

Memorandum

PREPARED FOR: Senate Committee on Rules
DATE: September 20, 2023
BY: Leslie Porter, Analyst
RE: Legislative Review of Executive Appointments



WORKERS' COMPENSATION MANAGEMENT-LABOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Governor has appointed the following individual to the Workers' Compensation Management-Labor Advisory Committee subject to Senate confirmation.¹

New Appointee

Stacy Lewallen of Aurora

Term

October 5, 2023 – October 4, 2027

Appointment/Confirmation Authority

[ORS 656.790 \(2021\)](#)

Statement of Economic Interest²

Required.

Composition³

The committee consists of 11 members, including:⁴

- five representatives of organized labor who represent subject workers (CALZIA, FULLERTON, GRAIL, STRICKLAND, WEDDELL);
- five representatives of subject employers (DUCKWALL, HEARN, MCKENZIE, LEWALLEN, PRIEST); and
- the Director of the Department of Consumer and Business Services, *ex officio*, (STOLFI).

Appointed members serve three-year terms.

Duties⁵

The committee provides a forum for business and labor to meet to resolve issues involving the workers' compensation system. The committee must:

¹ [Or. Const. art. III sect. 4](#), [ORS 171.562 and 171.565 \(2021\)](#).

² [ORS 244.050 \(2021\)](#).

³ [ORS 182.100 \(2021\)](#) for affirmative action policy and [ORS 236.115 \(2021\)](#) for diversity criteria.

⁴ [ORS 656.790 \(2021\)](#).

⁵ [ORS 656.790 \(2021\)](#).

- biennially review evaluation standards for permanent disability and recommend modifications;
- biennially review and recommend modifications to permanent partial disability benefits;
- advise the director on proposed changes in program operation of those funded by the Workers' Benefit Fund;
- report the committee's findings to the director; and
- report findings and recommendations to the Legislative Assembly.



Workers' Compensation Management-Labor Advisory Committee

Agency: **Consumer & Business Services, Department of**

Policy Area: **Labor/Trades**

Authorization: **ORS 656.790**

Board Admin: **Teri Watson**

Min Members: **10** Max Members: **11**

Address:

Term Length: **3** Term Limit: **2**

Department of Consumer and Business

Senate Confirmation Required?: **Yes**

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Current Appointments

Mr Stolfi, Andrew R

Term(s): -

DCBS Director, Ex Officio

Position Number: **1**

Calzia, Matthew "Matt"

Term(s): **11/19/2021 - 11/18/2024**

Labor

Position Number: **2**

Hearn, Ryan

Term(s): **4/26/2023 - 4/25/2026**

Employer Rep

Position Number: **3**

Lewallen, Stacy

Term(s): **10/5/2023 - 10/4/2027**

Management Rep

Position Number: **4**

Ms Grail, Marcia L

Term(s): **11/19/2021 - 11/18/2024**

Labor

Position Number: **5**

Mckenzie, John

Term(s): **11/19/2021 - 11/18/2024**

Management

Position Number: **6**

Merrick, Sarah

Term(s): **7/1/2023 - 6/30/2026**

Labor Rep

Position Number: **7**

Mr Strickland, Scott M

Term(s): **9/19/2021 - 9/18/2024**

Labor Rep

10/1/2020 - 9/18/2021

Position Number: **8**

Priest, Patrick	Term(s):	11/19/2021 - 11/18/2024
Management		
Position Number: 9		
Ms Weddell, Margaret F Esq	Term(s):	11/19/2021 - 11/18/2024
Labor		
Position Number: 10		
Duckwall, Sara	Term(s):	11/19/2021 - 11/18/2024
Management		
Position Number: 11		

Vacant Positions