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TO: ALL PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURERS DOING BUSINESS IN WEST VIRGINIA

RE: OFFICIAL USED CAR GUIDES

West Virginia Code Section 33-6-33 provides in pertinent part that "[i]nsurance companies doing business in this State shall use the most recent publication of an 'official used car guide' approved by the insurance commissioner as a guide for setting the minimum value of any motor vehicle involved in a claim settlement arising from a motor vehicle accident." Effective January 1, 2001, only the following official used car guides are approved by the Commissioner for use in West Virginia:

- National Automobile Dealers Association Used Car Guide (NADA Guide)
- National Automobile Dealers Association RV Guide
- National Automobile Dealers Association Boat Guide
- National Automobile Dealers Association Motorcycle Guide
- National Automobile Dealers Association Mobile Home Guide
- National Automobile Dealers Association Older Car Guide
- National Automobile Dealers Association Older RV Guide
- National Automobile Dealers Association Older Motorcycle Guide

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