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To: The Members of the Board


Introduction of Digital Library Version

The New York Compensation Insurance Rating Board is pleased to announce the release of an interactive version of the New York Workers Compensation & Employers Liability (NY WC & EL) Manual within the Digital Library environment. The placement of the Manual in the Digital Library completes the conversion of Rating Board Manuals into the digital format. Those familiar with the use of the Digital Library, for other Board Manuals and Plans, have noted that the conversion from text based publications to the database driven web application has been of great benefit to users by providing faster, easier and more up-to-date information regarding the content supplied by these publications.

The conversion of the NY WC & EL Manual also introduces a new capability for users to perform customized searches by Classification Code. Also, similar to other manuals within the Digital Library, any change to the content within the manual will result in an archived version being created which will allow users to retrieve historic information.

The Digital Library is a standard feature accessible from the Rating Board’s home page. For direct access, and to observe the many features of the Digital Library, please access the following link: Digital Library Help for the NY WC & EL Manual. It is the Rating Board’s intention to continue the evolution of the Digital Library environment by improving the user’s viewing experience and by increasing the effectiveness of researching information provided by the Rating Board.

Very truly yours,

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President

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