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## Highlights

*Highlights of the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Workers Compensation Board of Nova Scotia.*

**Next meeting:  
March 16, 2012**

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### **At its meeting of February 16-17<sup>th</sup> 2012 the Workers' Compensation Board of Directors:**

- Received an annual summary of feedback trends including quantitative measures of public opinion and confidence regarding the WCB
- Approved a consultation document on workplace safety as part of the *2013-2017 Workplace Safety Strategy for Nova Scotia*
- Received an update on the status of the 2012 Workplace Safety and Insurance System annual general meeting scheduled on May 8<sup>th</sup>
- Received and approved draft text for the 2011 Annual Report
- Validated the 2010-2014 Strategic Plan and engaged in a discussion about the approach to establishing a strategic plan beyond 2014
- Discussed a number of governance related items including results of the 2011 Board of Directors survey, the role of Board members, a review of Board members' term schedules and education needs for Board members in 2012
- Discussed the process for the development of a legislative change agenda
- Discussed the current objectives, structure and roles within the Workplace Safety and Insurance System
- Provided input on CEO objectives for 2012

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