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PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE
STAKEHOLDERS' ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 15, 2024
From: 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Location: Hyatt Regency John Wayne Airport, Newport Beach
4545 MacArthur Blvd., Newport Bay room
Newport Beach, CA 92660

RSVP: The designated room can accommodate 80 participants. We ask that you RSVP to Maria Rios, at MRios@dir.ca.gov or (916) 274 - 5776, as reservations will be made on a first-email or call, first-served basis.

Agenda:

We invite you to join members of the Cal/OSHA Appeals Board for a "Roundtable" discussion to seek ideas for improvements regarding Board operations. The purpose of the meeting will be to solicit and discuss stakeholders' input regarding Board operations, including ideas for improvements in the Board's processes and procedures.

Discussion topics will include:

- (1) The Board's rules of practice and procedure governing third party status and participation in Board proceedings, and possible amendments thereto;
- (2) Improving stakeholder access to, and knowledge regarding, Board Decisions and Decisions After Reconsideration (DARs).
- (3) Methods of providing third parties and stakeholders with more information regarding the legal issues raised in cases under reconsideration before the Board, to provide greater opportunities for participation, amicus briefs, and/or observation.
- (4) Any proposals for amendments and improvements to the Board's rules of practice and procedure.
- (5) Any proposals to enhance the efficacy and efficiency of Board hearings and conferences, including settlement conferences, prehearing conferences, and status conferences.
- (6) Any proposals for changes and improvements to the Board's calendaring procedures and processes, pertaining to the calendaring of hearings and conferences before Administrative Law Judges (ALJs).

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If you have specific issues you would like to see discussed at the roundtable, please email Maria Rios at MRios@dir.ca.gov by September 26, 2024, so we can make room on the agenda for the topic.

The Hyatt Regency John Wayne Airport is located off the 405 freeway near the 55 and the 73 freeways, south of Los Angeles. We plan to break for lunch. There is the Wave restaurant on site, but there are also restaurants nearby. We hope to see you there.

For further information contact:

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