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BUREAU CIRCULAR NO. 1465

To All Members of the Bureau:

Re: EXPERIENCE RATING WORKSHEET LOOKUP PRODUCT (EXR) ANNOUNCEMENT

The Bureau is pleased to announce the industry-wide introduction of Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup Product (EXR). EXR was specifically designed to provide access to experience rating worksheets through the ACCCT Compensation Data Exchange (CDX) application, which was announced in Bureau Circular No. 1463, dated October 29, 2003. Additional information regarding this product is provided in the attached announcement from the American Cooperative Council on Compensation Technology (ACCCT). ACCCT is an industry group which facilitates cooperative development of products related to workers compensation insurance. The Bureau is a participant in ACCCT's joint venture related to the EXR project.

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ACCCT ANNOUNCES RELEASE OF EXPERIENCE RATING WORKSHEET LOOKUP PRODUCT October 24, 2003

INTRODUCTION

ACCCT is pleased to announce the introduction of the Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup product, which was specifically designed to provide access to Experience Rating Worksheets through ACCCT's CDX Internet application. This product provides extensive search criteria and sort criteria to allow the user to find, view, and print ratings.

Experience Rating Worksheets are available from the following Data Collection Organizations (DCOs): Delaware, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin. Additionally, ACCCT has provided a link to the California and New York web sites for access to their Experience Rating Worksheets.

The new Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup product is available at no additional charge to current DCO member insurers in good standing.

HOW EXPERIENCE RATING WORKSHEET LOOKUP WILL WORK

For security reasons, member insurers will only be able to view and/or retrieve their own worksheets. User functions are provided so each rating selected can be viewed, and can be printed using the browser print function.

HOW TO GET STARTED

Access to Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup is provided through ACCCT's Compensation Data Exchange (CDX) system. ACCCT has established a *Central Administrator* to process all applications and establish accounts for all member insurers who desire to use the CDX system. You may contact the Central Administrator or the ACCCT representative(s) at the appropriate DCO(s) as shown below for additional information or to receive an application.

The detailed descriptions and instructions pertaining to the use of the Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup are included in the Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup User's Guide, which can be found on the ACCCT Web site at www.accct.org

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