

(2) A REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS, PROVIDED THAT THE COVERED EMPLOYEE'S TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS WERE GRANTED IN THE ORDER ON APPEAL, AND WERE TERMINATED BY THE INSURER OR SELF-INSURER PENDING ADJUDICATION OR RESOLUTION OF THE APPEAL.

(b) (1) If the Commission finds that a covered employee needs additional medical attention pending an appeal, the Commission may pass a supplemental order requiring the employer to provide additional medical treatment and attention.

(2) IF THE COMMISSION FINDS THAT A COVERED EMPLOYEE NEEDS EMPLOYEE'S TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS WERE TERMINATED PENDING AN ADJUDICATION OR RESOLUTION OF THE APPEAL, AND THAT THE EMPLOYEE WAS TEMPORARILY TOTALLY DISABLED AT THE TIME OF TERMINATION, THE COMMISSION MAY PASS A SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER REQUIRING THE EMPLOYER TO PROVIDE THE EMPLOYEE WITH TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS.

(3) IF THE COMMISSION'S DECISION TO REINSTATE TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS IS REVERSED OR MODIFIED ON APPEAL, THE INSURER OR SELF-INSURER SHALL BE ENTITLED TO AN OFFSET OR CREDIT FOR OVERPAYMENT OF THE TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS GRANTED IN THE SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER.

(c) A supplemental order passed by the Commission under this section is subject to review on the pending appeal.

(d) When an appeal that is pending relates solely to a penalty imposed by the Commission, the Commission retains jurisdiction over all matters in the case other than imposition of the penalty.

(E) THIS SECTION MAY NOT BE CONSTRUED TO PREVENT THE COMMISSION FROM ORDERING AN OFFSET OR CREDIT AGAINST AN AWARD FOR TEMPORARY TOTAL OR PERMANENT PARTIAL DISABILITY BENEFITS FOR ANY TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS PREVIOUSLY PAID TO A COVERED EMPLOYEE, AS AUTHORIZED UNDER ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS TITLE.

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

May 18, 2000

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 592 – Juvenile Law – Juvenile Court Jurisdiction – Peace Orders.

This bill transfers jurisdiction over peace order proceedings in which the respondent