



07/11/2008

Tiffany Anderson
1416 Iris Drive #7
Lodi, CA 95242

Claim Number: VE0700184
Employee: Tiffany Anderson
Employer: San Joaquin County MVCD
Date of Injury: 06/19/2008

NOTICE OF DELAY IN DETERMINING LIABILITY FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS

Dear Ms. Anderson:

Acclamation Insurance Management Services, (AIMS) is handling your workers' compensation claim on behalf of your employer. At this time we are unable to determine whether you are eligible for workers' compensation benefits. In order to make a decision, we need to investigate liability or obtain additional factual and medical information regarding this injury. Your cooperation is required to complete this investigation in a timely manner. We will need your recorded statement and all medical records. Please complete the attached medical history and authorization and return to our office at you earliest opportunity. We will notify you of our decision on or before 10/08/2008.

For injuries which occur on or after January 1, 1990, there is a legal presumption before the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board that your claim is compensable if it is not denied within 90 days of your returning an Employee Claim Form to your employer. The presumption can be rebutted only with information that could not be discovered within the 90 day period.

Notice pursuant to LC 5402(c): Within one working day after an employee files a claim form under LC 5401, the employer shall authorize the provisions of all treatment consistent with LC 5307.27 or the American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine's guidelines for the alleged injury and shall continue to provide the treatment until the date that liability for the claim is accepted or denied. Until the date the claim is accepted or denied, liability for medical treatment shall be limited to ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). If your claim is denied, we will seek reimbursement from your private health care insurance. As a result, your private insurance may contact you regarding your co-pay and/or deductible.

Notice pursuant to LC 4062.1: Where the employee is not represented by an attorney the exclusive procedure for obtaining a medical legal exam is by panel QME. Enclosed find IMC Form 106 "Request for a Qualified Medical Evaluator". Please complete this form and mail it to the Industrial Medical Council. You have 10 days from the issue date of this letter to request the panel. If you fail to act timely, we may request a panel. If you are represented by an attorney, LC 4062.1 does not apply. If you have questions regarding the delay and investigation process for represented employees, please contact your attorney.

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