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To: Texas Workers' Compensation System Participants

From: Kara Mace, General Counsel

Date: [October 14, 2025](#)

Subject: Proposed rule to repeal 28 Texas Administrative Code, Section 63.5 – Quarterly Report

The Texas Department of Insurance, Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC) is accepting public comments on a proposed rule repealing 28 Texas Administrative Code Section [63.5](#), concerning a required Industrial Accident Board quarterly report. The Industrial Accident Board no longer exists, and the authority for the required report was repealed in 1989.

Repealing Section [63.5](#) is necessary because it was adopted under Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, Article 8307, Section 4, which was repealed in 1989 under Acts 1989, 71st Legislature, 2nd Called Session, Chapter 1, Section 16.01(10), effective January 1, 1991. Article 8307, Section 4 was not later recodified into the Labor Code.

The proposed repeal will be published in the October 17, 2025, issue of the *Texas Register* and available at www.sos.state.tx.us/texreg/index.shtml once published. We will also post a copy of the proposed rule on the TDI website at www.tdi.texas.gov/wc/rules/2025rules.html.

You may submit written comments on the proposed rule to: RuleComments@tdi.texas.gov, or mail or deliver your comments to:

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The deadline to submit comments is 5 p.m., Central time, on November 17, 2025.