

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS
OFFICE OF SELF-INSURANCE PLANS**

NOTICE OF MODIFICATION OF TEXT OF PROPOSED REGULATIONS

Subject Matter of Regulations: Administration of Self-Insurance Plans

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations (hereinafter "Director"), exercising the authority vested in the Director by Labor Code sections 55, 59, and 3702.10, proposes to modify the text of the following proposed amendment to Article 6 of Chapter 8, Subchapter 2, of Title 8, California Code of Regulations:

Section 15300 Estimating and Reporting Work Injury Claims

PRESENTATION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS

Members of the public are invited to present written comments regarding this 15 day Notice of Modification of Text of Proposed Regulations. **Only comments concerning the proposed modification to the text of the regulations will be considered and responded to in the Final Statement of Reasons.**

Written comments should be addressed to:

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Office of Self-Insurance Plans
2265 Watt Avenue, Suite 1
Sacramento, CA 95825

Public comments will be accepted from July 8, 2011 to July 23, 2011.

Written comments may be submitted by facsimile transmission (FAX), addressed to the contact person at (916) 483-1535. Written comments may also be sent electronically (via e-mail), using the following e-mail address: SIPRulemakings@dir.ca.gov

Due to the inherent risks of non-delivery by facsimile transmission, the Director suggests, but does not require, that a copy of any comments transmitted by facsimile transmission also be submitted by regular mail.

Comments sent to other e-mail addresses or other facsimile numbers will not be accepted. Comments sent by e-mail or facsimile are subject to the deadline set forth above for written comments.

AVAILABILITY OF TEXT OF REGULATIONS AND DOCUMENTS ADDED TO THE RULEMAKING FILE

Copies of the modified text with modifications clearly indicated, and documents added to the rulemaking file are currently available for public review during normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays, at the Office of Self Insurance Plans, located at 2265 Watt Avenue, Suite 1, Sacramento, California. Please contact the regulations coordinator, Ms. Tina Freese, at (916) 574-0300 to arrange to inspect the rulemaking file.

FORMAT OF PROPOSED MODIFICATIONS

Proposed Text Noticed for First 15-Day Comment Period on Modified Text:

Deletions from all prior versions of the proposed revisions of the regulations text are indicated by *~~italicized single strike through~~*.

Newly proposed versions of additions to the regulatory text are indicated by ***italicized bold double underline***.

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CHANGES

Article 6. Section 15300. Estimating and Reporting Work Injury Claims

(b)(1)(A)(B)(C) was modified to allow for clarity and consistency with WCIRB in reporting of medical cost containment programs. The change in date allows for consistency with annual report period. The compliance date is July 1, 2012 for public self-insurers whose annual reports are due October 1.