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COMPENSATION CIRCULAR CM-508

To: All Coal Mine Compensation Insurance Carriers

From: Charles A. Romberger, Executive Director

RE: Proposal CM-1-2026
Proposed Loss Costs for Traumatic, State Occupational Disease and Federal Occupational Disease Coverages
To Be Effective: April 1, 2027

On November 13, 2026, the Coal Mine Compensation Rating Bureau of Pennsylvania ("Bureau") submitted the captioned filing for approval to the Pennsylvania Insurance Commissioner. The proposal requests the approval of an overall 4.7% decrease in manual loss costs. The attached exhibit displays the currently approved manual loss costs and the proposed manual loss costs by classification and coverage.

The Bureau's filing also includes a revision to the Employer Assessment Factor applicable to classifications under the Bureau's jurisdiction from 0.0218 to 0.0252.

Any policy with a Rating Effective Date on or after April 1, 2027, shall be issued on a tentative basis and should include the Pending Rate Change Endorsement (WC 00 04 04). The Bureau notes that Anniversary Rating Date provisions were eliminated effective May 1, 2017 and that information concerning this change is available on our website in Compensation Circular CM-468.

A complete copy of Proposal CM-1-2026 will be or is published on the Bureau's website under the "Filings" tab. You may access the Bureau's website via www.cmcrbpa.com.

If you have any questions about this proposal, please contact the Bureau by calling 717-238-5020 or by emailing chuck.cmcrb@gmail.com.

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Attachment (Exhibit I-A-M – Pages 1 & 2)

Coal Mine Compensation Rating Bureau
Current and Proposed Loss Costs
Manual Including Loadings

	(1) 2025 Developed Payroll	(2) Approved Loss Cost Manual	(3) Proposed Loss Cost Manual	(4) Percent Change
Underground Anthracite				
Traumatic (1010)	$ 244,726	$ 9.34	$ 7.64	-18.2%
State O.D. (1011)	$ 244,726	$ 17.27	$ 15.80	-8.5%
Federal Basic/Ex (0160)	$ 244,726	$ 27.73	$ 33.36	20.3%
Total	xx	$ 54.34	$ 56.80	4.5%
Underground Bituminous				
Traumatic (1001)	$ 151,698,127	$ 4.66	$ 4.73	1.5%
State O.D. (1002)	$ 151,698,127	$ 0.60	$ 0.54	-10.0%
Federal Basic/Ex (0158)	$ 151,698,127	$ 1.02	$ 1.06	3.9%
Total	xx	$ 6.28	$ 6.33	0.8%
Surface Anthracite				
Traumatic (1012)	$ 50,858,100	$ 2.71	$ 2.04	-24.7%
State O.D. (1016)	$ 50,858,100	$ 0.90	$ 0.95	5.6%
Federal Basic/Ex (0153)	$ 51,285,458	$ 1.26	$ 1.06	-15.9%
Total	xx	$ 4.87	$ 4.05	-16.8%
Surface Bituminous				
Traumatic (1014)	$ 24,865,191	$ 0.84	$ 0.63	-25.0%
State O.D. (1013)	$ 24,865,191	$ 0.66	$ 0.56	-15.2%
Federal Basic/Ex (0156)	$ 25,048,857	$ 0.85	$ 0.66	-22.4%
Total	xx	$ 2.35	$ 1.85	-21.3%
Four Standard Classifications				
Traumatic	$ 227,666,144	$ 3.81	$ 3.68	-3.4%
State O.D.	$ 227,666,144	$ 0.69	$ 0.65	-5.8%
Federal Basic/Ex	$ 228,277,168	$ 1.08	$ 1.05	-2.8%
Total	xx	$ 5.58	$ 5.38	-3.6%

Sources: Column (1) - Exhibit X-A
Column (2) - Exhibit X-B, Page 2
Column (3) - Exhibit I-B
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Current and Proposed Loss Costs
Manual Including Loadings

		(1) 2025 Developed Payroll	(2) Approved Loss Cost Manual	(3) Proposed Loss Cost Manual	(4) Percent Change
Coke					
	Traumatic (1469)	$ 0	$ 3.61	$ 3.43	-5.0%
	State O.D. (1017)	$ 0	$ 0.10	$ 0.09	-10.0%
	Federal Basic/Ex (0154)	$ 0	$ 0.10	$ 0.10	0.0%
	Total	xx	$ 3.81	$ 3.62	-5.0%
Auger					
	Traumatic (1015)	$ 368,208	$ 5.73	$ 7.09	23.7%
	State O.D. (1019)	$ 368,208	$ 0.19	$ 0.19	0.0%
	Federal Basic/Ex (0157)	$ 368,208	$ 0.42	$ 0.40	-4.8%
	Total	xx	$ 6.34	$ 7.68	21.1%
Co-Gen Anthracite					
	Traumatic (1021)	$ 11,334,139	$ 3.69	$ 2.76	-25.2%
	State O.D. (1022)	$ 11,334,139	$ 0.55	$ 0.60	9.1%
	Federal Basic/Ex (0181)	$ 11,334,139	$ 0.51	$ 0.59	15.7%
	Total	xx	$ 4.75	$ 3.95	-16.8%
Co-Gen Bituminous					
	Traumatic (1023)	$ 32,218,561	$ 1.21	$ 1.21	0.0%
	State O.D. (1024)	$ 32,218,561	$ 0.17	$ 0.15	-11.8%
	Federal Basic/Ex (0182)	$ 32,218,561	$ 0.23	$ 0.22	-4.3%
	Total	xx	$ 1.61	$ 1.58	-1.9%
Prep Plant Anthracite					
	Traumatic (1025)	$ 24,495,096	$ 1.81	$ 1.37	-24.3%
	State O.D. (1026)	$ 24,495,096	$ 2.88	$ 2.56	-11.1%
	Federal Basic/Ex (0183)	$ 24,642,255	$ 0.77	$ 0.74	-3.9%
	Total	xx	$ 5.46	$ 4.67	-14.5%
Prep Plant Bituminous					
	Traumatic (1027)	$ 42,529,094	$ 1.08	$ 0.99	-8.3%
	State O.D. (1028)	$ 42,529,094	$ 0.23	$ 0.22	-4.3%
	Federal Basic/Ex (0184)	$ 42,529,094	$ 0.32	$ 0.33	3.1%
	Total	xx	$ 1.63	$ 1.54	-5.5%
Other Classifications					
	Traumatic	$ 110,945,098	$ 1.56	$ 1.34	-14.1%
	State O.D.	$ 110,945,098	$ 0.83	$ 0.76	-8.4%
	Federal Basic/Ex	$ 111,092,257	$ 0.41	$ 0.41	0.0%
	Total	xx	$ 2.80	$ 2.51	-10.4%
All Classifications Combined					
	Traumatic	$ 338,611,242	$ 3.07	$ 2.92	-4.9%
	State O.D.	$ 338,611,242	$ 0.74	$ 0.69	-6.8%
	Federal Basic/Ex	$ 339,369,425	$ 0.86	$ 0.84	-2.3%
	Total	xx	$ 4.67	$ 4.45	-4.7%

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