

THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION RATING AND INSPECTION BUREAU OF MASSACHUSETTS

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To All Members and Subscribers of the Bureau:

REVISIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS ASSESSMENT

The Department of Industrial Accidents has notified this Bureau that the assessment rate for private employers as well as private self-insured employers who have been approved for non-participation under the "Opt-Out" provision has been revised from .045 to .040 effective July 1, 2000.

All other rates and provisions outlined in Circular Letter No. 1848, dated July 7, 2000, remain unchanged.

Any questions should be directed to:

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