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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND INDUSTRY, DECEMBER 8, 2021

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), entitled "An 1 act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for 2 injuries received by an employe in the course of employment; establishing an elective schedule of compensation; providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder; and prescribing penalties," in liability and 6 compensation, further providing for compensation payable in periodical installments. The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 10 hereby enacts as follows: 11 Section 1. Section 308 of the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, 12 No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act, is amended to 13 read: 14 Section 308. (a) Except as hereinafter provided, all 15 compensation payable under this article shall be payable in 16 periodical installments, as the wages of the employe were 17 payable before the injury. 18 (b) At the request of the employee, person entitled to compensation under section 307, employer or insurer, 19

compensation shall be made by electronic fund transfer to the

- 1 account of the person entitled to compensation or to a debit
- 2 account provided to the person.
- 3 Section 2. This act shall apply to claims for compensation
- 4 filed on or after the effective date of this section.
- 5 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.