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Saskatchewan Information and Privacy Commissioner releases Investigation Report F-2009-001 dealing with the Saskatchewan Workers' Compensation Board (WCB)

Gary Dickson, Saskatchewan Information and Privacy Commissioner, has released his **Investigation Report F-2009-001 (Saskatchewan Workers' Compensation Board)** under the authority of *The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*.

The Commissioner dealt with four complaints raised by an injured worker. The Commissioner found that one of the complaints dealing with the disclosure of personal information to a third party without the Complainant's consent and without legal authority to do so was well-founded. Three of the complaints were not well-founded. The Commissioner expanded the investigation to address whether WCB had met its duty to ensure the personal information it collected was accurate and complete. He found that WCB had not met this duty. The Commissioner offered a number of recommendations to address this failure by WCB and the improper disclosure to the third party.

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The Investigation Report is now accessible at www.oipc.sk.ca under the tab 'Reports'.
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