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BULLETIN 10-05

Date:

February 9, 2010

To:

All Property and Casualty Insurers, The Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund

(MAIF), The Joint Insurance Association (JIA), The Injured Workers Insurance

Fund (IWIF) and All Premium Finance Companies

Re:

Cancellations

Due to the severe winter storm throughout the State of Maryland, Governor Martin O'Malley issued Executive Order 01.01.2010.03 declaring a State of Emergency for the entire State of Maryland on February 5, 2010. Because of this unusual weather, daily life has been disrupted for many consumers. To avoid cancellations for personal auto insurance and homeowners insurance, I encourage insurers to provide reasonable accommodations to policyholders during this time, including, but not limited to, a grace period for premium payment.

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Beth Sammis, Acting Commissioner