



General Assembly

January Session, 2013

**Proposed Bill No. 5115**

LCO No. 332

Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:  
REP. DARGAN, 115th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS FOR FIRST RESPONDERS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to allow all first responders
- 2 diagnosed with post-traumatic stress disorder as a result of their duties
- 3 to receive workers' compensation benefits.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To extend workers' compensation coverage for mental or emotional impairment to any volunteer or paid first responder diagnosed with post-traumatic stress disorder.