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REPORT ON Sections Ins 17.01 and 17.28, Wis. Adm.
Code, relating to f/y 2008 fund fees and mediation panel
fees

Clearinghouse Rule No 08-006
Submitted Under s. 227.19 (3), Stats.
The proposed rule-making order is attached.

(a) A detailed statement of basis for the proposed rule and how the rule advances relevant statutory goals or purposes:

Pursuant to s. 655.27(3)(b) and s. 655.61, Wis. Stat., the commissioner of insurance, with approval of the injured patients & families compensation fund (fund) board of governors (board), is required to establish by administrative rule the annual fees for the fund and for the mediation system operated by the director of state courts. This rule establishes those fees for fiscal year 2008-09.

(b) Summary of the public comments and the agency's responses to those comments:

No public comments were made or received on this rule.

(c) An explanation of any modifications made in proposed rule as a result of public comments or testimony received at a public hearing:

Not applicable.

(d) Persons who appeared or registered regarding the proposed rule:

Appearances for: None.

Appearances against: None.

Appearances for Information: None.

Registrations For: None.

Registrations Against: None.

Registrations Neither for nor against: None.

Letters received: None.

(e) An explanation of any changes made to the plain language analysis of the rule under s. 227.14(2) or to any fiscal estimate prepared under s. 227.14(4).

The plain language analysis was modified to clarify that the fees for employed allied health care professionals are based upon the number of full-time equivalents as of the most recent completed survey submitted to the Fund.

(f) The response to the Legislative Council staff recommendations indicating acceptance of the recommendations and a specific reason for rejecting any recommendation:

All comments were complied with and corrected, or modifications made.

(g) Final Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

A Final Regulatory Flexibility Analysis is not required because the rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small businesses.

(h) Fiscal Effect

See fiscal estimate attached to proposed rule.

Attachment: Legislative Council Staff Recommendations