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Change to Workers' Compensation Law RSA 281-A:38 II, Medical Examinations.

Effective January 1, 2014

A law change resulting from the passage of HB 546 has added the following text to RSA 281-A:38 II, Medical Examinations. This change is effective January 1, 2014.

If an employer or insurance carrier provides written notice to the injured employee regarding its request for an independent medical examination, such notice shall be given 10 days before the examination and shall include the following: "This medical examination is at the request of either the employer or insurance carrier. The examination is not for the purpose of treatment or advice about treatment but for a medical opinion about the employee's claim."

To view the full text of the bill and the changed paragraph, please use the link below to House Bill 546.

Questions about this law change should be addressed to NH Department of Labor Workers' Compensation Division. Contact information is below.

Applicable Law:

RSA 281-A:38

Other Links:

[House Bill 546](#)

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