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Dave Hendrickson  
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Re: Workmen's Compensation for Watermaster of Water District 63-S; Stewart Gulch

Dear Mr. Hendrickson:

When I attended your water district meeting approximately one month ago, I promised that I would determine what was necessary for the district to acquire workmen's compensation for the Watermaster, William A. Harenberg. I finally spoke with personnel from the State Insurance Fund. I was told that workmen's compensation applications and supporting forms were sent to all of the water districts during 1996. I do not know whether anyone in Water District 63-S received a copy of the application. I asked for another application. The State's Insurance Fund stated that it would not repeat sending out the applications but would simply bill the districts for workmen's compensation during 1997. This billing will be based on your annual budget. I expect the premium for workmen's compensation will be in the range of \$300 to \$400.

I asked whether the water district would be required to obtain a federal identification number. The State Insurance Fund told me that the federal employee number will be required for tracking purposes.

I hope this information is helpful to you.

Sincerely,

Gary Spackman  
Western Region Manager  
Department of Water Resources

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