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## Property & Casualty Insurance Filing Guidance Notice 2007 - A

TO: Insurers Offering Property and Casualty Insurance Products in Massachusetts

FROM: Lorraine E. Young, Director of Policy Form Review

DATE: May 25, 2007

RE: Updates to Policy Form Review Checklists

The purpose of this Filing Guidance Notice is to notify insurers who file property and casualty policies in Massachusetts about changes that have been made to certain Division of Insurance policy form review standards (checklists). The following checklists have been updated to reflect filing requirements for fungus/mold coverage as defined by Bulletin 2006-02. Additionally, filing requirements for sexual abuse and molestation exclusions have been removed.

Casualty Insurance Checklist

Fire, Marine and Inland Marine Insurance Checklist

Homeowner Insurance Checklist

Any companies that may be filing new forms should use the revised checklists when forwarding policy forms for the Division's review. <u>Checklists</u> can be accessed on our website.

If you have any questions regarding the subject matter of this notice, please consider contacting Lorraine E. Young, Director, Policy Form Review at <u>lorraine.e.young@state.ma.us</u> or (617) 521-7323.