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By: **Senator McFadden (Baltimore City Administration)**

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Workers' Compensation - Self-Insured Local Government - Compensation**
3 **Prohibited**

4 FOR the purpose of providing that an employee of a self-insured local government
5 may not receive certain workers' compensation benefits even if the benefits are
6 otherwise payable for an injury otherwise compensable and the employee has
7 previously applied for and received benefits.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
9 Article - Insurance
10 Section 19-513(e)
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (1997 Volume and 1999 Supplement)

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

15 **Article - Insurance**

16 19-513.

17 (e) (1) Benefits payable under the coverages described in §§ 19-505 and
18 19-509 of this subtitle shall be reduced to the extent that the recipient has recovered
19 benefits under the workers' compensation laws of a state or the federal government.

20 (2) EVEN IF THE INJURED EMPLOYEE HAS PREVIOUSLY FILED A CLAIM
21 FOR AND RECEIVED BENEFITS, AN EMPLOYEE OF A SELF-INSURED LOCAL
22 GOVERNMENT MAY NOT RECEIVE BENEFITS OTHERWISE PAYABLE FOR INJURIES
23 OTHERWISE COMPENSABLE UNDER §§ 19-505 AND 19-509 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

24 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
25 October 1, 2000.