## **California Department of Insurance**

## **Fraud Division**

## July 2023 Workers' Compensation Fraud Convictions

Effective January 01, 2005, Assembly Bill 2866 (Frommer) enacted Insurance Code Section 1871.9 requiring the posting of all workers' compensation fraud convictions to the CDI website.

Per section 1871.9, the department shall post all of the following information on its Internet Web site for each person, as defined in Section 19, convicted of a violation of this article (1871.4), Section 11760 or 11880, Section 3700.5 of the Labor Code or Section 487 or 550 of the Penal Code, if the violation involved workers' compensation insurance, services or benefits:

- The name, case number, county or court and other identifying information with respect to the case.
- The full name of the defendant.
- The city and county of the defendant's last known residence or business address.
- The date of conviction.
- A description of the offense.
- The amount of money alleged to have been defrauded.
- A description of the punishment imposed, including the length of any sentence of imprisonment and the amount of any fine imposed.

The information required to be posted under this section shall be maintained on the department Web site for a period of five years from the date of conviction or until the department is notified in writing by the person that the conviction has been reversed or expunged.

**Note**: If new documentation has been received that in any way affects the conviction information contained herein, please forward that documentation with an explanation to:

Bureau Chief, Workers' Compensation Program 2400 Del Paso Road, Suite 250 Sacramento, CA 95834

A determination to make any changes will be made within sixty (60) days of receipt of the information.

## July 2023 Workers' Compensation Fraud Convictions

CDI Case Number: 17BW013245 Court Case Number: CRI-19005173

County: San Francisco
Defendant: Richard Bilafer

City/County of Residence: Woodside / San Mateo

**Conviction Date:** 7/28/23

Offense: IC 11880(a) – premium fraud (State Fund)

Amount Allegedly Defrauded: unknown

Sentence: 1 year probation, 720 hours community service, \$240,140 restitution

CDI Case Number: 19CW008464 Court Case Number: BA486592

County: Los Angeles

**Defendant:** Roberto Gonzalez

City/County of Residence: San Pedro / Los Angeles

**Conviction Date:** 7/26/23

Offense: IC 1871.4(a)(2) false or misleading statement in support of claim, PC 459 burglary

**Amount Allegedly Defrauded: \$21,282** 

Sentence: 1 day county jail, 24 months' probation, \$23,282 restitution, \$80 civil fine, \$300 criminal

fine

CDI Case Number: 22HW001502 Court Case Number: FSB23000073

County: San Bernardino
Defendant: Selena Gonzalez

City/County of Residence: San Bernardino / San Bernardino

**Conviction Date: 7/11/23** 

Offense: PC 550(a)(2) multiple claims for same event

**Amount Allegedly Defrauded: \$3,192** 

**Sentence:** 1 year probation, \$3,192 restitution, \$235 criminal fine