

2. IF PAYMENTS ARE MADE FROM THE SUBSEQUENT INJURY FUND, THE SUBSEQUENT INJURY FUND.

(C) ATTORNEY'S FEES — ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW.

ON APPLICATION OF A PARTY, THE COMMISSION MAY:

(1) HEAR AND DECIDE ANY QUESTION CONCERNING LEGAL SERVICES PERFORMED IN CONNECTION WITH A CLAIM; AND

(2) ORDER A PERSON WHO RECEIVED A FEE FOR LEGAL SERVICES TO REFUND TO THE PAYER ANY PART OF THE FEE THAT THE COMMISSION MAY FIND TO BE EXCESSIVE.

(D) SAME — ENFORCEMENT AND APPEAL.

AN ORDER OF THE COMMISSION REGULATING PAYMENT OR REFUND OF PAYMENT FOR LEGAL SERVICES MAY BE ENFORCED OR APPEALED IN THE SAME MANNER AS A COMPENSATION AWARD.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the second through fifth sentences of former Art. 101, § 57 and the second and fifth sentences, and as they related to payments under former Art. 101, § 57, the third and fourth sentences of § 49.

In the introductory language of subsection (a)(1) of this section, the word "fee" is substituted for the former word "compensation" to avoid confusion with compensation payable under this title.

In subsection (a) of this section, items (ii) and (iii) are substituted for the former language "services or treatment rendered or supplies furnished pursuant to § 37 of this article", to reflect the current codification of the provisions of former Art. 101, § 37.

In subsection (c)(2) of this section, the former word "attorney" is deleted in light of the defined term "person". As to the definition of "person", see § 1-101 of this article.

Also in subsection (c)(2) of this section, the word "payer" is substituted for the former language "person paying the same", for brevity.

Also in subsection (c)(2) of this section, the former phrase "in its discretion" is deleted in light of the word "may".

In subsection (d) of this section, the former phrase "in the courts of this State" is deleted as unnecessary in light of the phrase "in the same manner as a compensation award".

Defined terms: "Commission" § 9-101

"Compensation" § 9-101 "Person" § 1-101