

5500.1600 REFEREE APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES.

A. If the commissioner appoints a labor referee to hear and determine the jurisdictional controversy, the labor referee must:

- (1) immediately fix a time and place for the hearing; and
- (2) at least five calendar days before the hearing, serve on each party:
 - (a) a notice of hearing;
 - (b) a copy of the notice under part 5500.1400; and
 - (c) a copy of parts 5500.1300 to 5500.2100.

B. The notice under item A may be waived, or the time to serve the notice may be shortened, by agreement of the parties.

C. The notice of hearing must be given to all parties directly involved in or affected by the controversy so far as named in the notice under part 5500.1400 or known to the labor referee, and these parties are parties to the proceedings.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 179.02; 179.71; 179.82; 179A.04; 179A.16; 626.892*

History: *17 SR 1279; 46 SR 1387*

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