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Overview

A 2014 law requires the Commissioner of Corrections to continue to make the employer contribution for insurance coverage for any former Department of Corrections employee who was a member of the Minnesota State Retirement System (MSRS) general plan who was assaulted by an inmate at a state correctional institution and was determined to be totally and permanently disabled under MSRS laws.

This bill extends the law to apply to a position covered by the MSRS correctional plan and to a former employee assaulted by a patient at an institution under control of the Commissioner of Human Services.