

# SENATE BILL No. 420

May 3, 1989, Introduced by Senators DILLINGHAM, CRUCE,  
CROPSEY, SCHWARZ and DI NELLO and referred to the  
Committee on Human Resources and Senior Citizens.

A bill to amend the title and section 266 of Act No. 317 of  
the Public Acts of 1969, entitled as amended  
"Worker's disability compensation act of 1969,"  
as added by Act No. 103 of the Public Acts of 1985, being section  
418.266 of the Michigan Compiled Laws; and to repeal certain  
parts of the act on specific dates.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Section 1. The title and section 266 of Act No. 317 of the  
2       Public Acts of 1969, as added by Act No. 103 of the Public Acts  
3       of 1985, being section 418.266 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, are  
4       amended to read as follows:

### TITLE

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6       An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to  
7       worker's disability compensation; to increase the administrative  
8       efficiency of the adjudicative processes of the worker's

1 compensation system; to improve the qualifications of the persons  
2 having adjudicative functions within the worker's compensation  
3 system; to prescribe certain powers and duties; to create the  
4 board of worker's compensation magistrates and the worker's com-  
5 pensation appellate commission; to provide certain procedures for  
6 the resolution of claims, including mediation and arbitration; to  
7 prescribe certain benefits for persons suffering a personal  
8 injury under the act; to prescribe certain limitations on obtain-  
9 ing benefits under the act; TO REPEAL CERTAIN PARTS OF THIS ACT  
10 ON SPECIFIC DATES; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts.

11       Sec. 266. (1) ~~Sections 251, 255, 261, 265, 851a, and 859~~  
12 ~~are~~ SECTION 251 IS repealed as of July 1, 1989. ~~or when there~~  
13 ~~are no more cases to be decided by the appeal board, whichever~~  
14 ~~occurs first.~~ SECTIONS 252 AND 261 ARE REPEALED SEPTEMBER 30,  
15 1991.

16       (2) If any cases are to be remanded to the appeal board by a  
17 court after the board CREATED PURSUANT TO SECTION 251 no longer  
18 exists, those cases shall be remanded to and decided by the  
19 ~~appellate commission established~~ APPEAL BOARD CREATED under  
20 section ~~274~~ 252.

21       (3) ~~If any~~ THE cases THAT remain to be decided by the  
22 board on the date that section 251 is repealed as provided for in  
23 subsection (1) ~~, those cases~~ shall be reviewed and decided by  
24 the ~~appellate commission~~ APPEAL BOARD CREATED PURSUANT TO  
25 SECTION 252.

26       (4) ~~Any review of cases by the appellate commission~~  
27 ~~pursuant to subsection (2) or (3) shall be according to the law~~

1 ~~applicable to reviews conducted by the appeal board.~~ IF ANY  
2 CASES ARE TO BE REMANDED TO THE APPEAL BOARD BY A COURT AFTER THE  
3 BOARD CREATED PURSUANT TO SECTION 252 NO LONGER EXISTS, THOSE  
4 CASES SHALL BE REMANDED TO AND DECIDED BY THE APPEAL BOARD CRE-  
5 ATED UNDER SECTION 253.

6 (5) THE CASES THAT REMAIN TO BE DECIDED BY THE BOARD ON THE  
7 DATE THAT SECTION 252 IS REPEALED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUBSECTION  
8 (1) SHALL BE REVIEWED AND DECIDED BY THE APPEAL BOARD CREATED  
9 PURSUANT TO SECTION 253.

10 Section 2. This amendatory act shall not take effect unless  
11 all of the following bills of the 85th Legislature are enacted  
12 into law:

13 (a) Senate Bill No. 419.

14 (b) Senate Bill No. 421.

15 (c) Senate Bill No. 422.