TO: Insurance Companies Soliciting, Negotiating, Selling or Servicing Commercial or Private Passenger Automobile Insurance Policies in Massachusetts

FROM: Kevin P. Beagan, Deputy Commissioner and Director of the State Rating Bureau

DATE: August 19, 2008

RE: Adoption of Advisory Rates for Commercial or Private Passenger Automobile Insurance Policies

This Filing Guidance Notice notifies all insurance companies soliciting, negotiating, selling or servicing automobile insurance policies regarding the adoption of advisory automobile insurance rate and form filings that may be submitted by the Automobile Insurance Bureau of Massachusetts (AIB). Companies writing less than one percent of the Massachusetts automobile insurance market that have authorized the AIB to file on their behalf may decide to adopt or deviate from any of the AIB advisory filings. In either case, carriers are to notify the Division and submit the appropriate fees and filing material that are identified on the Division’s website, along with the effective date of the rates or forms being adopted. Carriers who choose to defer action on the AIB’s advisory filings do not need to notify the Division.

Any questions regarding this Filing Guidance Notice should be directed to Kevin P. Beagan, Deputy Commissioner and Director of the State Rating Bureau at (617) 521-7323.

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