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Subject: Message from L.A. Liversidge - WSIB Surplus Distribution Update

Good morning,

Further to my February 23, 2022 <u>email</u> the Board has updated its <u>surplus rebate for businesses</u> webpage (as at April 25, 2022) with new information.

The Board has *added additional criteria for eligibility* (see excerpt below, the last two points are new) and confirmed that the *distribution will be 34.02% of premiums paid in 2019 or 2020*, whichever is higher. There is also a form for an eligible employers to request the funds via cheque instead of as a credit on the April 2022 account.

Eligibility criteria (updated April 25, 2022)

Businesses must meet all the following eligibility requirements to receive a rebate of surplus funds in April 2022:

- have an active account as of January 31, 2022
- had premium obligations in either 2019 or 2020
- have not been convicted of a Workplace Safety and Insurance Act or an Occupational Health and Safety Act offence in a proceeding under Part III of the Provincial Offences Act in 2021 or in 2022 up to and including the date the WSIB issues rebates
- have not been convicted in more than one such proceeding between 2017 and 2022 up to and including the date the WSIB issues rebates
- must not be affiliated through common ownership with a business that is ineligible to receive a surplus rebate based on the convictions criteria outlined and
 has a traumatic workplace fatality attributed to them between 2017 and 2022 up to and including the date the WSIB issues surplus rebates
- must not be a Temporary Employment Agency determined by the WSIB to be the employer of a person who suffered a workplace fatality working for a
 business that is ineligible to receive a rebate based on the convictions and traumatic workplace fatality criteria outlined

As always, don't hesitate to reach out with any questions at all.

Regards.

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