

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation will hold a public hearing on Friday, June 11, 2010, at 2:00 p.m., in Room 1, 2nd Floor, 30 West Spring Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215, to consider the following:

Amendment of the following rule for the purpose as shown below:

4123-3-15 Claim procedures subsequent to allowance.

Rule 4123-3-15 is being amended for two separate reasons.

1. to change the timeframe from 13 months to 24 months for a claim to become inactive (no request for action or payments).
2. to add is new paragraph (C) in the rule, which outlines procedures for payment of compensation for permanent partial awards.

4123-3-37ump sum advancements.

This rule is being amended to eliminate reference to permanent partial awards which will be outlined in the new rule 4123-3-15(C).

The full and complete text of the proposed rules is available at the Register of Ohio (<http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us>) and is on file in the office of the Secretary of State (180 East Broad Street, 15th Floor, Columbus, Ohio), the Legislative Service Commission (77 South High Street, 9th Floor, Columbus, Ohio), the office of the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (77 South High Street, Concourse Level, Columbus, Ohio), the Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Legal Operations (30 West Spring Street, 26th Floor, Columbus, Ohio), the Bureau of Workers' Compensation (30 West Spring Street, Columbus, Ohio, 1st Floor, Hearing Rooms), and all service offices of the Bureau.

All interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard. Any interested party unable to attend the public hearing may submit written comments to the undersigned prior to the public hearing.

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