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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2013

AN ACT

RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Introduced By: Representatives MacBeth, Phillips, and Casey

Date Introduced: April 11, 2013

Referred To: House Labor

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 28-29-1.3 of the General Laws in Chapter 28-29 entitled "Workers'
- 2 Compensation General Provisions" is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 3 <u>28-29-1.3. Jurisdiction of Workers' Compensation Act. --</u> The provisions of chapters
- 4 29 -- 38 of this title shall apply to any and all employees, as defined in section 28-29-2(4), who
- 5 are injured or hired in the state of Rhode Island.
- 6 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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This act would provide that the provisions of the workers' compensation act would apply
to any and all employees who are injured and would remove the provision which requires that the
person be hired in the State of Rhode Island.

This act would take effect upon passage.

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