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To: Workers' Compensation Parties and Practitioners

From: Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board

Re: Update #2: Operations and Information from Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board During COVID-19

Date: August 25, 2020

On August 25, 2020, Mayor Kirk Caldwell announced that a Stay-at-Home, Work-from-Home Order for O'ahu had been approved by Governor David Y. Ige, relating to the Covid-19 Emergency.

The Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board has already implemented and commenced remote methods of conducting all conferences, hearings, and trials. Thus, proceedings before the Board may be accomplished with physical distancing and without the need for in-person attendance. Therefore, all conferences, motion hearings, and trials, for which notices and/or orders were issued after July 1, 2020, will proceed as scheduled. Additionally, no deadlines are extended, at this time.

The Board's [July 16, 2020 memo](#) provided information relating to making appointments to review files. Due to the Governor's earlier Proclamations, in-person reviews of files cannot be scheduled at the present time. However, if any party or representative wishes to review a case file, please contact the Board by calling (808) 586-8600 ext. 2 or emailing [dliir.appealsboard@hawaii.gov](mailto:dliir.appealsboard@hawaii.gov) to make a future appointment. Please note, however, that future appointments may be subject to rescheduling, if necessary.

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