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To: NISS Member Companies

RE: South Carolina Assigned Risk Commercial Automobile Classification Codes

AIPSO announced that the South Carolina Department of Insurance has approved revisions to their Commercial Automobile Insurance Plan Manual.

The South Carolina Department of Insurance has revised and approved some Public Transportation classification codes for both Fleet and Non-Fleet.

The attached pages reflect the new coding and these changes apply to policies effective January 1, 2017 for new and renewal policies.

The coding on the attached pages will be reflected in the 1st Quarter 2017 revisions to the NISS Automobile Volume I Statistical Plan.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Theresa A. Szwast".

Theresa A. Szwast
President & CEO

Attachment

CODING SECTION

	___ Premiums	___ Liability	___ Private Passenger
	___ Losses	___ No-Fault	___ Other Than Private
		___ Physical Damage	Passenger
	___ Voluntary Risks		___ Assigned Risks

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CODING SECTION

Premiums
 Losses

Liability
 No-Fault
 Physical Damage

Private Passenger
 Other Than Private Passenger
 Assigned Risks

Voluntary Risks

CLASSIFICATION CODES

Primary Classification Codes (First three digits)
For fourth digit, see Secondary Classification Codes

Description			RADIUS OF OPERATION		
SIZE		BUSINESS USE	Local Up To 50 Miles	Intermediate 51-200 Miles	Long Distance Over 200 Miles
EXTRA HEAVY TRUCK-TRACTORS (GVW over 45,000 Pounds)	Non-Fleet		501-	502-	503-
	Fleet		504-	505-	506-
Trailer Types	Non-Fleet	Semitrailers Trailers Service or Utility (0-2000 lbs. load capacity)	671- 681- 691-	672- 682- 692-	673- 683- 693-
	Fleet	Semitrailers Trailers Service or Utility (0-2000 lbs. load capacity)	674- 684- 694-	675- 685- 695-	676- 686- 696-

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 ZONE RATED

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Notes:

All states except Connecticut and South Dakota are subject to a 1-digit secondary rating factor to complete the 4-digit code. Connecticut and South Dakota are subject to a 2-digit secondary rating factor to complete the 5-digit code.

All codes are to be reported with the applicable Penalty Point/Surcharge Code. See pages A393 and A394.

For Zone Rated Risks, Territory code is not required. However, Rating Zone code and Terminal Zone code are required. Refer to page A270 for Rating and Terminal Zone coding instructions.

CODING SECTION

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	<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Damage	
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CLASSIFICATION CODES

APPLICABLE TO:

ALL STATES EXCEPT CONNECTICUT AND SOUTH DAKOTA

SECONDARY CLASSIFICATION (FOURTH DIGIT OF CLASSIFICATION CODE)

Description	Code
MANUFACTURERS - Automobiles used to transport raw materials and finished and/or unfinished goods manufactured, processed or constructed by the insured, except food manufacturers (EXCLUDES SOUTH CAROLINA)	1
TRUCKMEN - Automobiles used to haul or transport goods, materials or commodities for another, other than automobiles used in moving operations. Tow trucks for hire.....	2
FOOD DELIVERY - Automobiles used by food manufacturers to transport raw and finished products or used in wholesale distribution of food.....	3
SPECIALIZED DELIVERY - Automobiles used in delivery of mail, parcel post, magazines, newspapers, film and other deliveries subject to time and similar constraints; and armored cars.....	4
WASTE DISPOSAL - Automobiles transporting salvage and/or waste material for disposal or resale: a) Automobile dismantlers, b) Building wrecking operators, c) Garbage removal, d) Junk Dealers, e) All Other.....	5
FARMERS - Automobiles owned by a farmer, used in connection with the operation of his own farm and occasionally used to haul commodities for other farmers.....	6
DUMP AND TRANSIT MIX TRUCKS	7
CONTRACTORS (OTHER THAN DUMP TRUCKS) (EXCLUDES HAWAII)	8
ALL OTHER - Not secondary rated, including Zone Rated risks other than Truckmen.....	9

CODING SECTION

X Premiums X Liability Private Passenger
X Losses X No-Fault X Other Than Private
 Physical Damage Passenger
 Voluntary Risks X Assigned Risks

CLASSIFICATION CODES

PUBLIC AUTOMOBILE - PER CAR BASIS

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION CODES

NON-FLEET

NOT APPLICABLE TO HAWAII

Description	RADIUS OF OPERATION		
	Local 50 miles or less	Intermediate 51-200 miles	Long Distance Over 200 miles
Taxicab - Owner-driver	4158-	4168-	4178-
Taxicab - All Other	4159-	4169-	4179-
Limousine - Seating 8 or Fewer	4259-	4269-	4279-
Limousine - Seating more than 8	4254-	4264-	4274-
Car Service	5178-	5278-	5378-
School Bus			
- Owned by Political Subdivision or School District	615-	616-	617-
- Other	625-	626-	627-
Church Bus	635-	636-	637-
Urban Bus	515-	516-	N/A
Airport Bus or Airport Limo	525-	526-	5279-
Inter-City Bus	535-	536-	5379-
Charter Bus	545-	546-	5479-
Sightseeing Bus	555-	556-	5579-
Social Service Automobiles			
- Employee Operated	645-	646-	6479-
- All Other	655-	656-	6579-
Transportation of Athletes and Entertainers Bus	565-	566-	5679-
Paratransit	4398-	4498-	N/A
Bus N.O.C.	585-	586-	5879-

<---Zone Rated--->

SECONDARY CLASSIFICATIONS

SECONDARY RATING FACTOR CODES

(Fourth Digit of Classification Codes)

Seating Capacity	Code
1-8	1
9-20	2
21-60	3
Over 60	4
All Other Not Secondarily Rated	9

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