

**House Bill 2172**  
Senate Amendments  
Section-by-Section Analysis

HOUSE VERSION

SECTION 1. Section 1131.802, Insurance Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1131.802. EXTENSION OF GROUP LIFE INSURANCE TO SPOUSES AND CHILDREN; ELIGIBLE CHILDREN. Insurance under a group life insurance policy may be extended to cover:

(1) the spouse of each individual eligible to be insured under the policy;

(2) a natural or adopted child of each individual eligible to be insured under the policy if the child is:

(A) ~~unmarried and~~ younger than 26 [25] years of age or a younger age stated in the policy; or

(B) physically or mentally disabled and under the parents' supervision; or

(3) a natural or adopted grandchild of each individual eligible to be insured under the policy if the child is[=

~~[(A) unmarried;~~

~~[(B) younger than 26 [25] years of age or a younger age stated in the policy [; and~~

~~[(C) a dependent of the insured for federal income tax purposes at the time the application for coverage of the child is made].~~

SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only to an insurance policy that is delivered, issued for delivery, renewed, or amended on or after January 1, 2012. A policy that is delivered, issued for delivery, renewed, or amended before January 1, 2012, is governed by the law as it existed immediately before the effective date of this Act, and that law is continued in effect for that purpose.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

SENATE VERSION (CS)

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CONFERENCE