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## **MASSACHUSETTS WORKERS' COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL**

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### **AGENDA**

**Date:** November 8, 2023  
**Location:** Department of Industrial Accidents - via WebEx  
Lafayette City Center  
2 Avenue de Lafayette, Boston, MA 02111  
**Time:** 9:00 A.M.  
**Notice:** All meetings are voice recorded to aid in preparing "hard copy" minutes.

#### **1. CHAIRMAN'S WELCOME**

#### **2. DIA UPDATE**

- A. DIA Judicial Update - Senior Judge Omar Hernández, Senior Judge
  - Conference/Hearing/Reviewing Board Queue
  - Impartial Medical Exams/Physicians
- B. DIA Vital Statistics - Bill Taupier, Director of Administration
  - Cases Filed with DIA
  - Workers' Compensation Trust Fund
  - Personnel Update
  - Enforcement and Compliance
- C. Director's Update – Sheri Bowles, Director

#### **3. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S UPDATE**

- 2023-24 Legislative session
- FY '23 Annual Report process
- Public Meeting update - Workers' Compensation Prescription Drug Pricing Protocols

#### **4. ACTION ITEMS**

- Minutes - July 12, 2023
- Minutes - September 13, 2023
- Minutes - October 11, 2023

#### **5. COMMUNICATIONS**

N/A

#### **6. MISCELLANEOUS**

**Next Meeting:** Tentatively scheduled for December 13, 2023