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**Subject:** Response to WorkSafeBC Review of COVID-19  
**Attachments:** Employers Forum WSBC COVID Schedule 1 June 7 final.pdf

**Importance:** High

CLR Members,

***We need as many of you to write to WorkSafeBC as possible please. See below.***

Last week, I mentioned in one of my communique's to you that the Employer's Forum (CLR is a member) is developing a response to the government's current consideration to add COVID-19 to Schedule 1 of the Worker's Compensation Act. The attachment is the Employers' Forum submission in response to WSBC's Discussion Paper titled: "Adding Diseases Caused by Communicable Viral Pathogens, Including COVID-19, to Schedule 1 of the *Workers Compensation Act*".

The CLR is asking all of our members to write a letter of support for this submission. This can be done by email to [policy@worksafebc.com](mailto:policy@worksafebc.com). It could be as simple as "Through our membership in the Construction Labour Relations Association (CLR) of BC, we have received a copy of the submission of the Employers' Forum. We have read and endorse the submission which takes serious exception with the proposal to add COVID-19 to Schedule 1." If you wanted to add your own comments, you are certainly welcome to do so.

We need as many letters of support as we can. Your letter of support/submission must be made by 4:30 pm this coming Friday, June 12.

Thank you in advance for your help and support on this.

Sincerely,

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