

**Title 14**  
**INDEPENDENT AGENCIES**  
**Subtitle 09 WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION**  
**14.09.07 Vocational Rehabilitation Practitioners**

Authority: Labor and Employment Article, §§9-309, 9-6A-04, and 9-6A-07, Annotated Code of Maryland

**Notice of Proposed Action**

[17-221-P]

The Workers' Compensation Commission proposes to amend Regulations **.02** and **.07** under **COMAR 14.09.07 Vocational Rehabilitation Practitioners**. This action was considered at a public meeting on June 22, 2017, notice of which was given by publication in 44:11 Md. R. 573 (May 26, 2017), pursuant to General Provisions Article, §3-302(c), Annotated Code of Maryland.

**Statement of Purpose**

The purpose of this action is to remove the obsolete requirement that certain documents be “delivered on” certain parties in favor of the consistent usage that the documents be “served on” certain parties and to permit payment to be made by means other than check or money order.

**Comparison to Federal Standards**

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

**Estimate of Economic Impact**

The proposed action has no economic impact.

**Economic Impact on Small Businesses**

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

**Impact on Individuals with Disabilities**

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

**Opportunity for Public Comment**

Comments may be sent to Amy Lackington, Administrator, Workers' Compensation Commission, 10 E. Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21202, or call 410-864-5300 (TTY 800-735-2258), or email to [alackington@wcc.state.md.us](mailto:alackington@wcc.state.md.us), or fax to 410-864-5301. Comments will be accepted through January 22, 2018. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

## Open Meeting

Final action on the proposal will be considered by the Workers' Compensation Commission during a public meeting to be held on February 8, 2018, at 10 E. Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21202.

### **.02 Application Procedures for Registration.**

- A. To apply for registration with the Commission, an applicant shall submit to the Commission:
  - (1) — (3) (text unchanged)
  - (4) [A money order or check] *Payment* in the amount of the application fee established by the Commission.
- B. — E. (text unchanged)

### **.07 Procedures for Hearings on Complaints.**

- A. — C. (text unchanged)
- D. Decision and Order.
  - (1) (text unchanged)
  - (2) A copy of the Commission's decision and order shall be [delivered or mailed to] *served on*:
    - (a) — (b) (text unchanged)
- E. — F. (text unchanged)

R. KARL AUMANN  
Chairman