

**TITLE 810. OKLAHOMA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION
CHAPTER 25. WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE AND SELF INSURANCE**

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 1. General Provisions

810:25-1-1 [AMENDED]

810:25-1-2 [AMENDED]

Subchapter 5. Documentation of Exempt Status [NEW]

810:25-5-1 [NEW]

810:25-5-2 [NEW]

810:25-5-2 [NEW]

Subchapter 7. Enforcement of Workers' Compensation Insurance Requirements

810:25-7-1 [AMENDED]

Subchapter 9. Individual Own Risk Employer Permit

810:25-9-13 [AMENDED]

810:25-9-15 [AMENDED]

SUBCHAPTER 13. Third-Party Administrator Permit for Workers' Compensation Purposes

810:25-13-4 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed rule amendments add procedures related to certificates of noncoverage, subpoenas issued in compliance investigations, reporting requirements for individual own risk employers and remove the triennial audit requirement for third-party administrators.

AUTHORITY:

Workers' Compensation Commission; 85A O.S. §§ 1 et seq.

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons may submit written comments through February 16, 2017, to Lindsey Christopher at 1915 N. Stiles, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, or by email to rules@wcc.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 21, 2017 in Commission Chambers on the 2nd floor of the Denver N. Davison Building, 1915 N. Stiles Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Interested parties must sign in at the door.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Lindsey Christopher at the above address on or before February 16, 2017.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained from the Workers' Compensation Commission, 1915 N. Stiles, Suite 231, Oklahoma City, OK 73105. Copies of proposed rules may be obtained at a cost of 10 cents per page. The proposed rules are also available at <http://www.ok.gov/wcc>.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., §303(D), a rule impact statement will be prepared and may be obtained from the Workers' Compensation Commission at the above address beginning January 20, 2017.

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