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In order that we may proceed with this claim, please complete and return this form without delay.

			Claim Number		
			Date of Accident (Year / Month / Day)		
Worker's: (Surname)		(Given)	(Initials)		Date of Birth (Year / Month / Day)
Address Apt/Unit Street	City/Town		Province		Postal Code
Employer's Name					
Employer's Address Apt/Unit Street	City/Town		Province		Postal Code

**Note section of Act printed on reverse →**

We have received reports regarding this fatal accident which occurred outside of Alberta.

You may have the right to claim compensation under the provisions of Section 28 of The Workers' Compensation Act of Alberta, (see reverse) or alternately to claim compensation or other remedy under the law of the place in which the accident occurred.

You should consider this matter carefully and, if you decide to claim compensation under the Alberta Act, you should complete the election form and return it.

If we have not heard from you within thirty days, we will assume that you do not wish to claim under The Workers' Compensation Act of Alberta and we will take no further action in this matter.

**ELECTION TO CLAIM UNDER THE ACT**

In the matter of fatal injuries sustained by my \_\_\_\_\_  
resulting from an accident that happened on \_\_\_\_\_  
at or near \_\_\_\_\_, I elect compensation  
under The Workers' Compensation Act of the Province of Alberta.

I have read and understand the provisions of Section 28 of the Act.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

**EXTRACT  
FROM  
SECTION 28**

**THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT**

Section 28

(1) If an accident happens while the worker is employed out of Alberta, the worker or the worker's dependants are entitled to compensation under this Act if

(a) the worker

(i) is a resident of Alberta or

(ii) has his or her usual place of employment in Alberta and the work out of Alberta is a continuation of the Employment by the same employer or an employer that is related to that employer within the meaning of section 134,

(b) the nature of the employment is such that, in the normal course of the employment, the work or service the worker performs is required to be performed both in and out of Alberta and

(c) subject to subsection (2), the employment out of Alberta has lasted less than 12 continuous months.

(2) The Board may, on application by an employer and subject to any terms it considers appropriate,

(a) waive any of the requirements of subsection (1)(a) and (b), and

(b) extend the period referred to in subsection (1)(c)

(3) If, by the law of the jurisdiction in which the accident happens, the worker or the worker's dependants are entitled to compensation or some other remedy in respect of the accident, the worker or dependants shall elect

(a) to claim compensation or the other remedy under the law of the other jurisdiction, or

(b) to claim compensation under this Act,

and shall give notice of that election to the Board under subsection (4), but if there is in existence an agreement under section 29, the right of election is subject to the terms of that agreement.

(4) Subject to subsection (5), notice of election shall be given to the Board

(a) by the worker within 30 days after the happening of the accident, or

(b) if the accident results in death, by a dependant within 30 days after the death,

and if notice of election is not given in accordance with this subsection, the worker or dependant is deemed to have elected not to claim compensation under this Act.

(5) The Board may, on application either before or after the expiration of the 30-day period referred to in subsection (4), extend that period.

(6) If a worker or dependant elects under subsection (3) to claim compensation under this Act and at any time claims compensation or some other remedy under the law of another jurisdiction in respect of the same accident, the worker or dependant is deemed to have forfeited all

rights to compensation under this Act in respect of that accident, and any money paid to the worker or dependant or on the worker's or dependant's behalf by the Board in respect of it constitutes a debt due from the worker or dependant to the Board.