

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 18

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE NEUMAN

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, line 9, by inserting after "injuries"
2 and for compensation computation

3 Amend Bill, page 7, by inserting between lines 15 and 16

4 Section 1.2. Section 309 of the act is amended by adding a
5 clause to read:

6 Section 309. Wherever in this article the term "wages" is
7 used, it shall be construed to mean the average weekly wages of
8 the employe, ascertained as follows:

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10 (f) Where the employer has been paying the cost of
11 claimant's medical coverage, in whole or in part, those costs
12 shall be included in any calculation of claimant's average
13 weekly wage. If the employer continues to pay medical coverage
14 for the claimant after the work injury, the employer is entitled
15 to a credit for the amount being paid. However, if coverage
16 stops at any time subsequent to the work injury, the costs for
17 payment of that coverage will be included in the calculation of
18 the average weekly wage.