

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE
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DECISION AND ORDER

**JANUARY 1, 2019 WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS COST
BENCHMARK AND ADVISORY PURE PREMIUM RATES**

FILE NUMBER REG-2018-00018

In the Matter of: Proposed adoption or amendment of the Insurance Commissioner's regulations pertaining to the Workers' Compensation Insurance Claims Cost Benchmark and Advisory Pure Premium Rates. CDI File Number REG-2018-00018. The Benchmark will be effective on **January 1, 2019**.

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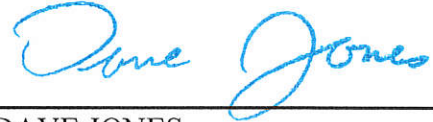
I adopt the Proposed Decision and Order of Hearing Officer Patricia Hein dated November 6, 2018.

IT IS ORDERED, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the Insurance Commissioner of the State of California by California Insurance Code sections 11734, 11750, 11750.3, 11751.5, and 11751.8, that the WCIRB's filed advisory workers' compensation pure premium rates and sections 2353.1 and 2318.6 of Title 10 of the California Code of Regulations shall be amended and modified in the respects specified in the Proposed Decision and Order;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the advisory pure premium rates for individual classifications shall change based upon the classification relativities reflected in the WCIRB's filing and consistent with the October 12, 2018 Decision and Order in Filing number REG-2018-00008, to reflect an average Workers' Compensation Claims Cost Benchmark and Advisory Pure Premium rate of \$1.63 per \$100 of employer payroll, to be adjusted to the relative classifications consistent with this Proposed Decision;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that these advisory pure premium rates shall be effective January 1, 2019 for all new and renewal policies.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2018.



DAVE JONES
Insurance Commissioner