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## *Workers' Compensation Commission*

### *Business Meeting Report*

*December 15, 2015*

The following is a summary of the items discussed and actions taken at the SC Workers' Compensation Commission's Business Meeting on December 14, 2015.

#### **Applications to Self-Insure**

The Commission approved applications to self-insure twenty-two (22) prospective members of two (2) funds.

#### **2016 Average Weekly Wage**

The Commission approved the maximum weekly compensation rate at \$784.03 for injuries arising on and after January 1, 2016. The South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce certified the average weekly wage July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.

#### **Administrative Procedures Policy – Employee Leave**

The Commission adopted proposed changes to the Family Medical Leave Act section of the Employee Leave Programs policy effective December 18, 2015.

#### **Received Agency Departmental Reports**

The Department Directors and Executive Director reviewed their monthly reports submitted to the Commission prior to the meeting.

#### **Executive Session**

The Commission went into Executive Session to receive a legal briefing from the General Counsel. No action was taken in Executive Session.

Click [here](#) to access the agenda and materials provided to the Commission prior to the meeting.

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