



**YUKON WORKERS'  
COMPENSATION  
HEALTH AND  
SAFETY BOARD**

SUBJECT: FRAUD POLICY NO.: GC - 06  
BOARD APPROVAL: *C. Klassen*  
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## **POLICY STATEMENT**

SECTION  
REFERENCE: **77, 101(2)**

**REVOKED**

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POLICY: **FRAUD**

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The Workers' Compensation Act states that it is an offence to knowingly provide false or misleading information to the Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board.

This policy affects workers, employers and service providers.

All decisions are appealable to the Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board.

### **POLICY**

#### **A. DEFINITION**

##### **FRAUD**

Fraud means knowingly misrepresenting information through deceit, falsehood or other deceptive means with the intent to defraud.

#### **B. PHILOSOPHY**

The Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board shall not condone or tolerate external fraud.

The Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board shall investigate all cases of suspected external fraud.

Recovery of overpaid compensation, under-assessments and/or wrongful billing shall be in addition to any fine or imprisonment levied.

**REFERENCES**

Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board:

Recovery of Overpaid Compensation Policy Statement

Release of Claims Information to Employers Policy Statement

Examination Policy Statement

Appeals Policy Statement

Suspension, Reduction and Termination of Compensation Policy Statement