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PROCEEDINGS OF THE WISCONSIN RATING COMMITTEE

TO: MEMBERS OF THE BUREAU

A meeting of the Wisconsin Rating Committee is being called to convene in the premises of Sentry Insurance A Mutual Company, 1800 North Point Drive, Stevens Point, WI 54481 on Tuesday, September 13, 2005. The meeting will be called to order at 8:30 AM, and the following items will be discussed:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

ITEM NUMBER 3748 CONTRACTOR PREMIUM ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM

The Committee will be updated on the status of this item.

ITEM NUMBER 3852 WWCIP SURPLUS REPORT

The Committee will be provided a status report.

ITEM NUMBER 3860 FREDMAN BAG CO.- HEARING

The Committee will be updated on the status of this item.

ITEM NUMBER 3863 NCCI PROPOSAL ITEM B-1387 – REVISIONS OF BASIC MANUAL CLASSIFICATIONS

The proposed changes to classification code 8837 - Charitable Welfare Organizations and Group Homes have been approved by the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance effective October, 1, 2005, applicable to new and renewal business only.

ITEM NUMBER 3868 NCCI PROPOSAL ITEM B – 1391 – REVISION TO BASIC MANUAL CLASSIFICATIONS

The following amended to classification code 5537 – Heating, Ventilation, Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Systems – Installation, Service and Repair & Drivers has been filed with the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance for approval:

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“Code 5537 – Heating, Ventilation, Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Systems – Installation, Service and Repair – Shop and Outside & Drivers to include all aspects of air-conditioning and heating installation and repair. Division of payroll between 5537 and any other contracting classification is not permitted when all or a majority portion of the work for an HVAC contract is performed by a single contractor.”

ITEM NUMBER 3870 NCCI PROPOSAL ITEM B-1393 MISCELLANEOUS
VALUES FOR DOMESTIC TERRORISM, EARTHQUAKES, AND
CATASTROPHIC INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS

The Committee will be updated on the status of this item.

ITEM NUMBER 3873 OCTOBER 1, 2005 RATE REVISION

The Committee will be updated on the status of this item.

ITEM NUMBER 3875 PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYER ORGANIZATIONS (PEOs)

Each member of the Committee is being furnished with a copy of a proposed amendment to Rule IX in the Basic Manual addressing policy issuance requirements for Professional Employer Organizations (PEOs).

ITEM NUMBER 3876 DORNER, INC.

This item was continued on the agenda in the event Dorner, Inc. appealed the decision of the Rating Committee with the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance.

ITEM NUMBER 3877 NCCI PROPOSAL ITEM R-1395 – 2005 UPDATE TO
RETROSPECTIVE RATING PLAN PARAMETERS

The proposed 2005 Update to Retrospective Rating Plan Parameters has been approved by the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance effective October 1, 2005, applicable to new and renewal business only.

ITEM NUMBER 3878 NCCI PROPOSAL ITEM B – 1394 – REVISIONS TO BASIC
MANUAL CLASSIFICATIONS AND RULES, ADDENDUM
TO ITEM FILING B-1387, AND ADDENDUM TO ITEM
FILING B-3191

Each member of the Committee is being furnished with a copy of proposed amendments Basic Manual as recommended by the Operations Subcommittee.

ITEM NUMBER 3879 AUTOMOBILE DEALERS – SERVICE WRITERS

The proposed amendment to classification code 8391 Automobile Repair Shop & Parts Department Employees & Drivers was approved by the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance effective July 20, 2005, applicable to new and renewal business only.

ITEM NUMBER 3880 MECHANIZED LOGGING

The Wisconsin Professional Loggers Association will make a presentation to the Rating Committee on the mechanized logging industry in Wisconsin.

Donna Knepper
Executive Secretary