

2003 Legislature - Work Comp Bills Approved/Signed into Law			
SJR17	Tester	study simplification of work comp laws	
SB36	Grimes at req. of Supreme Crt	water commissioner to have work comp ins., clarifying contributors to commsr's work comp cost, etc.	85-5-101 (Appt. of water commissioners)
SB108	McNutt at req. of DOLI	Generally revising work comp laws, incl. independent contractor exemptions, UE fund balance, late fees, etc., clarifying def. of "person w/disability" etc.	39-71-401, 39-71-503, 39-71-504, 39-71-506, 39-71-520, 39-71-901, 39-71-911, 39-71-915, 39-71-1004
SB216	Cocchiarella, Bergren, Elliott, Facey, Galvin-Halcro, Glaser, Keane, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Laible, Mahlum, Matthews, McNutt, Shea, Tash, F. Thomas, Wanzenried	requirements after termination from self-insurers' guaranty fund	39-71-2615
SB270	Harrington, Squires, Wanzenried	Commsr Labor/Ind. to appt advisory committee to define "independent contractor" and study exemptions. Rept to EAIC	
SB282	Squires	Decreases by 8hours/1day time in which claimant may not be pd because of an injury	39-71-736
SB360	F. Thomas	restrictions on use/transfer of State Fund-collected money	39-71-2316, 39-71-2320, 39-71-2322, 39-71-2327
SB450	Cocchiarella, Brueggeman, Cyr, Keane, Mahlum, Matthews, McNutt, Roush, F. Thomas, Tropicila, Wilson	disclosure of health care information authorized, bar put on atty's fees under common fund doctrine, excluding impairment ratings based only on pain, increasing permanent partial disability benefit period	amending 39-71-604, 39-71-611, 39-71-612, 39-71-703, 50-16-527

HB110	Lange	eliminates worker liability for chrgs from medical providers, except for ER visits, and for subsequent insurer-req. treatment	amending 39-71-704
HB164	Callahan	removes COLA limit on permanent total disability benefits	amending 39-71-702
HB410	Younkin	revises insurer liability re: employers who provide travel incentive rather than reimbursemt	amending 39-71-407
HB577	Brueggeman	expands authority for creating reciprocal insurer for work comp purposes to 8 or more employers with 500 or more employees (total)	amending 33-5-201