

April 1, 2009

H 1022. WORKER'S COMP./DURATION OF TOTAL DISABILITY (=S 975). Filed 4/1/09.
*RELATING TO THE DURATION OF THE COMPENSATION FOR TOTAL DISABILITY UNDER
THE WORKER'S COMPENSATION ACT.*

Identical to S 975, filed 3/25/09.

Intro. by Goforth.

GS 97

May 11, 2009

H 1022. WORKERS' COMP./TEMP. TOTAL DISABILITY LIMIT. Filed 4/1/09. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Rewrites title to read, *AN ACT RELATING TO THE DURATION OF THE COMPENSATION FOR TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY UNDER THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT.* Reorganizes proposed amended GS 97-29 and clarifies that temporary total disability compensation continues for a period lasting until the longer of (1) when the injured employee is eligible by age for full benefits under the Social Security Act or (2) a period of 300 weeks from the date of injury (was, reaches the age of retirement or for the 300-week period specified for benefits under GS 97-30, whichever period is longer).