

# HOUSE BILL 220

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Assigned to: Economic Matters

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Injured Workers' Insurance Fund Employees – Registration as Registered**  
3 **Lobbyists**

4 FOR the purpose of authorizing an employee of the Injured Workers' Insurance Fund  
5 to register and maintain registration as a registered lobbyist under certain  
6 circumstances; and generally relating to the registration of Injured Workers'  
7 Insurance Fund employees as registered lobbyists.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
9 Article – Labor and Employment  
10 Section 10–102(f)  
11 Annotated Code of Maryland  
12 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
14 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

15 **Article – Labor and Employment**

16 10–102.

17 (f) (1) Employees of the Fund may be assigned to perform functions of the  
18 Company under a contract between the Fund and the Company.

19 (2) The Company and the Fund shall annually execute an agreement  
20 that lists the employees of the Fund who have been assigned to perform duties on  
21 behalf of the Company.

22 (3) The agreement shall:

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (i) specify the employees who will be utilized by the Company  
2 and the Fund;

3 (ii) provide that, except with respect to assets necessary for the  
4 Fund to perform its duties under this subtitle, all assets and liabilities of the Fund are  
5 the assets and liabilities of the Company; and

6 (iii) be filed with the Administration.

7 **(4) NOTWITHSTANDING § 15-703(F)(3)(I) OF THE STATE**  
8 **GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, AN EMPLOYEE OF THE FUND MAY REGISTER AND**  
9 **MAINTAIN REGISTRATION AS A REGULATED LOBBYIST IF THE EMPLOYEE:**

10 **(I) IS ASSIGNED TO PERFORM FUNCTIONS OF THE**  
11 **COMPANY UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR WHICH AN**  
12 **EMPLOYEE OF THE COMPANY WOULD BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER; AND**

13 **(II) REGISTERS ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY.**

14 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
15 October 1, 2014.