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### **DWC Issues Notices of Emergency Readoptions**

The Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC) has issued notices of emergency readoptions and requests for readoption of three sets of emergency regulations: independent medical review (IMR), independent bill review (IBR), and lien filing fee regulations. If granted, the emergency regulations will remain in effect until Jan. 1, 2014.

The Office of Administrative Law (OAL) has 10 calendar days to determine whether to approve or disapprove the request for readoption. A notice of emergency is required to be sent at least five working days prior to submitting the request to OAL. DWC will continue to keep the public informed regarding its implementation of [SB 863](#).

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