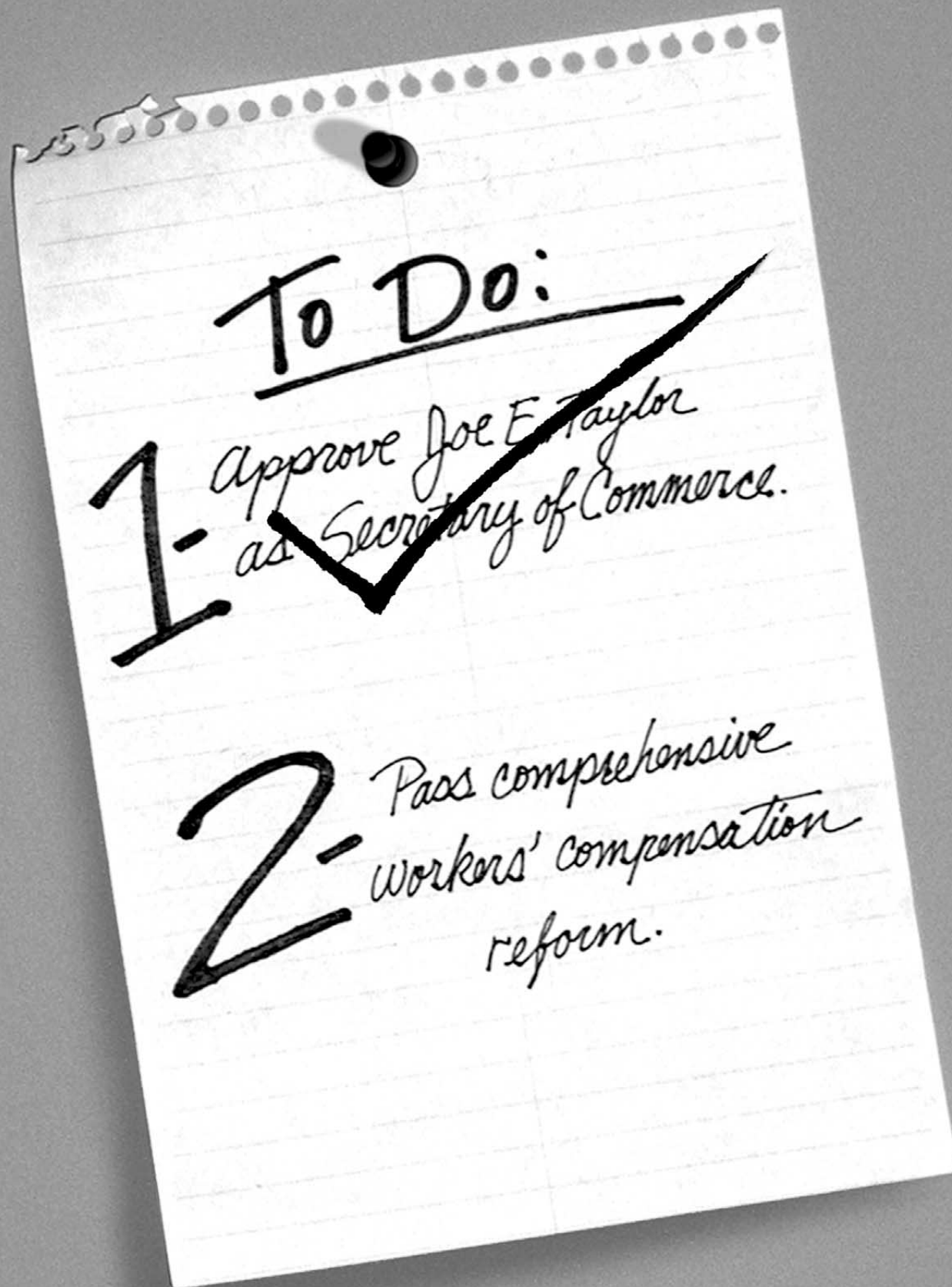


# A Wish List For The General Assembly From The Business Community.



As Governor Sanford pointed out in his recent State of the State address, for South Carolina to be competitive in a global economy we must have a fair and balanced legal environment, including a predictable and reasonable workers' compensation system. Right now SC is experiencing a workers' compensation crisis – 3 years of double digit increases in premiums – this dramatically impacts our ability to attract quality businesses to our state. With the second highest unemployment rate in the nation we can't afford to have a legal environment that stifles our job creation climate.

The Senate has confirmed Joe Taylor as Secretary of Commerce. Now, its time to help Secretary of Commerce Taylor recruit business to our state by passing comprehensive workers compensation reform.

In addition, if you are tired of double digit increases in your workers' compensation premiums and want something done this year, contact your legislator and ask them to pass comprehensive workers' compensation reform.

