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SENATE BILL 154

46TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2003 INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

RELATING TO INSURANCE; LIMITING THE REQUIREMENT TO PROVIDE

PROOF OF A DISABILITY TO AN EMPLOYER FOR INSURANCE; ENACTING A

NEW SECTION OF THE NEW MEXICO INSURANCE CODE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. A new section of the New Mexico Insurance Code is enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] PROOF OF DISABILITY. -- An individual who is at least sixty years of age and has certified a disability to an employer for the previous five years shall not again be required to certify that disability to that employer for the purpose of obtaining employer-provided insurance."

Section 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.--The effective date of the provisions of this act is July 1, 2003.

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