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**Payroll Letter 913**  
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To: Agency HR Specialists, Payroll Specialists, Budget Specialists, Benefits Specialists, Labor Relations Specialists, and Regulatory Requirements Specialists of All Departments, Institutions, Boards and Commissions

From: Dan R. Parks, State Payroll Administrator

Subject: Workers Compensation Rates For Fiscal Year 2008

Attached are new workers compensation rates for fiscal year 2008. These rates will be used to calculate the employer contribution for workers compensation, payroll expense account 503504. The new rates will be effective pay period ending June 23, 2007 for biweekly delayed (BWD) payrolls, and pay period ending July 7, 2007 for biweekly current (BCR) payrolls.

Workers Compensation Rates are composed of the following five elements:

- A. Basic Premium (BASE), which is based on five years experience for your particular agency.
- B. Administrative Cost (ADM) assessment will be 15.57% of base premium rate. The administrative cost is segregated into the Bureau of Workers' Compensation portion equal to 12.43%, and the Industrial Commission's portion equal to 3.14%.
- C. Disabled Workers' Relief Fund (DWRFF1) assessment, to cover injuries before 1987, is uniform for all agencies at \$.05 per one hundred dollars of payroll.
- D. Additional Disabled Workers' Relief Fund (DWRFF2) assessment, to cover injuries on and after January 1, 1987, is uniform for all agencies at one-tenth of one percent of base premium rate.
- E. MCO Fees of 7.25% of the base rate for the purpose of payment of fees to the managed care organizations that manage the claims of state agencies. Note that this percentage is effective from July 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007. This rate may be subject to change effective January 1, 2008.

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Attachment

### Workers Compensation Rates for Fiscal Year 2008

AGENCY	AGENCY DESCRIPTION	RATE	Admin (15.57%)	DWRF1 (\$ .05)	DWRF2 (.1%)	MCO Fees	Total Blended Rate
AAM	Commission of African American Males	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ACC	State Board of Accountancy	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ADA	Department of Alcohol and Drug Addiction	0.93	0.1448	0.05	0.0009	0.0674	1.1931
ADJ	Adjutant General	1.10	0.1713	0.05	0.0011	0.0798	1.4022
AFC	Ohio Cultural Facilities Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
AGE	Department of Aging	0.17	0.0265	0.05	0.0002	0.0123	0.2590
AGO	Attorney General	0.24	0.0374	0.05	0.0002	0.0174	0.3450
AGR	Department of Agriculture	0.73	0.1137	0.05	0.0007	0.0529	0.9473
AIR	Ohio Air Quality Development Authority	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
AMB	Medical Transportation Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ARC	State Board of Architects	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ART	Ohio Arts Council	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ATH	Athletic Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
AUD	Auditor of State	0.93	0.1448	0.05	0.0009	0.0674	1.1931
BOR	Ohio Board of Regents	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
BRB	Board of Barber Examiners	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
BTX	Board of Tax Appeals	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
BWC	Bureau of Workers' Compensation	0.71	0.1105	0.05	0.0007	0.0515	0.9227
CDP	Chemical Dependency Professionals Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
CDR	Commission on Dispute Resolution & Conflict Management	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
CHR	Board of Chiropractic Examiners	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
CIV	Ohio Civil Rights Commission	0.07	0.0109	0.05	0.0001	0.0051	0.1361
CLA	Court of Claims	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
COM	Department of Commerce	0.70	0.1090	0.05	0.0007	0.0508	0.9105
COS	State Board of Cosmetology	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
CRB	Board of Motor Vehicle Collision Repair	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
CSR	Capital Square Review and Advisory Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
CSW	Counselors and Social Workers Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
DAS	Department of Administrative Services	1.04	0.1619	0.05	0.0010	0.0754	1.3283
DEN	State Dental Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
DEV	Department of Development	0.10	0.0156	0.05	0.0001	0.0073	0.1730
DMH	Department of Mental Health	2.43	0.3784	0.05	0.0024	0.1762	3.0370
DMR	Department of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities	6.72	1.0463	0.05	0.0067	0.4872	8.3102
DNR	Department of Natural Resources	1.50	0.2336	0.05	0.0015	0.1088	1.8939
DOH	Department of Health	0.64	0.0996	0.05	0.0006	0.0464	0.8366
DOT	Department of Transportation	2.15	0.3348	0.05	0.0022	0.1559	2.6929
DPS	Department of Public Safety	0.85	0.1323	0.05	0.0009	0.0616	1.0948
DRC	Department of Rehabilitation and Correction	2.45	0.3815	0.05	0.0025	0.1776	3.0616
DVM	State Veterinary Medical Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819

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DYS	Department of Youth Services	5.48	0.8532	0.05	0.0055	0.3973	6.7860
EBR	Environmental Review Appeals Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
EDU	Department of Education	0.37	0.0576	0.05	0.0004	0.0268	0.5048
ELC	Ohio Elections Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ENG	State Board of Engineers & Surveyors	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency	0.12	0.0187	0.05	0.0001	0.0087	0.1975
ERB	State Employee Relations Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ETC	Etech Ohio Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ETH	Ohio Ethics Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
EXP	Ohio Expositions Commission	3.50	0.5450	0.05	0.0035	0.2538	4.3523
FUN	State Board of Embalmers & Funeral Directors	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
GOV	Office of the Governor	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
HFA	Ohio Housing Finance Agency	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
IGO	Office of Inspector General	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
INS	Department of Insurance	0.72	0.1121	0.05	0.0007	0.0522	0.9350
JCO	Judicial Conference of Ohio	0.07	0.0109	0.05	0.0001	0.0051	0.1361
JCR	Joint Commission on Agency Rule Review	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
JFS	Department of Job & Family Services	0.37	0.0576	0.05	0.0004	0.0268	0.5048
JLE	Joint Legislative Ethics Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
JSC	Judiciary - Supreme Court	0.07	0.0109	0.05	0.0001	0.0051	0.1361
LCO	Liquor Control Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
LEC	Lake Erie Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
LIB	State Library Board	0.17	0.0265	0.05	0.0002	0.0123	0.2590
LOT	Lottery Commission	1.25	0.1946	0.05	0.0013	0.0906	1.5865
LRS	Ohio Legal Rights Service	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
LSC	Legislative Service Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
MED	State Medical Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
MHC	Manufactured Homes Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
MIH	Commission on Minority Health	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
NUR	State Board of Nursing Education and Nurse Registration	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
OBD	Board of Dietetics	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
OBM	Office of Budget and Management	0.12	0.0187	0.05	0.0001	0.0087	0.1975
OCC	Office of the Consumers' Counsel	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
ODB	Board of Dispensing Opticians	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
OIC	Industrial Commission of Ohio	0.67	0.1043	0.05	0.0007	0.0486	0.8736
OPP	Orthotics, Prosthetics and Pedorthics Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
OPT	State Board of Optometry	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
OSB	Ohio School for the Blind	0.37	0.0576	0.05	0.0004	0.0268	0.5048
OSD	Ohio School for the Deaf	0.37	0.0576	0.05	0.0004	0.0268	0.5048

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OVH	Ohio Veterans Home Agency	3.21	0.4998	0.05	0.0032	0.2327	3.9957
PBR	Personnel Board of Review	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
PRX	State Board of Pharmacy	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
PSY	Psychology Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
PUB	Ohio Public Defender Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
PUC	Public Utilities Commission of Ohio	0.43	0.0670	0.05	0.0004	0.0312	0.5786
PWC	Public Works Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
PYT	Occupational & Physical Therapy Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
RAC	Racing Commission of Ohio	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
RCB	Ohio Respiratory Care Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
REP	Ohio House of Representatives	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
RSC	Rehabilitation Services Commission	0.63	0.0981	0.05	0.0006	0.0457	0.8244
SAN	Sanitarian Registration Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
SCR	State Board of Career Colleges and Schools	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
SEN	Ohio Senate	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
SFC	Ohio School Facilities Commission	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
SOA	Southern Ohio Agricultural & Community Development Foundation	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
SOS	Secretary of State	0.12	0.0187	0.05	0.0001	0.0087	0.1975
SPA	Commission on Hispanic/Latino Affairs	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
SPE	Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
TAX	Department of Taxation	0.58	0.0903	0.05	0.0006	0.0421	0.7630
TOS	Treasurer of Ohio	0.51	0.0794	0.05	0.0005	0.0370	0.6769
TTA	Ohio Tuition Trust Authority	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
TUP	Tobacco Use & Prevention Control Foundation	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819
UST	The Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Release Compensation Board	0.27	0.0420	0.05	0.0003	0.0196	0.3819