

Pursuant to Sec. 15 of [PA 25-12](#) AN ACT CONCERNING DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2025, AND COMPENSATION PAID TO INJURED EMPLOYEES AND THE PARENTS OF A DECEASED EMPLOYEE UNDER THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT there is established a working group to study rehabilitation services available to injured employees under chapter 568 of the general statutes.

No.	Authority	Name/Title	Special Qualifications/Notes	Appointee(s)
1.	House Judiciary Committee Chair	Representative Steve Stafstrom	<i>Or their designee</i>	Rep. Jack Fazzino
2.	Senate Judiciary Committee Chair	Senator Gary Winfield	<i>Or their designee</i>	Self
3.	House Judiciary Ranking Member	Representative Craig Fishbein	<i>Or their designee</i>	Rep. Mike Quinn
4.	Senate Judiciary Ranking Member	Senator John Kissel	<i>Or their designee</i>	Self
5.	House Labor and Public Employees Committee Chair	Representative Manny Sanchez	<i>Or their designee</i>	Self
6.	Senate Labor and Public Employees Committee Chair	Senator Julie Kushner	<i>Or their designee</i>	Self
7.	House Labor and Public Employees Committee Ranking Member	Representative Steve Weir	<i>Or their designee</i>	Self
8.	Senate Labor and Public Employees Committee Ranking Member	Senator Rob Sampson	<i>Or their designee</i>	Self
9.	Commissioner of Aging and Disability Services	Commissioner Amy Porter	<i>Or the commissioner's designee</i>	George Michna
10.	Chairperson for the Workers' Compensation Commission	Chairperson Stephen M. Morelli	<i>Or the chairperson's designee</i>	Marie E. Gallo-Hall
11.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>An attorney who has expertise in representing claimants appearing before the Workers' Compensation Commission</i>	Jeremy Brown
12.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>An attorney who has expertise in representing respondents appearing before the Workers' Compensation Commission</i>	Jason Dodge
13.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>A representative of an association representing trial attorneys in the state</i>	Bud Drapeau
14.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>A representative of an association representing workers' compensation insurers in the state</i>	Eric George

15.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>A representative of an association representing business and industry in the state</i>	Pete Myers
16.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>Four representatives of labor organizations that are affiliated with the Connecticut AFL-CIO</i>	Dan Livingston, James Demetriades, Mike Petosa, Rudy Demiraj
17.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>A representative from an association representing municipalities of the state</i>	Michael Muszynski
18.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>A representative from an association representing workers' compensation insurance providers</i>	Diane Ritucci
19.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>A representative from an association representing small businesses</i>	Katie D'Agostino
20.	Chairpersons of the Judiciary, Labor and Public Employees Committees	Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Winfield (JUD); Rep. Sanchez, Sen. Kushner (LAB)	<i>Shall select two members of the General Assembly, appointed to the working group pursuant to subdivision (1) of subsection (b) of this section, to act as the chairpersons of the working group</i>	Rep. Jack Fazzino, Sen. Gary Winfield