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## S\*0282 (Rat #0164, Act #0092 of 1983) General Bill, By Senate Judiciary Similar (S 0166)

A Bill to amend the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, by adding Section 42-1-175, so as to define "surviving spouse" for purposes of Title 42 (Workers' Compensation); to amend Title 42 by substituting the term "surviving spouse" for the terms "widow" and "widower"; to amend Section 42-7-65, relating to, among other things, the designation of the average weekly wage of members of the State and National Guard, volunteer firemen, and volunteer rescue squad members, so as to provide that the total average weekly wage for all voluntary firemen of organized voluntary rural fire units, voluntary municipal firemen, and all members of organized volunteer rescue squads is thirty-seven and one-half percent of the average weekly wage in the State for the preceding fiscal year, to provide that no organized volunteer firemen or rescue squad members shall be included under the provisions of Title 42 unless approved by the governing body of the county or municipality, and to delete the provision that it is the responsibility of the governing body of each county and municipality receiving the services of voluntary firemen and voluntary rescue squad members to insure that such personnel are covered under Title 42; to amend the 1976 Code by adding Section 42-9-301, so as to provide for lump sum payments of Workers' Compensation under certain conditions and for the burden of proof, in appeal proceedings, as to abuse of discretion in a finding by the Industrial Commission for a lump sum payment; and to repeal Sections 42-1-180 and 42-1-190, relating to the definitions of "widow" and "widower", respectively, and Section 42-9-300, relating to lump sum payments of Workers' Compensation under certain conditions and the burden of proof as to abuse of discretion, in appeal proceedings, regarding lump sum payments.-amended title

Introduced, read first time, placed on calendar without reference SJ-594

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03/17/83	Senate	Read third time and sent to House SJ-746
03/22/83	House	Introduced and read first time HJ-1616
03/22/83	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-1616
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05/12/83	House	Read second time HJ-2817
05/17/83	House	Amended HJ-2892
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05/17/83	House	Returned HJ-2893
05/26/83	Senate	House amendment amended SJ-1511
05/26/83	Senate	Returned SJ-1513
05/30/83	Senate	Recalled from House SJ-1628
05/31/83	House	Returned HJ-3260
05/31/83	Senate	Reconsidered SJ-1644
05/31/83	Senate	House amendment amended SJ-1644
05/31/83	Senate	Returned SJ-1646
05/31/83	House	Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled HJ-3285
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