LEGISLATIVE BILL 1269

Approved by the Governor March 21, 1972

Introduced by Harold T. Moylan, 6th District

AN ACT to amend section 48-144.03, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1971, relating to workmen's compensation; to provide for notice to the Nebraska Workmen's Compensation Court when the employer gives notice to the insurer that he intends to cancel a contract or policy of insurance issued by the insurer as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 48-144.03, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1971, be amended to read as follows:

48-144.03. If the insurer or employer intends to cancel a contract or policy of insurance issued by the insurer under this act within the policy period, he shall give notice to such effect in writing to the compensation court and to the other party, fixing the date on which it is proposed that such cancellation be effective. Such notices shall be served personally on or sent by certified mail to the compensation court and the other party. No such cancellation shall be effective until ten days after the mailing of such notice, unless the employer has secured insurance with another carrier which would cause double coverage. In such event the cancellation shall be made effective as of the effective date of such other insurance.

In any case when the employer gives notice to the insurer that he intends to cancel a contract or policy of insurance issued by the insurer under Chapter 48, article 1. within the policy period, the insurer shall immediately notify the Nebraska Workmen's Compensation Court that such policy is being cancelled by the employer and the date on which it is proposed that such cancellation be effective.

Sec. 2. That original section 48-144.03, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1971, is repealed.