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**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION**

Commissioners' Meeting Minutes

Friday, September 6, 2019

9:30 AM – Office of the Chairman

The following Commissioners were in attendance:

Stephen M. Morelli, Chairman, Charles F. Senich, Michelle D. Truglia, Scott A. Barton, Randy L. Cohen, Jodi Murray Gregg, Daniel E. Dilzer, David W. Schoolcraft, Brenda D. Jannotta, Carolyn M. Colangelo, William J. Watson III, Pedro E. Segarra and Toni M. Fatone.

The following Workers' Compensation Commission staff was in attendance:

Nancy Bonuomo, Madeleine Lemieux, Terri Miro, Vincent Flynn and Richard Eighme.

In attendance from the public was Soline Salena.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Stephen M. Morelli at 9:30 AM.

I. Introductions

Chairman Morelli welcomed everyone present.

II. Items for Review:

1. One-time Evaluation/Second Opinion

Chairman Morelli discussed updated guidelines regarding one-time evaluations and second opinions that were effective September 1st.

2. Commissioner Exams

Chairman Morelli discussed raising the fee for Commissioner Examinations.

3. Hospital Fee Schedule Disputes (TCORs)

Chairman Morelli explained how hospital fee schedule disputes will be handled.

4. Leaving Cases on Request

Chairman Morelli discussed trying to resolve Form 36's that are outstanding.

5. Computer System Update

Chairman Morelli provided an update on the new computer system and new hardware.

6. District Moves

Chairman Morelli provided an update on the New Britain and Middletown district offices.

7. Legislative Update

Chairman Morelli provided an update on Legislation that was passed during the 2019 Legislative Session.

8. Stip Questionnaire

Chairman Morelli stated that he was working on language that may be updated on the stip questionnaire.

9. Stip/MSA Memorandum

Chairman Morelli provided an updated draft of a potential memorandum regarding stipulation language. Commissioners discussed the draft. Chairman Morelli asked that Commissioners send him any additional comments that they may have.

III. Other Business and Adjournment

Commissioners briefly discussed hold harmless language.

The next Commissioners' Meeting will be held on December 6, 2019 at 9:30 AM in the Office of the Chairman.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:26 AM.