H.434; Risk Management; Related 2016 Big Bill Provision

2016, H.875 (Big Bill) as passed House, Sec. E.102:

Sec. E.102 SECRETARY OF ADMINISTRATION; WORKERS COMPENSATION INSURANCE REPORT

(a) The Office of Risk Management shall present to the Joint Fiscal Committee at its
November 2016 meeting a report on activities pursuant to 2015 Acts and Resolves No. 58, Sec.
B.1106 (a)(6). The report shall include:

(1) activities taken to change the Risk Management function within the Workers' Compensation Insurance Division of the Secretary of Administration's Office, how any change will improve the level and quality of service, and any potential savings;

(2) specific actions to increase safety coordination staff or service provision as suggested in the Risk Management Loss Prevention Study conducted in 2003; and

(3) specific actions taken to address the State Auditor's recommendations stemming from the 2013 performance audit on worker's compensation (Rpt. No. 13-05).

2015, No. 58, Sec. B.1106(a)(6) [referenced above in 2016 Big Bill]:

Sec. B.1106 FISCAL YEAR 2016 PERSONNEL, LABOR, AND ADMINISTRATIVE COST SAVINGS; RECOMMENDATIONS

(a) For purposes of carrying out the personnel, labor, and administrative cost reductions provided for in sections B.1104, B.1104.1, and B.1105 of this act as it relates to the Executive Branch of State government, the General Assembly encourages the Administration to do the following:

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(6) identify opportunities to reduce personnel costs through increasing or decreasing the number of State employees or the use of outsourcing.

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