



Media Release

**Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission Announces
New e-Service for Workplace Incident Reporting.**

Yellowknife, NT (February 1, 2021) – Employers in the Northwest Territories and Nunavut can now report workplace incidents and injuries online through the e-Business service, *WSCC Connect*.

“The WSCC has been working directly with employers to test this new service and to give hands-on assistance with the transition from fillable forms”, said Debbie Molloy, WSCC President & CEO. “*WSCC Connect* guides employers through an electronic reporting process that is easier, faster and more secure.”

Reporting requirements under the *Workers' Compensation Acts, Safety Acts and Regulations* and *Mine Health and Safety Acts and Regulations* have not changed.

All employers must report workplace incidents, injuries or dangerous occurrences to the WSCC by fully completing an *Employer's Report of Incident* within three business days. Failure to report may result in fines.

In the event of an accident causing serious bodily injury, death or a dangerous occurrence, employers must always call the 24-hour Incident Reporting line at 1-800-661-0792 as soon as is reasonably possible. This is in addition to completing the *Employer's Report of Incident* online.

Employer's Report of Incident joins other services on *WSCC Connect*, including reporting of unsafe work, requesting a clearance letter, registering your business, getting information on assessment rates and online payment options. To learn more visit wsccln.ca or wscclnu.ca

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WSCC is an arm's length government agency responsible for administering the Workers' Compensation Acts, Safety Acts, Explosives Use Acts, the Mine Health and Safety Acts, and associated regulations.

Together, with our partners, the WSCC provides services to almost 40,000 workers and 4,000 employers across the Northwest Territories and Nunavut. We process over 3,000 claims and conduct over 1,000 inspections annually to ensure the safety of Northern workplaces. The WSCC is unique in Canada as it is the only workers' compensation organization in the country to insure workers across more than one province or territory. We proudly offer services in the official languages of both territories.