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## Office of Workers' Compensation Administration

### WORKERS' COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL

Meeting Minutes  
May 20, 2011  
LABI Conference Center  
9:30a.m. – 12:00p.m.

#### Members Present:

Wes Hataway, Chair  
Denis Juge  
Chuck Davoli (via phone)  
Dr. Dan Gallagher  
Dr. Mark Kruse  
Michael Morris  
Greg Hubachek (via phone)  
Ken Hawkins  
Troy Prevot  
Eddie Crawford (via phone)  
Jim Patterson  
Julie Cherry

#### Members Absent:

Dr. Joe Laughlin  
Cherie Pinac  
Dickie Patterson  
Dr. Jim Quillin

Meeting started at 9:40

#### **SB 143 - Quinn - Bonuses -**

Art Simoneaux and Weldon Frommeyer, President of River Parish Disposal, addressed the Council with information on SB 143. Also, Mr. O'Brien spoke from Department of Insurance.

#### **Report from UR Subcommittee - Michael Morris**

Numerous meetings have been held. They will have a draft ready in two weeks.

#### **Report from Undocumented Worker Task Force - Ken Hawkins**

They are hammering out dis-incentives to employers. Task Force continues to meet weekly.

#### **2011 Legislation**

- HB 502 -Ponti - Vocational Rehabilitation

Dicussion was held amongst Council members. Issues still need to be worked out. Director Hataway asks everyone to send written comments to his office.

#### **Other Business**

Medical Guidelines - Oversight Committee has ruled in favor of the guideline rules. The rules were submitted to the La. Register on June 10, 2011, and the rule will go into effect on June 20. Director

Hataway thanks everyone for their cooperation and work on the Guidelines. Educational Seminar is being planned for the end of June.

Public Comment

Adjourn