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<b>2015 Assembly Bill 724</b>	<b>Assembly Amendment 1</b>
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**2015 ASSEMBLY BILL 724**

2015 Assembly Bill 724 makes various changes to the Worker's Compensation Law, as approved by the Worker's Compensation Advisory Council.

**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1**

Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 724 removes a provision from the Worker's Compensation Law that defines "employee" to include every person selling or distributing newspapers or magazines on the street or from house to house. Under the amendment, a person performing these tasks would remain subject to the test prescribed under current law to determine whether he or she is a *bona fide* independent contractor.

**BILL HISTORY**

Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 724 was offered by Representative Spiros on February 8, 2016. On February 9, 2016, the Assembly adopted Assembly Amendment 1 on a voice vote; and passed Assembly Bill 724, as amended, on a vote of Ayes, 97; Noes, 0.

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