

Workers' Compensation Legislation
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- HB123** **WORKERS' COMPENSATION BUDGET** (HOTTINGER J) To allow the administrator of Workers' Compensation to waive criteria certain public employers must satisfy to become self-insuring employers; to require bills for medical and vocational rehabilitation services in claims that are ultimately denied to be paid from the Surplus Fund Account under specified circumstances; to make appropriations for the Bureau of Workers' Compensation and for the Workers' Compensation Council for the biennium beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2013; and to provide authorization and conditions for the operation of the Bureau's and the Council's programs.
Current Status: 4/25/2011 - **SIGNED BY GOVERNOR**; Some provisions eff. 4/25/11; others 7/29/11
More Information: http://www.legislature.state.oh.us/bills.cfm?ID=129_HB_123
- HB124** **INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION BUDGET** (HOTTINGER J) To set appropriations for the Industrial Commission for the biennium beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2013, and to provide authorization and conditions for the operation of Commission programs.
Current Status: 4/25/2011 - **SIGNED BY GOVERNOR**; Eff. 4/25/11
More Information: http://www.legislature.state.oh.us/bills.cfm?ID=129_HB_124
- HB186** **PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYER ORGANIZATION LAW** (ADAMS R) To establish certain financial capacity requirements for professional employer organizations, clarify rights and liabilities of professional employer organizations and client employers, and to make other changes to the professional employer organization law.
Current Status: 6/1/2011 - **BILL AMENDED**, House Commerce & Labor, (Third Hearing)
More Information: http://www.legislature.state.oh.us/bills.cfm?ID=129_HB_186
- HB252** **IMMIGRATION STATUS-CONVICTED FELON** (YOUNG R) To require a prosecuting attorney to ask the Immigration and Naturalization Service of the United States to verify or ascertain the immigration status of an offender who has been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a felony, to require a prosecuting attorney if the INS informs the prosecutor that the offender is an illegal alien to notify the alleged felon's employer, the Department of Job and Family Services, the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, and the Secretary of State, to make illegal aliens ineligible for certain state public benefits, and to prohibit the Registrar of Motor Vehicles from issuing a driver's license to an alleged felon with respect to whom a prosecuting attorney has given the Registrar the above notice and require the Registrar to cancel any driver's licenses issued to such an alleged felon.
Current Status: 6/8/2011 - Referred to Committee House Transportation, Public Safety and Homeland Security
More Information: tp://www.legislature.state.oh.us/bills.cfm?ID=129_HB_252
- SB139** **PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYER ORGANIZATION LAW** (HUGHES J) To establish certain financial capacity requirements for professional employer organizations, clarify rights and liabilities of professional employer organizations and client employers, and make other changes to the professional employer organization law.
Current Status: 9/20/2011 - **BILL AMENDED**, Senate Insurance, Commerce & Labor, (Third Hearing)
More Information: http://www.legislature.state.oh.us/bills.cfm?ID=129_SB_139