



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Department of Industrial Accidents

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Director

June 28, 2013

Paul F. Meagher, President
Workers' Compensation Rating & Inspection Bureau
101 Arch Street
Boston, MA 02110

RE: Assessment Rates effective July 1, 2013

Dear Mr. Meagher:

Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 152, §65 (4) & (5), the Department of Industrial Accidents has established the insured assessment rates to be calculated for all policies effective July 1, 2013. The insured assessment rates are as follows:

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Insured Assessment Rate</u>	<u>Self-Insured Assessment Rate</u>
Private	0.034	0.036
Private opt-out	N/A	0.011
Public	0.000	0.000
Public opt out	N/A	N/A

Attached please find a list of both public and private employers that have exercised their right to opt-out of Trust Fund assessments.

We ask that you please let us review your circular letter announcing the new assessment rate before it is issued. If you have any questions, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Philip Hillman
Director
Attachment

OPT-OUT SELF-INSURED CO'S AND GROUPS

Self-insured Organizations that have opted out of Assessments	
DATE	COMPANIES
7/1/92	HARVARD COMMUNITY HEALTH
7/1/92	STURDY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
7/1/92	DEACONESS HOSPITAL
7/1/92	UNICCO
7/1/92	MARKET BASKET, INC.
7/1/92	DEMOULAS
7/1/92	STOP & SHOP COMPANIES
7/1/92	PURITY
7/1/92	MORTON INTERNATIONAL
7/1/92	ARMSTRONG
7/1/92	GILLETTE COMPANY
7/1/92	ST. JOHNSBURY
7/1/92	CAPE COD HOSPITAL
7/1/92	YELLOW FREIGHT SYSTEMS
7/1/92	NORWOOD HOSPITAL
7/1/92	FLATELY COMPANY
7/1/92	FEDERAL EXPRESS
7/1/92	BOSTON COLLEGE
7/1/92	NEW ENGLAND MEDICAL CENTER
7/1/92	SALEM HOSPITAL
7/1/94	DUPONT MERCK PHARMACEUTICAL
7/1/94	E.I. DUPONT DE REMOURS
7/1/94	FREUDENBERG NONWOVENS
7/1/94	ROCHE BROS
7/1/94	AFFILIATED PUBLICATIONS
7/1/96	SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE HEALTH
7/1/96	HOLYOKE-CHICOPEE AREA HEALTH (VALLEY HEALTH)
7/1/96	BAYSTATE HEALTH
7/1/96	STAR MARKETS
7/1/98	BRITTANY DYEING & PRINTING
7/1/98	SHAWS
7/1/99	CHRONICLE PUBLISHING
7/1/99	DOOLEY DICKINSON HOSPITAL
7/1/01	AEROVOX, INC.
7/1/03	PARTNERS HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS
7/1/03	WINCHESTER HOSPITAL
7/1/03	BROCKTON HOSPITAL
7/1/04	NEWTON WELLESLEY HOSPITAL
7/1/04	BOSTON MEDICAL CENTER
7/1/05	SOUTH COAST HEALTH SYSTEM
7/1/06	CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL BOSTON
7/1/06	HORIZON BEVERAGE COMPANY
7/1/07	TRUSTEES OF BOSTON UNIVERSITY
7/1/10	CARE GROUP

Self-insurance Groups that have opted out of Assessments	
DATE	GROUPS
7/1/92	MASS RETAIL MERCHANT WORKERS
7/1/96	MASS HIGH TECHNOLOGY S.I. GROUP
7/1/98	SELF-INSURED LUMBER BUSINESS
7/1/05	MASS. HEALTHCARE S.I. GROUP
7/1/05	MASS CARE S.I. GROUP
7/1/05	MASS. MANUFACTURING S.I. GROUP.
7/1/05	MASS. TRADE S.I. GROUP.
7/1/05	AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRIES COMP. CORP.
7/1/06	MA MCDONALD'S OPERATOR'S WC GROUP
7/1/06	MA NAHRO INSURANCE GROUP, INC.
7/1/07	ABC MASS. WC SIG
7/1/08	MASS BAY SIG
7/1/08	SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION SIG
7/1/09	INDEPENDENT SCHOOL COMP. CORP.
7/1/11	HVAC COMP. CORP.
7/1/11	NEEIA COMP., INC.

PUBLIC OPT-OUTS

OPT OUT PUBLIC ENTITIES					
DATE	CITIES	DATE	TOWNS	DATE	COUNTIES
7/1/95	ATTLEBORO	7/1/92	AMHERST	7/1/99	BRISTOL
7/1/92	BEVERLY	7/1/92	ARLINGTON	7/1/98	ESSEX
7/1/02	BOSTON	7/1/92	BARNSTABLE	7/1/98	HAMPSHIRE
7/1/99	BROCKTON	7/1/92	BELLINGHAM	7/1/98	NORFOLK
7/1/92	CAMBRIDGE	7/1/92	BOXBOROUGH	7/1/98	PLYMOUTH
7/1/96	CHELSEA	7/1/96	BRAINTREE	7/1/97	WORCESTER
7/1/95	CHICOPEE	7/1/00	BROOKLINE		
7/1/92	FALL RIVER	7/1/96	CONCORD		
7/1/01	FITCHBURG	7/1/93	DANVERS		
7/1/03	GLOUCESTER	7/1/92	DEDHAM		
7/1/92	HAVERHILL	7/1/92	FRAMINGHAM		
7/1/92	HOLYOKE	7/1/92	FRANKLIN		OTHERS
7/1/99	LAWRENCE	7/1/92	HINGHAM		
7/1/93	LOWELL	7/1/95	HULL		
7/1/99	LYNN	7/1/92	LEXINGTON	7/1/98	MASS. TURNPIKE AUTHORITY
7/1/03	MALDEN	7/1/98	MARBLEHEAD		
7/1/92	MARLBOROUGH	7/1/92	MARION	7/1/98	MASS. PORT AUTHORITY
7/1/03	MEDFORD	7/1/92	METHUEN		
7/1/04	MELROSE	7/1/92	MIDDLEBOROUGH	7/1/92	P.E.R.A.
7/1/92	NEW BEDFORD	7/1/00	NATICK	7/1/92	M.I.I.A.
7/1/99	NEWTON	7/1/92	NEEDHAM	7/1/92	WOODS HOLE, MARTHA'S VINEYARD &
7/1/03	PEABODY	7/1/97	NORFOLK	7/1/92	NANTUCKET STEAMSHIP AUTHORITY
7/1/99	PITTSFIELD	7/1/92	NORWOOD	7/1/92	MA EDUCATION & GOV'T ASSN W.C. TRUST.
7/1/03	REVERE	7/1/05	OAK BLUFFS	7/1/96	BOSTON WATER & SEWER COMMISSION
7/1/92	QUINCY	7/1/92	READING		
7/1/03	SALEM	7/1/95	SCITUATE		
7/1/92	SOMERVILLE	7/1/92	SOMERSET		
7/1/92	SPRINGFIELD	7/1/98	STOUGHTON		
7/1/97	TAUNTON	7/1/92	SOUTH HADLEY		
7/1/00	WALTHAM	7/1/92	STOW		
7/1/92	WESTFIELD	7/1/96	SUDBURY		
7/1/97	WOBURN	7/1/97	WEYMOUTH		
7/1/92	WORCESTER	7/1/99	WINCHESTER		