

**Texas Department of Insurance**  
**Notice of Workers' Compensation Filing**  
**National Council on Compensation Insurance *Item B-1443***

**Description:**

- The National Council on Compensation Insurance (NCCI) filed *Item B-1443—Revisions to NCCI Manual Rules Related to COVID-19 (Coronavirus) Pandemic – Removal of Expiration Date* on October 5, 2020.
- The COVID-19 pandemic created unique workers' compensation conditions that were addressed in *Item B-1441—Revisions to NCCI Manual Rules Related to the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) Pandemic*, effective March 1, 2020. Most of the rules in *Item B-1441* expire on December 31, 2020.
- *Item B-1443* removes the expiration date established in *Item B-1441*, due to the ongoing pandemic conditions.
- NCCI proposes that *Item B-1443* be effective for new, renewal, and outstanding workers' compensation policies effective on or after 12:01 a.m. on November 1, 2020. Per Commissioner's Order No. 3142, the Commissioner may issue an order approving the filing, approving the filing with changes, or rejecting the filing.

**Affected NCCI Manuals:**

- *Basic Manual for Workers Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance*
- *Statistical Plan for Workers Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance*

**Review and Comment:**

- You may review a copy of *Item B-1443* in the Office of the Chief Clerk of the Texas Department of Insurance, 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, TX 78701; or at [www.tdi.texas.gov/rules/2020/nccimanual.html](http://www.tdi.texas.gov/rules/2020/nccimanual.html) during the comment period. If you

would like to review the materials in person, please email [ChiefClerk@tdi.texas.gov](mailto:ChiefClerk@tdi.texas.gov) to arrange a time.

- To comment on the filing or to request a hearing, submit your comments or request to [ChiefClerk@tdi.texas.gov](mailto:ChiefClerk@tdi.texas.gov), or to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 112-2A, Texas Department of Insurance, P.O. Box 149104, Austin, TX 78714-9104 by 5 p.m., Central time, on December 14, 2020. Submit comments separately from any hearing request. Refer to ECase No. 26074.

**Procedure:**

NCCI filed *Item B-1443* (SERFF Tracking No. NCCI-132554463) with TDI on October 5, 2020, under the workers' compensation manual rule filing procedure adopted in Commissioner's Order No. 3142, dated March 21, 2014.

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