

**Government of British Columbia Regulatory Reform Policy**  
**Regulatory Criteria Exemption Form**

**Title of Legislation/Regulation**    *Workers Compensation Act*

*Purpose of Proposal (One-line Summary)*    January 1, 2004 Consumer Price Index  
Adjustments

***I certify that the proposed legislation or regulation satisfies the following condition or conditions under section 6 of the Regulatory Reform Policy and, therefore, the Regulatory Criteria do not apply:***

**Check all appropriate boxes:**

- is non-regulatory in nature;
- changes fees in respect of a financial year by an annual rate that has been approved by Treasury Board;
- relates only to the procedures or practices of a court or tribunal;
- is required under a national uniform legislation or regulatory scheme, or by federal legislation that has already been assessed against criteria similar to that provided in the Regulatory Criteria Checklist;
- is fundamentally declaratory or machinery in nature, such as housekeeping changes that clarify or correct a provision without changing procedural requirements;
- provides for the commencement of an Act or regulation or the commencement of a provision of an Act or regulation;
- is consolidated and revised under the revision powers in Part 2 of the Regulations Act Regulation;
- is transitional in nature;
- the special circumstances of the case as identified by the responsible minister or head of the regulatory authority make it impracticable to comply with the Regulatory Criteria. *If special circumstances apply, briefly explain:*

Number of Regulatory Requirements to be added: Number of Regulatory Requirements to be eliminated: <b>NET CHANGE: Nil</b>
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**Ralph McGinn, President and CEO**  
**Workers' Compensation Board**

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**Date**

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