TNSIA is a nonprofit that brings together employers of all sizes to stay ahead of workers' compensation issues. **If you purchase work comp insurance then you can be a part of this group!** We share insights, track legislation, and promote smart strategies to reduce injuries and costs.

Here are 10 facts about TNSIA:

- Mission and Purpose: TNSIA is dedicated to educating employers, insurers, and service
 providers on workers' compensation issues, aiming to keep members informed about
 legislative actions and judicial decisions affecting self-insured and high-deductible
 employers.
- 2. Membership Categories: TNSIA offers two membership categories:
 - 1. Self-Insured or High Deductible Members: Employers or organizations classified as self-insured or high deductible, with an annual membership fee of \$500.
 - 2. Associate Members: Organizations supporting self-insured and high-deductible employers, such as attorneys and service providers, with an annual membership fee of \$750.
- 3. Advocacy Efforts: In 2018, TNSIA successfully lobbied against two legislative proposals that would have removed the right to appeal workers' compensation decisions to the Tennessee Supreme Court and introduced fault into the state's no-fault system.
- Annual Conference: TNSIA hosts an annual conference to provide educational sessions, networking opportunities, and updates on workers' compensation issues. The 2025 conference is scheduled for September 25th at the Embassy Suites in Nashville South Cool Springs.
- Educational Resources: Members have access to resources such as the quarterly email newsletter, which provides updates on legislative actions, case law decisions, and best practices in workers' compensation.
- 6. **Networking Opportunities:** TNSIA facilitates connections among members, allowing them to share information, discuss challenges, and collaborate on solutions to improve workers' compensation programs.
- 7. **Legislative Representation:** The association employs a lobbyist to represent members' interests in legislative matters related to workers' compensation, ensuring that their voices are heard in policy discussions.
- 8. **Member Testimonials:** Members have praised TNSIA for its influence on workers' compensation laws and regulations, as well as for providing a platform to learn from industry peers and improve their programs.
- Diverse Membership: TNSIA's members include a wide range of organizations, from large corporations like Nissan North American, Inc. and Cracker Barrel to public entities such as the City of Knoxville, reflecting the association's broad appeal across various sectors.
- 10. Advocacy for Workers' Compensation Culture: Beyond legislative efforts, TNSIA works to shape the workers' compensation culture in Tennessee by promoting information sharing that helps prevent injuries and reduce costs for employers.

For more information about TNSIA, including membership details and upcoming events, visit our website.