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Meeting Agenda & Notice

Commission on Health and Safety and Workers' Compensation

Wednesday, February 18, 2026 - 9:30AM

Elihu Harris State Building
1515 Clay Street, Auditorium
Oakland, California

Remote Access (Click on link to register):

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1. Roll Call
2. Public comment: Opportunity for members of the public to address the Commission on matters within the Commission's authority
3. Discussion, recommendation and possible action to approve minutes of the December 11, 2025, meeting
Nicholas Roxborough, Chair
4. Discussion, recommendation and possible action to approve the final Report on Employer Use of Prepaid Card Account Programs for Workers' Compensation Disability Indemnity Payments in California: California Senate Bill 880 (2018) and California Labor Code §4651 (dated 2-18-2026)
Melissa Flores, Executive Officer
5. Discussion, recommendation and possible action to approve the final 2025 WOSHTEP Advisory Board Annual Report and presentation on WOSHTEP
Melissa Flores, Executive Officer
Monique Hosein, DrPH, Program Coordinator, Labor Occupational Health Program, UC Berkeley

 BREAK (10 mins.)

6. Presentation on the Subsequent Injuries Benefits Trust Fund (SIBTF)
Speaker TBD

7. Presentation on the School Action for Safety and Health (SASH) Program
Monique Hosein, DrPH, Program Coordinator, Labor Occupational Health Program, UC Berkeley
8. Report from the Executive Officer
Melissa Flores, Executive Officer
9. Standing Written Reports
 - a. Legislative update
 - b. Mandated Reports & Other Studies Status
10. Other Commission matters
11. Adjournment

Location Details

Parking: No On-Site Parking for Visitors.

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Dalziel Garage: 250 Frank H Ogawa Plaza, Oakland, CA 94608

1431-1471 Jefferson St., Oakland, CA 94612 (parking lot)

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