

104TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 3203

To require the administrative agency responsible for adjudicating claims under the workers' compensation provisions of title 5, United States Code, to follow certain procedures in seeking medical opinions.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 29, 1996

Mr. BILBRAY (for himself and Ms. DUNN of Washington) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. MEDICAL OPINIONS.**

4 The administrative agency to which the Secretary of
5 Labor has delegated the authority to adjudicate claims
6 made under the workers' compensation provisions of title
7 5, United States Code, shall in seeking a second medical

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- 1 opinion in such a claim select physicians on an impartial
- 2 basis.

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