

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2005 and 2006 SB2332

Introduced 1/12/2006, by Sen. Dan Cronin

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

820 ILCS 320/3

Amends the Public Safety Employee Benefits Act. Defines "catastrophic injury" as consequences of an injury that permanently prevent an individual from performing any gainful work. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning employment.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The Public Safety Employee Benefits Act is
- 5 amended by changing Section 3 as follows:
- 6 (820 ILCS 320/3)
- 7 Sec. 3. Definitions Definition. For the purposes of this
- 8 Act:
- 9 "Firefighter" , the term "firefighter" includes, without
- 10 limitation, a licensed emergency medical technician (EMT) who
- is a sworn member of a public fire department.
- 12 "Catastrophic injury" means consequences of an injury that
- permanently prevent an individual from performing any gainful
- 14 <u>work.</u>
- 15 (Source: P.A. 93-569, eff. 8-20-03.)
- 16 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 17 becoming law.