 his or her firefighter duties, is unlawfully and intentionally
22 killed, is injured by an unlawful and intentional act of another
23 person and dies as a result of such injury, dies as a result of
24 a fire which has been determined to have been caused by an act
25 of arson, or subsequently dies as a result of injuries sustained
26 therefrom, the sum of \$150,000, as adjusted pursuant to
27 paragraph (i), shall be paid as provided in this section.
28 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, ~~in no case shall~~ the
29 amount payable under this subsection may not be less than the
30 actual amount stated therein.

31 Section 6. The Legislature finds that this act fulfills an
32 important state interest.

33 Section 7. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law,
34 and applies to firefighter deaths occurring on or after November
35 1, 2003.

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

38 And the title is amended as follows:

39 Delete line 12

40 and insert:

41 additional rights; providing retroactive effect;
42 amending s. 112.191, F.S.; revising provisions



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43 providing death benefits for firefighters; expanding
44 activities entitling firefighters to death benefits to
45 include participation in training exercises and injury
46 by an unlawful and intentional act that results in
47 death; providing legislative findings that the act
48 fulfils an important state interest; providing for
49 application; providing