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**Chapter 466. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE EXEMPTION OF BENEFITS FROM ATTACHMENT AND EXECUTION.**

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Chapter 175 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 110A, as appearing in the 1992 Official Edition, and inserting in place thereof the following section:-

Section 110A. So much of any benefit under a policy of insurance insuring against disability from injury or disease as does not exceed four hundred dollars for each week during any period of disability covered thereby shall not be liable to attachment, trustee process or other process, or to be seized, taken, appropriated or applied by any legal or equitable process or by operation of law, either before or after payment of such benefit, to pay any debt or liabilities of the person insured under such policy, but this exemption shall not apply where an action or suit is brought to recover for necessities contracted for during said period and the writ or bill of complaint contains a statement to that effect.

Approved January 13, 1994.

**Chapter 467. AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING CERTAIN CLAIMS AGAINST FOSTER CAREGIVERS.**

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

The definition of "Public employee" of section 1 of chapter 258 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1992 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence:- For purposes of this chapter, the term "public employee" shall include an approved or licensed foster caregiver but solely with respect to claims against such caregiver by a child in the temporary custody and care of such caregiver for injury caused by the conduct of such caregiver; provided, however, that such conduct was not intentional, or wanton and willful, or grossly negligent.

Approved January 13, 1994.

**Chapter 468. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE SOUTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO PAY ONE HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE PREMIUM FOR GROUP DISABILITY INCOME INSURANCE FOR ALL EMPLOYEES OF THE DISTRICT.**

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

The South Middlesex Regional Vocational Technical School District, acting by and

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through its school committee, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with the representatives of each of the employee bargaining units in the district, as well as with all other employees of the district, which agreement may become a part of the collective bargaining agreements between said committee and said bargaining units and may be effective for all other employees of the district, to pay one hundred percent of the premium actually paid for group disability income insurance covering nonoccupational injury or disease for all employees of the South Middlesex Regional Vocational Technical School District.

Approved January 13, 1994.

**Chapter 469. AN ACT RELATIVE TO BERKSHIRE HILLS MOTEL SWIMMING POOL.**

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding the provisions of section two hundred and six of chapter one hundred and forty of the General Laws or any other general or special law to the contrary, Berkshire Hills Motel, in the city of Pittsfield, shall not be required to enclose its inground swimming pool.

**SECTION 2.** The provisions of this act shall affect the swimming pool presently located at the Berkshire Hills Motel as of January first, nineteen hundred and ninety-three and shall not apply to any new pool constructed thereafter.

Approved January 13, 1994.

**Chapter 470. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE ERNESTINA COMMISSION.**

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Chapter 6 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out sections 182A and 182B, as appearing in the 1992 Official Edition, and inserting in place thereof the following three sections:-

Section 182A. There shall be a commission to be known as the Schooner Ernestina commission, to consist of nine persons to be appointed by the governor, one of whom shall be the commissioner of environmental management or his designee, one of whom shall be the director of the office of travel and tourism or his designee, one of whom shall be the commissioner of the department of education or his designee, one of whom shall be a resident of New Bedford, one of whom shall be a member of the Ernestina/Morrissey Historical Association, the four remaining persons shall be any person whose expertise would be an asset to the commission and the Schooner Ernestina or have particular expertise