

# Senate Study Bill 3066

## Bill Text

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1 1 Section 1. Section [915.86](#), Code Supplement 1999, is  
1 2 amended by adding the following new subsections:  
1 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 2A. Loss of income from work that the  
1 4 victim's parent or caretaker would have performed and for  
1 5 which the victim's parent or caretaker would have received  
1 6 remuneration when the victim's parent or caretaker accompanies  
1 7 the victim to medical and counseling services, not to exceed  
1 8 one thousand dollars.  
1 9 NEW SUBSECTION. 2B. Loss of income from work that the  
1 10 victim, the victim's parent or caretaker, or the survivor of a  
1 11 homicide victim as described in subsection 8, would have  
1 12 performed and for which that person would have received  
1 13 remuneration, where the loss of income is a direct result of  
1 14 cooperation with the investigation and prosecution of the  
1 15 crime or attendance at criminal justice proceedings including  
1 16 the trial and sentencing in the case, not to exceed one  
1 17 thousand dollars.  
1 18 Sec. 2. Section [915.86](#), subsections 7, 8, and 9, Code  
1 19 Supplement 1999, are amended to read as follows:  
1 20 7. In the event of a

~~—victim's death~~

~~- homicide, reasonable~~

1 21 charges incurred for health care for the victim's spouse

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~~—children, parents, siblings, or persons related by blood or~~

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~~—affinity to~~

~~—; child, foster child, stepchild, son-in-law, or~~

1 24 daughter-in-law; parent, foster parent, or stepparent;

1 25 sibling, foster sibling, stepsibling, brother-in-law, or

1 26 sister-in-law; grandparent; grandchild; aunt, uncle, or first

1 27 cousin; legal ward; or person cohabiting with the victim, not

1 28 to exceed three thousand dollars per survivor.

1 29 8. In the event of a

~~—victim's death~~

~~- homicide, loss of~~

1 30 income from work that, but for the death of the victim, would

1 31 have been earned by the victim's spouse

~~—, child, parent,~~

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~~—sibling, or person cohabiting with or related by blood or~~

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~~—affinity to~~

-; child, foster child, stepchild, son-in-law, or

1 34 daughter-in-law; parent, foster parent, or stepparent;

1 35 sibling, foster sibling, stepsibling, brother-in-law, or

2 1 sister-in-law; grandparent; grandchild; aunt, uncle, or first

2 2 cousin; legal ward; or person cohabiting with the victim, not

2 3 to exceed six thousand dollars.

2 4 9. Reasonable expenses incurred for cleaning the scene of

2 5 a

~~homicide~~

- crime, if the scene is a residence, not to exceed

2 6 one thousand dollars.

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EXPLANATION

2 8 This bill amends Code section 915.86, relating to crime

2 9 victim compensation.

2 10 The bill adds compensation for parents or caretakers of a

2 11 dependent victim for lost wages related to the dependent's

2 12 medical and counseling appointments, and for lost wages for

2 13 victims, parents, and caretakers related to meetings with law

2 14 enforcement and prosecutors in connection with the criminal

2 15 proceedings.

2 16 The bill also amends certain compensation provisions.

2 17 Compensation for health care and lost wages for relatives of

2 18 homicide victims are limited to a specified list of relatives.

2 19 Compensation for crime scene cleanup is expanded to include

2 20 crimes other than homicides.

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