

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

	February 3, 2010
Chairman of Committee	Date

Committee on Business Affairs and Labor.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB10-1038 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 2, line 11, strike "APPROVED BY THE DIRECTOR,"
2 and substitute "DEVELOPED BY THE DIRECTOR AFTER CONSULTATION WITH
3 EMPLOYERS, INSURANCE CARRIERS, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF INJURED
4 WORKERS,".
- 5 Page 2, line 12, after "RIGHTS." insert "IF THE CLAIMANT HAS PREVIOUSLY
6 AUTHORIZED THE EMPLOYER OR, IF INSURED, THE EMPLOYER'S INSURANCE
7 CARRIER TO COMMUNICATE WITH THE CLAIMANT THROUGH ELECTRONIC
8 TRANSMISSION, THE BROCHURE MAY BE SENT TO THE CLAIMANT
9 ELECTRONICALLY.".
- 10 Page 2, line 25, strike "THE CLAIMANT'S" and substitute "THAT MOST
11 CLAIMANTS HAVE A".
- 12 Page 3, line 2, strike "THE CLAIMANT'S" and substitute "THAT MOST
13 CLAIMANTS HAVE A".
- 14 Page 3, line 3, after "AND" insert "ALL CLAIMANTS HAVE THE RIGHT".
- 15 Page 3, line 9, strike "SPECIFY WHO MAY" and substitute "DISCUSS WITH
16 HIS OR HER DOCTOR WHO SHOULD".
- 17 Page 3, strike lines 10 and 11 and substitute "DURING A CLAIMANT'S
18 MEDICAL APPOINTMENT, AND THE RIGHT TO".

1 Page 3, strike line 13 and substitute "CLAIM PRESENT AT THE CLAIMANT'S
2 MEDICAL APPOINTMENT;".

3 Page 3, strike lines 21 through 24 and substitute "DOCTOR CHOSEN BY THE
4 CLAIMANT OR BY THE DIVISION AT THE CLAIMANT'S EXPENSE;".

5 Page 4, strike lines 2 through 4 and substitute:

6 "(IX) THE CLAIMANT'S RIGHT TO BE INFORMED WHETHER MEDICAL
7 CARE AFTER MAXIMUM MEDICAL IMPROVEMENT WILL BE PROVIDED AND
8 TO RECEIVE REASONABLE CONTINUED MEDICAL CARE IF IT IS NECESSARY
TO MAINTAIN MAXIMUM MEDICAL IMPROVEMENT.".

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