## **House Study Bill 148**

## **Bill Text**

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1 1 Section 1. Section 912.5, Code 1997, is amended by adding 1 2 the following new subsection:
1 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 5. To or for the benefit of a resident of 1 4 this state who is a victim of an act of terrorism as defined 1 5 in 18 U.S.C. } 2331, which occurred outside of the United 1 6 States.
1 7 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of 1 8 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.
1 9 EXPLANATION
1 10 This bill provides that victim compensation benefits under 1 11 Code chapter 912 are payable to residents who are victims of 1 12 crimes which constitute international terrorism and which 1 3 occur outside of the United States. The bill takes effect 1 14 upon enactment.
1 15 LSB 1600HC 77
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