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Workers' Compensation Appeals Tribunal

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Notice of Appeal

This Notice of Appeal **must** be received by the Tribunal and forwarded to your Employer, or in the case of an Employer appeal, to the Worker, within 30 days of your being notified of the Hearing Officer's decision.

CHECK ONE:

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Worker Appeal

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Employer Appeal

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Assessment Appeal

Worker

Worker's Name: _____

Telephone number: _____ Fax number: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Claim Number(s) on Hearing Officer's decision: *(list all numbers)* _____

Employer

Employer Name: _____

Employer Contact Name: _____

Telephone number: _____ Fax number: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Employer Firm No & Division: _____

Representative

Will you represent yourself in this appeal? **CHECK ONE:** ☐ YES ☐ NO

Representative: _____

Telephone number: _____ Fax number: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Appeal

Date of WCB Hearing Officer's Decision: [day] _____ day of [month]_____, [year]_.

Issues you are appealing, and compensation/benefits or relief requested (*attach separate page if necessary*):

Appeal Readiness

Are you ready to proceed with your appeal? **CHECK ONE:** ☐ YES ☐ NO

The Tribunal can set appeals down for written submissions if appeal participants do not set an appeal down within a year.

Evidence

Do you plan to bring evidence to the Appeals Tribunal which was not previously presented to the Hearing Officer?
CHECK ONE: ☐ YES ☐ NO

Attach any additional written evidence to this form or file it as soon as possible. The Tribunal will only wait eight months for additional evidence.

Please note: The Tribunal is required to send appeals back to the board to reconsider the hearing officer's decision when relevant new or additional evidence is filed.

Mode of Hearing

Proceeding by **written submissions** means that you will not appear before the Appeals Tribunal and the Appeal Commissioner(s) will decide the appeal after reviewing the WCB claim file(s) and any written submissions.

An **oral hearing** means that you will present oral evidence and reasoning to an Appeal Commissioner(s). Oral hearings can be held by telephone, video or in-person at various locations throughout the Province.

CHECK YOUR PREFERENCE: ☐ Written Submissions ☐ Oral Hearing

The mode of hearing will be decided by the Tribunal once the appeal is ready to be scheduled.

Date

Signature of Worker, Employer or Representative