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CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 1444

To All Members and Subscribers of the Bureau:

Re: Department of Industrial Accidents Assessment

In Circular Letter No. 1443 dated May 2, 1986, announcement was made of an estimated Department of Industrial Accidents (DIA) assessment rate of 3.5% to apply to the standard premium of July 1, 1986 (and subsequent) policies until the official rate was determined by the DIA.

The Bureau has now been requested by the DIA to notify its members that a lower assessment rate will apply to the Commonwealth and any of its political subdivisions (see Paragraph (4)(b) Section 55 of Chapter 572 of the Acts of 1985) and that the assessment to be charged political subdivisions should therefore be deferred until the official rate for such subdivisions has been promulgated by the DIA.

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