



TO: The Honorable Members of the PA House of Representatives

FROM: Alex Halper, Director, Government Affairs

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RE: Support H.B. 1837 – streamlining workers’ compensation process

The PA Chamber urges support for H.B. 1837 to streamline a particular process within workers’ compensation. The PA House is scheduled to consider this legislation today.

H.B. 1837 ends the requirement of two witness signatures or a notarized signature on a WC Compromise and Release Agreement, if the claimant submits a sworn statement acknowledging understanding of the agreement. This bill is another example of modest regulatory reform provided temporarily during the pandemic that has proven beneficial and should be made permanent.

Please contact Alex Halper at ahalper@pachamber.org or 717-720-5471 to discuss or with any questions.