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CIRCULAR LETTER 3139—APRIL 21, 2016

TO: Members of the Bureau

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RE: Proceedings of the WCRB Governing Board
Wisconsin Class Code Changes
NCCI Proposal Item B-1431

Pursuant to ch. 626, Wis. Stat., the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance has approved the following changes adopted by the Governing Board and proposed in NCCI Item B-1431. Some items proposed in B-1431 were not applicable in WI.

The following codes will be eliminated and reassigned in conjunction with the 10-01-2016 rate revision.

CODE TO BE ELIMINATED	PHRASEOLOGY	REASSIGNED CODE	PHRASEOLOGY
1852	ASBESTOS GOODS MFG (Includes spinning or weaving) ASBESTOS BOARD ASBESTOS BRAKE LININGS ASBESTOS CEMENT ASBESTOS CLUTCH FACING ASBESTOS DRYER FELT ASBESTOS PIPE CONVERINGS ASBESTOS SHEETS ASBESTOS SHINGLES MFG		Eliminated effective 10-1-16 and not reassigned.

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<p>2300</p>	<p>PLUSH OR VELVET MFG PILE FABRIC MFG (Separately rate the carding process under Code 2211)</p>	<p>2501</p>	<p>CLOTH, CANVAS AND RELATED PRODUCTS MFG NOC BAG OR SACK MFG-CLOTH (Applies to the mfr. of cotton, burlap, or gunny bags or sacks.) BAG RENOVATING (Applies to the renovating or repairing of cotton, burlap, or gunny bags or sacks and includes sewing.) BUFFING OR POLISHING CLOTH, CLOTH DISKS, OR CLOTH WHEEL MFG BUFFING WHEEL MFG-CLOTH-CUTTING-LAYOUT SEWING, ETC CANVAS GOODS MFG NOC-SHOP (The installation, removal or repair of awnings, tents or other canvas products away from the shop must be classified to Code 5102. Unless payroll records are accurately maintained showing the amount of payroll expended for shop work, the entire payroll must be assigned to Code 5102.) COLLAR MFG DOLL CLOTHING, CLOTH DOLLS, OR CLOTH PARTS MFG (Includes dressing of dolls.) DRAPERIES OR CURTAINS MFG-FROM CLOTH, PAPER, OR PLASTIC-CUTTING AND SEWING DUCK CLOTH MFG FEATHER PILLOW MFG (No mattress or box spring MFG) FUR CLOTHING MFG (Preparation of skins to be separately rated.) FURNISHING GOODS MFG NOC (Includes wearing apparel, draperies, or household furnishings from textile fabrics.) HAT MFG (Includes blowing, starting, or forming of hat shapes. Hatters' fur MFG to be separately rated as Code 2623.) LAMP-SHADE-PARCHMENT OR TEXTILE (FRAME SEP. RATED) LINGERIE MFG MILLINERY MFG (Applies to ladies trimmed hats.) PILLOW, QUILT, OR CUSHION MFG (No mattress or box spring MFG) PLEATING AND STITCHING OR TUCKING SAILMAKING (Applies to shop operations.) SHIRT MFG SUSPENDER MFG (Buckle, webbing, or leather parts MFG to be separately rated.) TENT OR AWNING MFG-SHOP (The installation, removal or repair of awnings, tents or other canvas products away from the shop must be classified to Code 5102. Unless payroll records are accurately maintained showing the amount of payroll expended for shop work, the entire payroll must be assigned to Code 5102.) TEXTILE MENDING (Applies to invisible textile weaving of wearing apparel.) TOY MFG CLOTH STUFFED ANIMALS OR TOYS TRIMMING OR RIBBONS - HAND SEWING ON FINISHED GARMENTS TRIMMINGS - MFG FANCY TRIMMING OR PIPING - NOT MANUFACTURING BINDING TAPE OR RIBBON UMBRELLA MFG (MFG of frames, handles, or hardware to be separately rated.) WINDOW SHADE MFG (Roller manufacturing to be separately rated.) YARN OR THREAD DYEING OR FINISHING</p>
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			<p>AUTOMOBILE SEAT COVER MFG AUTOMOBILE TOP MFG AWNING MFG - CANVAS BUFFING WHEEL MFG-CLOTH-SEWING ONLY CAP MFG - CLOTH CHENILLE PRODUCTS MFG - CLOTH CLOTH SPONGING, SHRINKING, INSP OR MENDING CLOTH STENCILING AND CUTTING (SILK SCREENING) CLOTH WEAVING (PATCHING) EARMUFF MFG - INCLUDING INCIDENTAL METAL FILTER (CLOTH) FOR DAIRY INDUSTRY HAMMOCK MFG HANDKERCHIEF MFG KITE MFG - SILK - INCLUDING FRAMES NO WOODWORKING MACHINERY LININGS-SEWING INTO COATS BY HAND MOSQUITO NETTING - CUTTING, SEWING NECKTIE MFG - NOT KNITTED PARACHUTE MFG (Hardware separately rated.) PERMANENT WAVE PAD MFG POWDER PUFF MFG RUBBER GARMENTS MFG SEAT COVER MFG SHOE ORNAMENT MFG - FABRIC SLEEPING BAG MFG <u>PLUSH OR VELVET MFG</u> <u>PILE FABRIC MFG (Separately rate the carding process under Code 2211)</u></p>
2942	<p>PENCIL PENHOLDER OR CRAYON MFG POPSICILE STICK & TONGUE DEPRESSOR MFG</p>	4432	<p>PEN MFG (Includes the manufacture of all types of handwriting implements that use ink or similar fluids.) PENCIL MFG-MECHANICAL PENCIL HOLDER OR CARYON MFG POPSICILE STICK & TONGUE DEPRESSOR MFG</p>
6260	<p>TUNNELING PNEUMATIC – ALL OPERATIONS (Includes lining, all employees working under air pressure and all others working in the tunnel or in work on the apparatus connected therewith.)</p>	6251	<p>TUNNELING NOT PNEUMATIC-ALL OPERATIONS (Includes lining, <u>all employees working under air pressure and all others working in the tunnel or performing work in connection with equipment.</u> Subway construction to be separately rated.</p>

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<p>8105</p>	<p>STORE HIDE OR LEATHER DEALER</p>	<p>8018</p>	<p>STORE WHOLESALE-NOC BARBER OR BEAUTY PARLOR SUPPLY HOUSE DRY ICE DEALERS - WHOLESALE EGG DEALER-WHOLESALE (Includes grading, candling, and packing.) MILL SUPPLY DEALER SOFT DRINK DISTRIBUTORS-WHOLESALE (No bottling.) STORE - PET AND PET SUPPLY - WHOLESALE STORE FRUIT OR VEGETABLE-WHOLESALE STORE GROCERY-WHOLESALE STORE MAIL ORDER HOUSE (Operations other than MFG or retail store shall be assigned to the classification that would be used for a wholesale store dealing in the commodities handled.) STORE PAINT OR WALLPAPER-WHOLESALE BOTTLE DEALERS-NEW BOTTLES CANDLING OF EGGS CHARCOAL DLRS - WHOLESALE - PACKAGED CHEESE WHOLESALE CHRISTMAS TREE SELLING TO LOTS COMMISSION HOUSES DENTAL SUPPLY DEALERS - WHOLESALE JOBBERS - ALL TYPES OTHER THAN MACHINERY LABORATORIES IN CONNECTION WITH WHOLESALE STORES MAIL ORDER HOUSES PRODUCE DEALERS (Egg dealer, including candling.) SAUSAGE CASINGS - WHOLESALE - NO CLEANING SCALE STORES - WHOLESALE WINE OR SPIRIT MERCHANTS, WHOLESALE ELECTRICAL HARDWARE STORES - WHOLESALE SHIP CHANDLERS-NO MFG-WHOLESALE STORE-HARDWARE-WHOLESALE STORE HIDE OR LEATHER DEALER</p>
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Class code 2913 will be retained and the rate will be increased up to the swing limit of 25% with each rate revision until the class rate matches closer to class code 2883. Code 2913 will then be eliminated and employers will be reassigned to code 2883.

<p>2913</p>	<p>RATTAN, WILLOW, OR TWISTED FIBER PRODUCTS MFG (Includes upholstering.) FIBER FURNITURE WILLOWWARE MFG BASKET MFG - WILLOW WARE</p>	<p>2883</p>	<p>FURNITURE MANUFACTURING AND CABINET SHOP - WOOD-NOC (Includes assembling or finishing with power machinery. Types of materials used in the manufacture of either furniture or cabinets include wood, laminates, engineered wood products, hardy plank, plywood, and Formica. Any stain or lacquer that may be applied is also included. Other operations assigned to this code include: billiard table manufacturing, cabinet manufacturing for audio or visual devices and the installation of components; piano case manufacturing; trunk manufacturing, and cigar box manufacturing. Codes 2883, 2881, and 2735 must not be assigned to the same risk unless the operations described by these classifications are conducted as separate and distinct businesses.) ADVERTISING DISPLAY MFG - WOOD FLOOR SANDING OR SCRAPING - WOOD FLOORS (Refer to Code 5478 for laminate wood flooring such as engineered wood flooring installed using glue-down or interlocking methods. Not applicable to contractors who perform any other carpentry operations at the same job or location.) INCUBATOR MFG - WOOD JIGSAW PUZZLES STATUES MFG - WOOD PYROGRAPHY REFRIGERATED SHOW CASE MFG - WOOD SHOW CASE MFG - WOOD STORE FIXTURE MFG - WOOD HIGHLY FINISHED AIRPLANE SUBASSEMBLIES MFG - WOOD BLACKBOARD MFG CARD BOX MFG - INDEX CEDAR CHEST MFG CHAIR MFG - INCLUDING ASSEMBLY FURNITURE FRAME MFG SHADE MFG - VENETIAN - WOOD TANKS SEAT OR CABINET MFG - TOILET – WOOD <u>RATAN, WILLOW, OR TWISTED FIBER PRODUCTS MFG</u> <u>FIBER FURNITURE</u> <u>WILLOWWARE MFG</u> <u>BASKET MFG - WILLOW WARE</u></p>
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