

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

DIVISION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT

RULE NUMBER: RULE TITLE:

69L-6.026, F.A.C. Periodic Reports

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rule is to establish procedures regarding the filing of periodic reports by employers that have been issued a Stop-Work Order for failure to comply with the coverage requirements of Chapter 440, F.S., and assessed a penalty in excess of \$50,000.00. As a condition of their release from a Stop-Work Order, subject employers must submit quarterly reports to the Department using new form DFS-F4-2018, "Bureau of Compliance Quarterly Report Form," to demonstrate their continuing compliance with the coverage requirements of Chapter 440, F.S.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Reporting requirements for employers released from Stop-Work Orders where assessed penalties exceed \$50,000 for violation of the coverage requirements of Chapter 440, F.S.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 440.107(7)(a), 440.591, F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 440.107, F.S.

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE TIME, DATE, AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

TIME AND DATE: Tuesday, March 30th @ 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: 104J Hartman Bldg., 2012 Capital Circle Southeast, Tallahassee, Florida.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Tasha Carter, Chief, Bureau of Compliance, Division of Workers' Compensation, Department of Financial Services, 200 E. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4228, (850)-413-1878

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THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

via the Division's website at <http://www.myfloridacf.com/WC/>.