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ADDENDUM TO LUMP SUM SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT PURSUANT TO M.G.L. c. 398 § 75 OF THE ACTS OF 1991, EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 23, 1991 - VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION STATUS

Employee Name:	Board #:
PARTA	
Written consent of the Office of Edu to the validity of the Lump Sum Agr	cation and Vocational Rehabilitation is not required as a condition preceder eement where:
PLEASE CHECK ONE:	
	as been made with respect to the employee's suitability for Vocational uant to G.L. c. 152, § 30G.
	een found unsuitable by the Office of Education and Vocational Vocational Rehabilitation pursuant to G.L. c. 152, § 30G.
The employee has r	eturned to continuous employment for a period of six months or more.
The employee has c	ompleted an approved rehabilitation plan.
Signed this da	ay of 20
SIGNATURE	ADDRESS
CLAIMANT	
CLAIMANT'S COUNSEL	
NSURER'S	
PART B	

Where the employee has been found suitable for Vocational Rehabilitation services pursuant to G.L. c. 152, § 30G and has not returned to continuous employment for a period of six or more months or completed an approved rehabilitation plan, the Office of Education and Vocational Rehabilitation may nevertheless consent in writing to the Lump Sum, or an administrative judge or administrative law judge, by order or decision may authorize such agreement. G.L. c. 152, § 48 (3). "Any employee who receives a [lump sum] amount in violation of [§ 48(3)] shall have the right to re-open his or her claim for compensation." <u>Id</u>.

PART C

Please note that when liability is established, the Lump Sum Agreement shall not redeem liability for the payment of medical benefits or vocational rehabilitation benefits with respect to such injury. An employee may seek vocational rehabilitation within two (2) years of perfection of the lump sum settlement. G.L. c. 152, § 48 (2).

Consented to: Date: Date:		
Office of Education and Vocational Rehabilitation OEVR Comments:		
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