

The error in punctuation and the misplaced disjunctive conjunction were noted by the professional staff of the Department of Legislative Reference. The outdated reference was noted by the Deputy Commissioner of Labor and Industry.

(c) The Commissioner may [promulgate rules and] ADOPT regulations as are reasonably necessary to carry out this subtitle, consistent with the requirements of [the Administrative Procedure Act and the State Documents Law] TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 1 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.

DRAFTER'S NOTE: This deletes antiquated language and corrects an outdated cross-reference in Article 100, § 80A(c).

The antiquated language was contained in Ch. 442 of the Acts of 1982. The administrative Procedure Act and the applicable provisions of the State Documents Law became Title 10, Subtitle 1 of the State Government Article in Ch. 284 of the Acts of 1984.

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#### Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation

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The employer shall secure compensation to his employees in one of the following ways:

(3) (e) In exercising the discretion conferred upon it by this section and § 15 of this article, the Workmen's Compensation Commission shall consider the reputation of any insurance company or association, in which any such employer may desire to insure, for promptness and fairness in the settlement of compensation claims, without unreasonable resistance on the part of any such insurance company[,] or association, and shall also consider the financial strength of the employer, the number of employees employed, the degree of hazard to employees engaged in the employment, the likelihood or danger of several employees being injured or killed by one and the same accident, the relative influence[,] the different methods[,] by which compensation may be assured under this article[,] are likely to exert upon the employer and his employees for the prevention of accidents, and any other facts or conditions bearing upon the security and promptness of payment of the compensation and the prevention of accidents.