

General Instructions

- 1. The 50-5 Annual Private Self-Insured Assessment Form (Form GA-5) must be completed by every active and inactive self-insured employer with paid indemnity and submitted, with payment, within 30 days.
- 2. Questions about the form or process should be directed to WCBFinanceOffice@wcb.ny.gov.
- 3. Checks are to be made payable to "**Commissioner of Taxation & Finance**" as custodian of the fund. For electronic payment options, please email <u>Billing@wcb.ny.gov</u>.
- 4. To make electronic payments, you must be registered in the WCB Customer Portal. If you would like to register, please email Billing@wcb.ny.gov.
- 5. To ensure the proper application of payment, please include W Number on the check.

Submit completed form via the web:

https://www.wcb.ny.gov/content/main/BoardAssessments/50-5 Private SI Assessment.jsp

AND mail check with summary page to:

NYS Workers' Compensation Board PO Box 5532 Binghamton, NY 13902-5532

A. Self-Insurer Information

- 1. The WCB Identification Number, or "W Number," as assigned to the self-insurer when approved to self-insure.
- 2. The name of the self-insured employer must be the full legal name of the employer approved to self-insure.
- 3. The FEIN, or Federal Employer Identification Number, should be reported for the self-insurer. If you do not know the FEIN number, leave blank.
- 4. The full mailing address of the self-insurer to be used for all correspondence related to the 50-5 Annual Private Self-Insured Assessment Form (Form GA-5) must be provided.

B. Basis for Assessment

- 1. Please use the Assessment Base per the Annual Assessment Base Factor Form (Form GA-1.6) for the period 1/1/23 to 12/31/23. This is the only figure you need to enter in this section. This is the paid gross indemnity less any recoveries.
- 2. The apportionment rate for the year will be issued via a circular to the self-insured in New York State. The rate will also be on the form, no entry needed.
- 3. The total assessment due is equal to the total paid indemnity multiplied by the apportionment rate. The form will do the math for you.