



**2007 Session**  
**MARYLAND GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**Workers' Compensation Legislation**

Total Number of Bills: 31

- [HB 184](#)** Status as of April 24, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 225  
Joint Committee on Workers' Compensation Benefit and Insurance Oversight - Membership  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance*
- [HB 203](#)** Status as of February 27, 2007: Bill is in the House - Withdrawn Economic Matters  
Workers' Compensation - Appeals - Admissibility of Medical Records  
House: *Economic Matters*
- [HB 271](#)** Status as of April 24, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 229  
Workers' Compensation - Unpaid Work-Based Learning Experiences - Coverage  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance*
- [HB 277](#)** Status as of April 24, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 230  
Workers' Compensation - Covered Employee - Domestic Worker  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance*
- [HB 344](#)** Status as of April 10, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 74  
Public Health Laboratories - Mutual Aid Agreements  
House: *Health and Government Operations* Senate: *Finance*
- [HB 345](#)** Status as of April 10, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 42  
Workers' Compensation Commission - Governmental Self-Insurance Groups - Investment  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance*
- [HB 480](#)** Status as of February 7, 2007: Bill is in the House - First Reading Economic Matters  
Workers' Compensation - Appeals - Evidence  
House: *Economic Matters* (Heard: February 13, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)
- [HB 527](#)** Status as of March 13, 2007: Bill is in the House - Unfavorable Economic Matters  
Labor and Employment - Subsequent Injury Fund - Renaming  
House: *Economic Matters*
- [HB 591](#)** Status as of March 23, 2007: Bill is in the House - Withdrawn Economic Matters  
Montgomery County - Workers' Compensation - Average Weekly Wage Computation MC 701-07  
House: *Economic Matters*
- [HB 615](#)** Status as of March 13, 2007: Bill is in the House - Withdrawn Economic Matters  
Workers' Compensation - Montgomery County Correctional Officers - Medical Report MC 706-07  
House: *Economic Matters*
- [HB 749](#)** Status as of March 22, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - First Reading Finance  
Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission Park Police - Workers' Compensation - Lyme Disease Presumption MC/PG 113-07  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance* (Heard: March 27, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)
- [HB 783](#)** Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 434  
Workers' Compensation - Montgomery County Correctional Officers MC 705-07  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance*
- [HB 1006](#)** Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 446  
Workers' Compensation - Benefits - Cost of Living Adjustment  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance*
- [HB 1117](#)** Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 351  
Workers' Compensation - Benefits for Dependents  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance*
- [HB 1154](#)** Status as of March 27, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - First Reading Finance  
Workers' Compensation - Occupational Disease - Anne Arundel County Deputy Sheriffs  
House: *Economic Matters* Senate: *Finance* (Heard: April 3, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)
- [HB 1231](#)** Status as of March 7, 2007: Bill is in the House - Re-referred Economic Matters  
Workers' Compensation - Medical Records - Authorized Disclosures  
House: *Economic Matters* (Heard: March 22, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)
- [HB 1261](#)** Status as of March 7, 2007: Bill is in the House - Re-referred Economic Matters



## MARYLAND WORKPLACE HEALTH CARE ASSOCIATION

- Workers' Compensation - Permanent Partial Disability - Compensation  
House: *Economic Matters* (Heard: March 22, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)
- SB 515** Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 334  
State Retirement and Pension System - Administration - Simplification  
Senate: *Budget and Taxation* House: *Appropriations*
- SB 549** Status as of February 6, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - First Reading Finance  
Workers' Compensation - Jurisdiction of Commission Pending Appeal - Temporary Total Disability  
Senate: *Finance* (Heard: February 20, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)
- SB 550** Status as of February 6, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - First Reading Finance  
Workers' Compensation - Appeals - Evidence  
Senate: *Finance* (Heard: February 20, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)
- SB 599** Status as of March 21, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Unfavorable Finance  
Health - Disclosure of Medical Records - Cases Before the Workers' Compensation Commission  
Senate: *Finance*
- SB 600** Status as of April 24, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 167  
Workers' Compensation Commission - Authorization for Release of Medical Information - Work-Related Injury or Occupational Disease  
Senate: *Finance* House: *Economic Matters*
- SB 602** Status as of March 21, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Unfavorable Finance  
Workers' Compensation - Temporary Total Disability - Exclusion  
Senate: *Finance*
- SB 625** Status as of April 10, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 41  
Workers' Compensation Commission - Governmental Self-Insurance Groups - Investment  
Senate: *Finance* House: *Economic Matters*
- SB 712** Status as of March 15, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Recommit to Committee Finance  
Workers' Compensation - Covered Employees - Benefits  
Senate: *Finance*
- SB 722** Status as of April 1, 2007: Bill is in the House - First Reading House Rules and Executive Nominations  
Baltimore City - Sheriff's Office and Police Department - Compensation - Study and Report  
Senate: *Judicial Proceedings* House: *House Rules and Executive Nominations*
- SB 745** Status as of April 10, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 52  
Officer Pieter Lucas Act  
Senate: *Finance* House: *Economic Matters*
- SB 752** Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 350  
Workers' Compensation - Benefits for Dependents  
Senate: *Finance* House: *Economic Matters*
- SB 765** Status as of May 17, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 575  
Workers' Compensation Insurance - Notice - Premiums  
Senate: *Finance* House: *Economic Matters*
- SB 929** Status as of March 6, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Re-referred Finance  
Workers' Compensation Insurance - Subrogation Rights of Insurers  
Senate: *Finance* (Heard: March 20, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)
- SB 930** Status as of March 6, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Re-referred Finance  
Workers' Compensation Insurance - Adjustments to Experience Rating Plans  
Senate: *Finance* (Heard: March 20, 2007, 1:00 p.m.)



**2007 Session**  
**MARYLAND GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**90 DAY REPORT**  
**Workers' Compensation**

**Covered Employees**

**Private School Students – Unpaid Work-based Learning Experiences**

Just as employers of public school students who participate in unpaid work-based learning experience must secure workers' compensation coverage for these students, *House Bill 271 (passed)* requires employers to provide coverage to private school students participating in an unpaid work-based learning experience. Students are eligible for medical benefits, but not indemnity, as they work without pay. Of the 1,050,627 students enrolled in Maryland schools during the 2005-2006 school year, approximately 18 percent of those students, or 190,606 students, attended private schools. An unpaid work-based learning experience is a structured employer-supervised work program that links with classroom instruction. The terms of the placement are based on a written agreement between a county board of education and a participating employer. Under the bill, workers' compensation coverage for unpaid work-based learning experiences is limited to students placed by a county board of education or a private noncollegiate institution.

**Domestic Workers**

Employers of domestic workers who earn at least \$750 per quarter must provide workers' compensation coverage to that employee. A domestic worker earning less than \$750 may jointly elect with the employer to become a covered employee, but employers are exempt from the requirement that the domestic worker be covered. Chapter 207 of 1996 provided the last increase in the minimum earning threshold for workers' compensation coverage for domestic workers, raising the quarterly minimum threshold for coverage from \$250 to \$750. *House Bill 277 (passed)* exempts employers from providing workers' compensation coverage for domestic workers who earn less than \$1,000 per quarter.

**Benefits**

**Cost-of-living Adjustment**

As part of comprehensive workers' compensation reform, a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) to workers' compensation payments for permanent total disability injuries was made part of the Maryland statutory benefit provisions beginning in 1988. *House Bill 1006 (passed)* requires the Injured Workers' Insurance Fund (IWIF) to provide a COLA for permanent total disability payments arising from injuries occurring before January 1, 1998. Counties and municipalities, as well as nongovernmental units, are authorized to provide a COLA for pre-1998 events at their discretion. The bill applies retroactively to compensation paid by IWIF on or after October 1, 2006, and will affect approximately 140 claimants, including 43 workers who were injured while working for the State. The fiscal impact to the State is estimated at \$3 million over a 22-year period.



### **Benefits for Dependents**

*Senate Bill 752/House Bill 1117 (both passed)* restore the practice in place prior to a Court of Appeals decision by allowing dependents of public safety personnel who died from an occupational disease to collect workers' compensation benefits in addition to retirement benefits. In *Johnson v. Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City* and *Luster v. Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City*, 387 Md. 1 (2005), the Court of Appeals held that the dependents of firefighters who die from occupational disease are subject to a reduction of workers' compensation death benefits under the Workers' Compensation Act to the extent of death benefits under a service pension plan. The court noted that absent statutory language specifically stating that an "individual and his or her dependents" are entitled to dual benefits, the widows of the fallen firefighters would have had a much better claim for entitlement to dual benefits. The bills entitle dependents of firefighting personnel, police officers, correctional officers, and deputy sheriffs to collect retirement benefits, as well as workers' compensation benefits, when the covered employees' death resulted from heart disease, hypertension, lung disease, or certain cancers. Under the bills, workers' compensation benefits are adjusted so that the weekly total of both sets of benefits do not exceed the weekly salary that was paid to the deceased public safety personnel.

### **Governmental Self-insurance Groups**

*Senate Bill 625/House Bill 345 (both passed and enrolled as Chs. 41 and 42)* require the Workers' Compensation Commission to adopt regulations to permit the investment of surplus funds in equities, provided that equity investments do not exceed 30 percent of the surplus monies. The guidelines must further:

- state the types of investment in which monies may be invested;
- include guidance for the prudent investment of monies based on claim experience, cash flow projections, income liquidity, investment ratings, and risk;
- authorize investments of up to 30 percent of surplus monies in equities;
- require that monies not invested in equities be invested according to current State law; and
- prohibit borrowing of funds for the express purpose of investing those funds.

The only governmental self-insurance group affected by Chapters 41 and 42 is the Maryland Association of Boards of Education, which suffered negative returns on investments in 2004 and 2006.

### **Howard County Auxiliary Officers**

Howard County auxiliary police officers are private citizens trained to provide uniformed volunteer services. *Senate Bill 745 (both passed and enrolled as Ch. 52)*, also known as the "Officer Pieter Lucas Act," was introduced in the General Assembly after Howard County unsuccessfully argued before the Workers' Compensation Commission that an auxiliary police officer struck by a vehicle in the line of duty did not qualify for workers' compensation coverage. Chapter 52 clarifies that an auxiliary police officer in Howard County, while on duty, is a covered employee for purposes of workers' compensation coverage.



## **Montgomery County Correctional Officers**

*House Bill 783 (passed)* adds Montgomery County correctional officers to the list of public safety officers eligible for enhanced benefits for a permanent partial disability. Correctional officers awarded claims of fewer than 75 weeks would instead be compensated at the rate for awards of 75 to 250 weeks. Under the bill, Montgomery County must pay a correctional officer two-thirds of the correctional officer's average weekly wage, not to exceed one-third of the State average weekly wage.

## **Release of Medical Information**

Chapter 503 of 2005 prohibits health care providers from providing medical information without an injured person's authorization unless the person has been given notice of the request (in a subpoena) and has 30 days to object that the medical information is not relevant to the issues of the workers' compensation case, the request unduly invades the person's privacy, or causes the person specific harm. As a result, parties to a workers' compensation case have not always been able to obtain a record prior to a hearing on the case before the Workers' Compensation Commission and the hearing may be postponed. Prior to this Act, an injured person was not provided 30 days to object for the release of medical information. *Senate Bill 600 (passed)* requires a health care provider to disclose a medical record on receipt of an authorization for the release of medical information that is included with a claim application form filed with the Workers' Compensation Commission. The bill is the result of extensive discussions in the 2006 interim among insurers and employee and employer representatives over how to address privacy concerns and the delays caused by the system in place as the result of Chapter 503 of 2005. Under the bill, a claim application form filed for accidental personal injury or occupational disease must include an authorization by the claimant for the release of medical information, including information on the member of the body that was injured and a description of how the injury occurred. An authorization for the release of medical information includes history, findings, patient charts, files, examination and progress notes, and physical evidence. The authorization is effective for one year after a claim is filed and does not restrict the redisclosure of medical information to a medical manager, health care professional, or certified rehabilitation practitioner. If the medical provider determines that information being requested is not relevant to the injured body part, the requestor will need to obtain a subpoena from the Workers' Compensation Commission in order for the information to be provided by the medical provider.

## **Notice of Insurance Premium Information**

Chapter 580 of 2006 made various changes to State law relating to cancellation and nonrenewal of insurance policies, effective January 1, 2007. Among these changes, the Act repealed provisions requiring insurers to provide notice of renewal premiums 17 days prior to the due date in favor of a 45-day notice period applicable only to renewal of personal insurance and private passenger motor vehicle liability insurance policies. In creating separate notice requirements for commercial and personal insurance policies, Chapter 580 retained the 45-day notification requirements for renewal premium increases of 20 percent or more but only made it applicable to commercial insurance policies. The definition of "commercial insurance" (1) includes property or casualty insurance intended to insure against loss arising from the business pursuits of the insured entity; and (2) does not include workers' compensation insurance.



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<a href="#"><b>HB 184</b></a>	<b>Status as of April 24, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 225</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegates Krysiak, Kirk, and McHale	
<b>Entitled</b>	Joint Committee on Workers' Compensation Benefit and Insurance Oversight - Membership	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	
<a href="#"><b>HB 203</b></a>	<b>Status as of February 27, 2007: Bill is in the House - Withdrawn Economic Matters</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegates Smigiel, Conaway, Costa, Dwyer, Eckardt, Elmore, Frank, George, Haddaway, McConkey, and Simmons	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Appeals - Admissibility of Medical Records	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters	
<a href="#"><b>HB 271</b></a>	<b>Status as of April 24, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 229</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegates Stifler, George, Glassman, Shewell, and Taylor	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Unpaid Work-Based Learning Experiences - Coverage	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	
<a href="#"><b>HB 277</b></a>	<b>Status as of April 24, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 230</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegate Rosenberg	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Covered Employee - Domestic Worker	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	



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<a href="#"><u>HB 344</u></a>	<b>Status as of April 10, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 74</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegate Pendergrass	
<b>Entitled</b>	Public Health Laboratories - Mutual Aid Agreements	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Health and Government Operations Senate: Finance	

<a href="#"><u>HB 345</u></a>	<b>Status as of April 10, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 42</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegate Feldman	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation Commission - Governmental Self-Insurance Groups - Investment	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	

<a href="#"><u>HB 480</u></a>	<b>Status as of February 7, 2007: Bill is in the House - First Reading Economic Matters</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegate McHale	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Appeals - Evidence	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters	

<a href="#"><u>HB 527</u></a>	<b>Status as of March 13, 2007: Bill is in the House - Unfavorable Economic Matters</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegates Barve and Simmons	
<b>Entitled</b>	Labor and Employment - Subsequent Injury Fund - Renaming	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters	

<a href="#"><u>HB 591</u></a>	<b>Status as of March 23, 2007: Bill is in the House - Withdrawn Economic Matters</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Montgomery County Delegation	
<b>Entitled</b>	Montgomery County - Workers' Compensation - Average Weekly Wage Computation MC 701-07	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters	



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<a href="#"><u>HB 615</u></a>	<b>Status as of March 13, 2007: Bill is in the House - Withdrawn Economic Matters</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Montgomery County Delegation	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Montgomery County Correctional Officers - Medical Report MC 706-07	
<b>Committee</b>	House: Economic Matters	

<a href="#"><u>HB 749</u></a>	<b>Status as of March 22, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - First Reading Finance</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Montgomery County Delegation and Prince George's County Delegation	
<b>Entitled</b>	Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission Park Police - Workers' Compensation - Lyme Disease Presumption MC/PG 113-07	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	


<a href="#"><u>HB 783</u></a>	<b>Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 434</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Montgomery County Delegation	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Montgomery County Correctional Officers MC 705-07	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	


<a href="#"><u>HB 1006</u></a>	<b>Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 446</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegates Kach, Harrison, Braveboy, Impallaria, Hecht, Manno, McHale, Walkup, Krysiak, Minnick, Burns, Love, J. King, Stifler, and Vaughn	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Benefits - Cost of Living Adjustment	
<b>Committee</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	


<a href="#"><u>HB 1117</u></a>	<b>Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 351</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegates Kirk, Anderson, Benson, Conaway, Glenn, Hammen, Harrison, Haynes, Krysiak, McHale, McIntosh, O'Donnell, Robinson, Rosenberg, Stukes, Braveboy, Vaughn, and Manno	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Benefits for Dependents	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	





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<a href="#"><u>HB 1154</u></a>	Status as of March 27, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - First Reading Finance	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Anne Arundel County Delegation	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Occupational Disease - Anne Arundel County Deputy Sheriffs	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters Senate: Finance	

<a href="#"><u>HB 1231</u></a>	Status as of March 7, 2007: Bill is in the House - Re-referred Economic Matters	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegate Krysiak	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Medical Records - Authorized Disclosures	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters	


<a href="#"><u>HB 1261</u></a>	Status as of March 7, 2007: Bill is in the House - Re-referred Economic Matters	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Delegates Schuler, Barnes, and Smigiel	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Permanent Partial Disability - Compensation	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	House: Economic Matters	


<a href="#"><u>SB 515</u></a>	Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 334	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Kramer (Chair, Joint Committee on Pensions)	
<b>Entitled</b>	State Retirement and Pension System - Administration - Simplification	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Budget and Taxation House: Appropriations	


<a href="#"><u>SB 549</u></a>	Status as of February 6, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - First Reading Finance	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Garagiola	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Jurisdiction of Commission Pending Appeal - Temporary Total Disability	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance	





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<a href="#"><u>SB 550</u></a>	<b>Status as of February 6, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - First Reading Finance</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Garagiola	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Appeals - Evidence	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance	

<a href="#"><u>SB 599</u></a>	<b>Status as of March 21, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Unfavorable Finance</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Kittleman	
<b>Entitled</b>	Health - Disclosure of Medical Records - Cases Before the Workers' Compensation Commission	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance	


<a href="#"><u>SB 600</u></a>	<b>Status as of April 24, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 167</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Kittleman	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation Commission - Authorization for Release of Medical Information - Work-Related Injury or Occupational Disease	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance House: Economic Matters	


<a href="#"><u>SB 602</u></a>	<b>Status as of March 21, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Unfavorable Finance</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Kittleman	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Temporary Total Disability - Exclusion	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance	


<a href="#"><u>SB 625</u></a>	<b>Status as of April 10, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 41</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Garagiola	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation Commission - Governmental Self-Insurance Groups - Investment	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance House: Economic Matters	





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<a href="#"><u>SB 712</u></a>	<b>Status as of March 15, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Recommit to Committee Finance</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Kittleman	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Covered Employees - Benefits	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance	

<a href="#"><u>SB 722</u></a>	<b>Status as of April 1, 2007: Bill is in the House - First Reading House Rules and Executive Nominations</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senators Conway, Della, Jones, McFadden, and Pugh	
<b>Entitled</b>	Baltimore City - Sheriff's Office and Police Department - Compensation - Study and Report	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Judicial Proceedings House: House Rules and Executive Nominations	

<a href="#"><u>SB 745</u></a>	<b>Status as of April 10, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 52</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Howard County Senators	
<b>Entitled</b>	Officer Pieter Lucas Act	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance House: Economic Matters	

<a href="#"><u>SB 752</u></a>	<b>Status as of May 8, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 350</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Exum	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation - Benefits for Dependents	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance House: Economic Matters	

<a href="#"><u>SB 765</u></a>	<b>Status as of May 17, 2007: Became Law - Chapter 575</b>	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Exum	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation Insurance - Notice - Premiums	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance House: Economic Matters	



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<a href="#"><u>SB 929</u></a>	Status as of March 6, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Re-referred Finance	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Kittleman	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation Insurance - Subrogation Rights of Insurers	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance	

<a href="#"><u>SB 930</u></a>	Status as of March 6, 2007: Bill is in the Senate - Re-referred Finance	
<b>Sponsored By</b>	Senator Kittleman	
<b>Entitled</b>	Workers' Compensation Insurance - Adjustments to Experience Rating Plans	
<b>Committee Assignments</b>	Senate: Finance	

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