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S.P. 72

In Senate, January 16, 2007

An Act To Amend the Laws Concerning the Assessment of Rates for Workers' Compensation

Reference to the Committee on Insurance and Financial Services suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Joy J. O'Brien'.

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator PLOWMAN of Penobscot.
Cosponsored by Senators: HASTINGS of Oxford, NASS of York, ROSEN of Hancock,
STRIMLING of Cumberland.

1 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

2 **Sec. 1. 24-A MRSA §2382-C, sub-§1-A** is enacted to read:

3 **1-A. Proportionate classification on basis of work activities.** In accordance with
4 subsection 1, an insurer shall develop subclassifications of the uniform classification
5 system under section 2382-B that reasonably reflect the proportionate exposure to claims
6 based on differences in work activities to determine the rate for certain occupations.

7 **SUMMARY**

8 This bill requires workers' compensation insurers to develop rates that reflect the
9 differences in work activities and exposure to risk of injury for certain occupations.