In subsection (b) of this section, the reference to payment of a premium "to or for" an employer is substituted for the former reference to a premium "paid by" an employer, to avoid circumvention of subsection (b) of this section through an agreement for direct payment by a covered worker, rather than for reimbursement.

As to the deletion of the former phrase "if engaged in extra-hazardous employment" in subsection (a) of this section, see the revisor's note to  $\S$  9-101(f) of this title.

Defined terms: "Accidental injury" § 9-101

"Compensation" § 9-101 "Covered employee" § 9-101

"Occupational disease" § 9-101

## 9-409. JUDICIAL REVIEW.

AN EMPLOYER MAY APPEAL ANY DECISION OF THE COMMISSION UNDER THIS SUBTITLE TO THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE EMPLOYER RESIDES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the sixth sentence of former Art. 101, § 16A(c), except for the reference to § 15.

The language "[a]n employer may appeal" is added for clarity.

Defined term: "Commission" § 9-101

SUBTITLE 5. ENTITLEMENT TO AND LIABILITY FOR COMPENSATION. 9–501. ACCIDENTAL INJURY.

## (A) IN GENERAL.

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED, EACH EMPLOYER OF A COVERED EMPLOYEE SHALL PROVIDE COMPENSATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS TITLE TO:

- (1) THE COVERED EMPLOYEE FOR AN ACCIDENTAL INJURY SUSTAINED BY THE COVERED EMPLOYEE; OR
- (2) THE DEPENDENTS OF THE COVERED EMPLOYEE FOR DEATH OF THE COVERED EMPLOYEE:
- (I) RESULTING FROM AN ACCIDENTAL INJURY SUSTAINED BY THE COVERED EMPLOYEE; AND
- (II) OCCURRING WITHIN 7 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE ACCIDENTAL INJURY.
  - (B) EMPLOYER LIABLE REGARDLESS OF FAULT.