



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Division of Industrial Accidents

18 Tremont Street, Boston 8

WHEN REPLYING
PLEASE QUOTE I.A.B.
FILE NO.
ATTENTION OF:

March 18, 1955

CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 96

TO: ALL INSURERS, SELF-INSURERS, AND ALL PUBLIC UNITS SUBJECT TO
GENERAL LAWS (TER. ED.) CHAPTER 152, SECTIONS 60 to 75 INCLUSIVE

SUBJECT: CERTAIN NOTICE TO BE GIVEN TO THE DIVISION OF INDUSTRIAL
ACCIDENTS IN FATAL CASES

In all fatal cases where the death or injury causing death occurred on or after September 16, 1948 and compensation has been paid or continues to be paid to a dependent, unremarried widow, and dependent children if any, under Section 31 of General Laws, (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 152, all Insurers, Self-Insurers and Public Units referred to above are hereafter required to notify the Division of Industrial Accidents when payments to the amount of \$7000.00 have been made in any such case of a dependent unremarried widow alone; or, when there are dependent children, the notice shall be given when payments to the widow are to continue for at least one more year.

Such notice shall be directed to the attention of the Inspection Section of this Division, and shall also state the address of the widow.

This is an important requirement and the parties addressed should arrange their procedures to make certain that the required notification is given promptly in all such cases.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Edward P. Doyle". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Edward P. Doyle
Secretary

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