

INQUIRY INTO NSW WORKERS COMPENSATION SCHEME

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I would like to bring to your attention OUR ORGANISATION'S view in relation to the Workers Compensation review.

During 19 years of employment with this Organisation as the Manager we have only had 2 serious workers compensation claims.

I would like SERIOUS CONSIDERATION BROUGHT TO THE FACT THAT on both occasions, both the employees had a history of similar claims in previous work places.

Both employees made accusations of bullying by myself when presented with a work improvement plan. At no time during the investigation was my many years of experience in the position nor my non blemished reputation considered. If records were checked I have no doubt that they have continued with claims in future workplaces.

WHEN WILL WORKCOVER ADDRESS THESE REPEATED CLAIMS. Our experience is that we find that Workcover do not investigate these matters satisfactorily and appear happy JUST to increase our premiums.

Please give these comments serious consideration when you are assessing why the budget has been blown out.

Yours Sincerely