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**Compensation Circular CM-426**

To: All Coal Mine Compensation Insurance Carriers

From: Dale W. Broadwater *DWB*  
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RE: **Revised Rates for USL&H**  
**Effective: April 1, 2009**

The Pennsylvania Compensation Rating Bureau has announced by their circular no. 1554, dated October 13, 2008, the approval of an F-Class filing effective April 1, 2009.

In accordance with Rule XI-D-2, page 21 of the currently approved CMCRB Manual, the USL&H rates in the CMCRB Manual must be adjusted effective April 1, 2009. This adjustment includes both the revised USL&H multiplier of 0.803, as well as, the CMCRB loss costs approved effective April 1, 2009.

In accordance with the approved CMCRB Manual, the following USL&H rates shall be applicable as of April 1, 2009 for exposures under the USL&H Act for coal mine employers:

Anthracite Mining.....	\$49.74
Bituminous Mining.....	\$16.53

Manual pages reflecting these changes will be including in the April 1, 2009 printing.

Should you have any questions regarding this topic, please contact the Bureau.