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Dear Ms. Haley,

When California Senate Bill (SB) 863 took effect January 1, 2013, it ushered in several important fee schedule changes in the California workers' compensation system.

To better understand the possible effect of these changes on prices and payments in California relative to other states, as well as their potential impact on behavior and access to care, the Workers Compensation Research Institute (WCRI) has released a new study that pulls together relevant findings from a variety of WCRI studies.

As an elected official who makes public policy decisions regarding workers' compensation, you and your staff have complimentary access to this report.

Click on the following link to access this new WCRI report:

[Estimating the Effect of California's Fee Schedule Changes: Lessons from WCRI Studies <http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001vE8tQzdzBaiDQo9ZT84fluM59gXpuySGEQe5HqnWzoLTjF0evIJ3wJcy0Qod6gHygRGXfyNISEXJZP07rEh4SsqgVqFDDUwdT8iZRllhgSSGxT5x2T9JLYcASkGdut4M_uoJslejTMjBIS8fCSfZkXGvcEFBTNLRXPDW_Pk9_z_zShtz7FTkO5vBpge8un9KRSx-n-70bPjJTrxGaA5N0Q5Rj5xF3sxTtCkY05SzTx1rurTcx7T5RA7_TMiqILKIX-bizRRfHMJtnWLQ_PoPcTP6a_uKGgHc6rFXHAeNFOfYesINW0r9za6OXiBZ3](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001vE8tQzdzBaiDQo9ZT84fluM59gXpuySGEQe5HqnWzoLTjF0evIJ3wJcy0Qod6gHygRGXfyNISEXJZP07rEh4SsqgVqFDDUwdT8iZRllhgSSGxT5x2T9JLYcASkGdut4M_uoJslejTMjBIS8fCSfZkXGvcEFBTNLRXPDW_Pk9_z_zShtz7FTkO5vBpge8un9KRSx-n-70bPjJTrxGaA5N0Q5Rj5xF3sxTtCkY05SzTx1rurTcx7T5RA7_TMiqILKIX-bizRRfHMJtnWLQ_PoPcTP6a_uKGgHc6rFXHAeNFOfYesINW0r9za6OXiBZ3)

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