

BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

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WORKERS' COMPENSATION

IN THE MATTER OF REGULAR
PROCEDURE HEARINGS SCHEDULED
TO OCCUR AFTER OCTOBER 28, 2022

SUBSTITUTED ORDER

1. The Order In the Matter of Regular Procedure Hearings Scheduled To Occur After October 28, 2022, filed on August 11, 2022, is hereby rescinded and this Substituted Order In the Matter of Regular Procedure Hearings Scheduled To Occur After October 28, 2022, is hereby filed in its place.

2. Beginning October 29, 2022, all currently scheduled hearings in regular procedure contested case proceedings before the agency shall be held by internet-based video, unless the agency grants a motion for in-person hearing under Paragraph 4. All hearing assignment orders that schedule an in-person hearing to occur after October 28, 2022, are hereby amended with respect to the method of holding the hearing.

3. The Deputy Commissioner assigned to hear the case will schedule the video conference and send the meeting invitation to the attorneys of record no later than 24 hours before the scheduled start time of the hearing.

4. Parties to a regular procedure hearing scheduled to occur after October 28, 2022, may move for an in-person hearing in the venue listed in the previously filed hearing assignment order. The motion for in-person hearing must be filed no less than 60 days prior to the hearing date and, if not so filed, the right to request an in-person hearing shall be waived. The motion for in-person hearing shall specify whether the hearing shall be entirely in-person, or whether any parties and/or witnesses will participate via internet-based video. If all the parties to a case file a joint motion for in-person hearing, the motion shall be granted. If the motion for in-person hearing is not a joint motion signed and filed by all the parties to a case, the party(ies) requesting the in-person hearing shall make a showing of good cause for the hearing to be in-person.

Signed and filed this 12th day of August, 2022.

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