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CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 216 - AMENDING IN PART CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 215.

TO: ALL INSURANCE COMPANIES, ALL SELF-INSURERS, AND WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION AGENTS OF DEPARTMENTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH AND COUNTIES, CITIES, TOWNS AND DISTRICTS SUBJECT TO THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW (GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 152, AS AMENDED).

RE: General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 29, requires that the insurer shall file a written application for discontinuance of compensation with a recent medical report in support thereof or stating such other reason which may justify such discontinuance, and shall furnish a copy of such application and supporting medical report or statement of reason to the employee or his attorney.

Paragraph Three, on Page 2 of Circular Letter No. 215 is amended in that it gives General Instructions that no supporting doctor reports, medicals or other documents need be submitted at the time of an Application for Discontinuance. Insurers must follow General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 29.

Very truly yours,

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APPLICATION FOR DISCONTINUANCE OF COMPENSATION PAYMENTS

	BOARD NUMBER	
PLOYEE	INSURER'S CLAIM NUM	BER
APLOYEE ADDRESS	POLICY NUMBER	
MPLOYER		
SUREA OR SELF INSURER	POLICY EFFECTIVE C	ATE
ATURE OF INJURY		
		DATE OF LAST PAYME
	DATE OF INJURY	DATE OF LAST PATHS
Note: No application for permission to terminate compensa		
regard to compensation has been filed with the Division or a member the insurer hereby applies to the Division or a member the Section 29, as amended, for permission to discontinue con This application is based on the following:	•	
	NAME OF INSURER OR SELF INSURE	
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