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To All Members and Subscribers of the Bureau:

**STATISTICAL REPORTING of MASSACHUSETTS BENEFITS CLAIM and
AGGREGATE DEDUCTIBLE PROGRAM**

Circular Letter No. 1761 announced the implementation of the Massachusetts Benefits Claim and Aggregate Deductible Program. The statistical reporting instructions were to follow under a separate circular. This circular will address the statistical reporting of both options of Massachusetts Benefit Deductible program under the expanded unit format.

The statistical reporting of the premium reduction under Massachusetts Benefits Deductible program without an aggregate limit continues to be reported with statistical class codes 9784 through 9788. At the implementation of the expanded unit format a deductible type code, and the appropriate deductible amount per claim are also required. Deductible percent and deductible amount aggregate are not required.

The Massachusetts benefits claim with aggregate deductible is applicable after implementation of the expanded unit format and will require deductible type, deductible amount claim/accident, deductible percent and deductible amount aggregate.

The statistical class codes and deductible types are listed in Exhibit I. Exhibit 2 provides examples on a matrix format. Please refer to the Massachusetts Workers' Compensation Unit Statistical Plan, Section IV, Page 2 and Section V, Pages 23 and 24 for complete codes.

All losses arising out of policies under deductible programs are to be reported on a gross (first dollar) basis.

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