



Minnesota Workers' Compensation
Insurers Association, Inc.
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Minneapolis, MN 55435-3200

January 4, 2000

ALL ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

Circular Letter No. 00-1335

RE: 4-1-2000 Assigned Risk Rates

Commerce Commissioner Minn issued a rate order on December 17, 1999 approving a 6.2% decrease in the overall level of the Assigned Risk rates effective April 1, 2000. The following is an excerpt of the Commissioner's order:

"ORDERED

1. That the Minnesota Workers' Compensation Assigned Risk Plan will adopt effective April 1, 2000, the relativities of the pure premium base rates of the 2000 Minnesota Ratemaking Report of the Minnesota Workers' Compensation Insurers Association.
2. That the Minnesota Workers' Compensation Assigned Risk Plan will decrease its overall rate level by 6.2% effective April 1, 2000.
3. That the new schedule of Plan rates will be produced by applying a uniform multiplier of 2.50 to the pure premium base rates of the 2000 Minnesota Ratemaking Report of the Minnesota Workers' Compensation Insurers Association."

These rates have also been adjusted by the application of the Minnesota Contractors Premium Adjustment Program.

A listing of approved rates is attached for your review. Please feel free to call with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

CRAIG A. ANDERSON

Vice President
Actuarial Services

CAA/sb
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MINNESOTA WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Assigned Risk Rates
Effective New and Renewal April 1, 2000

| <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> | <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> | <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 0005 | 15.85 | 506 | 1860 | 4.15 | 214 | 2503 | 4.25 | 216 |
| 0006 | 12.10 | 413 | 1924 | 6.35 | 269 | 2534 | 4.25 | 216 |
| 0008 | 6.98 | 285 | 1925 | 7.93 | 308 | 2570 | 13.00 | 435 |
| 0016 | 12.10 | 413 | 2001 | 6.90 | 283 | 2576 | 10.13 | 363 |
| 0034 | 10.23 | 366 | 2002 | 6.25 | 266 | 2578 | 4.13 | 213 |
| 0035 | 6.68 | 277 | 2003 | 8.10 | 313 | 2585 | 7.15 | 289 |
| 0042 | 17.58 | 550 | 2014 | 9.30 | 343 | 2586 | 7.15 | 289 |
| 0050 | 15.48 | 497 | 2016 | 4.45 | 221 | 2587 | 9.35 | 344 |
| 0079 | 6.98 | 285 | 2021 | 5.10 | 238 | 2623 | 11.05 | 386 |
| 0106 | 35.30 | 575 | 2039 | 6.75 | 279 | 2640 | 7.23 | 291 |
| 0113 | 10.23 | 366 | 2041 | 6.98 | 285 | 2651 | 4.75 | 229 |
| 0170 | 4.80 | 230 | 2065 | 6.75 | 279 | 2660 | 4.75 | 229 |
| 0251 | 16.73 | 528 | 2070 | 6.75 | 279 | 2670 | 4.75 | 229 |
| 0400 | 18.45 | 571 | 2081 | 7.65 | 301 | 2683 | 4.75 | 229 |
| 0401 | 32.43 | 575 | 2089 | 14.23 | 466 | 2686 | 4.75 | 229 |
| 0908 | 199.85 | 310 | 2095 | 7.25 | 291 | 2688 | 4.75 | 229 |
| 0909 | 125.63 | 236 | 2105 | 8.50 | 323 | 2702 | 51.53 | 575 |
| 0912 | 1290.50 | 1401 | 2111 | 6.28 | 267 | 2710 | 34.28 | 575 |
| 0913 | 554.48 | 664 | 2121 | 7.65 | 301 | 2714 | 7.00 | 285 |
| 0917 | 14.45 | 471 | 2130 | 7.73 | 303 | 2729 | 8.90 | 333 |
| 1164 | 14.28 | 467 | 2131 | 12.95 | 434 | 2731 | 9.08 | 337 |
| 1165 | 11.38 | 395 | 2150 | 14.48 | 472 | 2735 | 6.53 | 273 |
| 1320 | 6.35 | 269 | 2157 | 12.38 | 420 | 2759 | 7.63 | 301 |
| 1322 | 51.80 | 575 | 2172 | 2.03 | 161 | 2790 | 3.25 | 191 |
| 1430 | 22.08 | 575 | 2174 | 6.23 | 266 | 2802 | 5.38 | 245 |
| 1438 | 15.73 | 503 | 2211 | 10.88 | 382 | 2812 | 7.33 | 293 |
| 1452 | 3.70 | 203 | 2220 | 10.48 | 372 | 2881 | 5.38 | 245 |
| 1463 | 36.05 | 575 | 2286 | 7.93 | 308 | 2883 | 5.20 | 240 |
| 1472 | 16.78 | 530 | 2288 | 8.53 | 323 | 2915 | 8.78 | 330 |
| 1624 | 13.40 | 445 | 2302 | 3.68 | 202 | 2916 | 5.38 | 245 |
| 1642 | 2.78 | 180 | 2305 | 9.95 | 359 | 2923 | 2.98 | 185 |
| 1654 | 13.40 | 445 | 2361 | 4.25 | 216 | 2960 | 12.58 | 425 |
| 1655 | 13.40 | 445 | 2362 | 4.25 | 216 | 3004 | 6.53 | 273 |
| 1699 | 2.78 | 180 | 2380 | 4.25 | 216 | 3018 | 6.70 | 278 |
| 1701 | 2.78 | 180 | 2388 | 4.25 | 216 | 3022 | 8.75 | 329 |
| 1710 | 14.68 | 477 | 2402 | 8.20 | 315 | 3027 | 4.10 | 213 |
| 1747 | 6.83 | 281 | 2413 | 4.25 | 216 | 3028 | 8.43 | 321 |
| 1803 | 8.20 | 315 | 2416 | 5.15 | 239 | 3030 | 14.50 | 473 |
| 1852 | 7.28 | 292 | 2417 | 4.25 | 216 | 3040 | 12.75 | 429 |
| 1853 | 9.00 | 335 | 2501 | 5.33 | 243 | 3042 | 4.20 | 215 |

MINNESOTA WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Assigned Risk Rates
Effective New and Renewal April 1, 2000

| <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> | <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> | <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 3064 | 15.43 | 496 | 3507 | 6.33 | 268 | 4061 | 7.60 | 300 |
| 3066 | 9.10 | 338 | 3515 | 5.88 | 257 | 4062 | 7.60 | 300 |
| 3076 | 6.25 | 266 | 3548 | 3.68 | 202 | 4101 | 12.13 | 413 |
| 3081 | 10.45 | 371 | 3559 | 6.10 | 263 | 4112 | 1.83 | 156 |
| 3082 | 12.95 | 434 | 3571 | 1.13 | 138 | 4114 | 1.25 | 141 |
| 3085 | 7.28 | 292 | 3574 | 0.93 | 133 | 4130 | 6.73 | 278 |
| 3110 | 21.93 | 575 | 3612 | 5.05 | 236 | 4131 | 7.45 | 296 |
| 3111 | 6.40 | 270 | 3620 | 11.70 | 403 | 4133 | 5.95 | 259 |
| 3113 | 3.40 | 195 | 3629 | 3.73 | 203 | 4150 | 2.23 | 166 |
| 3114 | 5.80 | 255 | 3632 | 5.43 | 246 | 4206 | 8.55 | 324 |
| 3126 | 6.10 | 263 | 3634 | 4.40 | 220 | 4207 | 2.05 | 161 |
| 3131 | 3.63 | 201 | 3635 | 3.28 | 192 | 4239 | 6.60 | 275 |
| 3132 | 8.28 | 317 | 3638 | 2.73 | 178 | 4240 | 2.05 | 161 |
| 3145 | 4.38 | 220 | 3642 | 2.75 | 179 | 4243 | 5.43 | 246 |
| 3146 | 5.70 | 253 | 3643 | 3.23 | 191 | 4244 | 5.38 | 245 |
| 3169 | 5.45 | 246 | 3647 | 2.85 | 181 | 4250 | 2.05 | 161 |
| 3175 | 5.45 | 246 | 3648 | 4.53 | 223 | 4251 | 7.03 | 286 |
| 3179 | 3.23 | 191 | 3681 | 3.15 | 189 | 4263 | 2.05 | 161 |
| 3180 | 7.15 | 289 | 3685 | 2.23 | 166 | 4273 | 6.30 | 268 |
| 3188 | 5.80 | 255 | 3719 | 12.00 | 410 | 4279 | 4.48 | 222 |
| 3220 | 6.35 | 269 | 3724 | 17.85 | 556 | 4283 | 3.65 | 201 |
| 3223 | 7.23 | 291 | 3726 | 30.83 | 575 | 4299 | 4.98 | 235 |
| 3224 | 11.25 | 391 | 3803 | 6.20 | 265 | 4304 | 4.98 | 235 |
| 3227 | 7.23 | 291 | 3807 | 6.60 | 275 | 4307 | 4.20 | 215 |
| 3241 | 7.40 | 295 | 3808 | 6.00 | 260 | 4308 | 1.50 | 148 |
| 3255 | 13.40 | 445 | 3821 | 17.73 | 553 | 4314 | 1.15 | 139 |
| 3257 | 6.65 | 276 | 3822 | 9.10 | 338 | 4351 | 2.55 | 174 |
| 3300 | 37.35 | 575 | 3824 | 10.08 | 362 | 4352 | 2.55 | 174 |
| 3303 | 7.93 | 308 | 3826 | 2.68 | 177 | 4361 | 2.83 | 181 |
| 3307 | 7.93 | 308 | 3827 | 5.68 | 252 | 4410 | 9.18 | 340 |
| 3315 | 2.28 | 167 | 3830 | 2.40 | 170 | 4420 | 8.20 | 315 |
| 3334 | 4.98 | 235 | 3851 | 9.48 | 347 | 4432 | 27.85 | 575 |
| 3341 | 7.55 | 299 | 3881 | 6.70 | 278 | 4452 | 5.83 | 256 |
| 3365 | 22.48 | 575 | 4000 | 19.88 | 575 | 4459 | 6.98 | 285 |
| 3372 | 9.10 | 338 | 4021 | 4.68 | 227 | 4470 | 3.58 | 200 |
| 3373 | 21.28 | 575 | 4024 | 14.50 | 473 | 4484 | 6.70 | 278 |
| 3382 | 2.23 | 166 | 4034 | 15.48 | 497 | 4493 | 4.98 | 235 |
| 3383 | 2.23 | 166 | 4036 | 5.33 | 243 | 4511 | 0.70 | 128 |
| 3385 | 2.23 | 166 | 4038 | 7.60 | 300 | 4557 | 8.80 | 330 |
| 3400 | 7.23 | 291 | 4053 | 7.60 | 300 | 4558 | 5.03 | 236 |

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| <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> | <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> | <u>Class Code</u> | <u>4/1/00 Assigned Risk Rate</u> | <u>Minimum Premium</u> |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 4568 | 18.25 | 566 | 5213 | 21.80 | 575 | 6248 | 13.98 | 460 |
| 4581 | 2.58 | 175 | 5215 | 16.90 | 533 | 6251 | 53.50 | 575 |
| 4583 | 7.50 | 298 | 5221 | 16.50 | 523 | 6252 | 30.83 | 575 |
| 4611 | 2.95 | 184 | 5222 | 34.63 | 575 | 6260 | 62.00 | 575 |
| 4635 | 4.38 | 220 | 5348 | 22.78 | 575 | 6306 | 19.55 | 575 |
| 4653 | 3.40 | 195 | 5403 | 43.03 | 575 | 6319 | 12.73 | 428 |
| 4665 | 8.75 | 329 | 5437 | 21.63 | 575 | 6325 | 16.73 | 528 |
| 4670 | 12.78 | 430 | 5445 | 22.85 | 575 | 6400 | 19.05 | 575 |
| 4683 | 2.43 | 171 | 5462 | 24.15 | 575 | 6504 | 9.00 | 335 |
| 4686 | 2.90 | 183 | 5472 | 31.40 | 575 | 6811 | 10.93 | 383 |
| 4692 | 1.45 | 146 | 5473 | 23.68 | 575 | 6834 | 10.93 | 383 |
| 4693 | 2.70 | 178 | 5474 | 17.83 | 556 | 6836 | 10.93 | 383 |
| 4703 | 3.78 | 205 | 5478 | 22.28 | 575 | 6854 | 12.23 | 416 |
| 4720 | 3.60 | 200 | 5479 | 30.15 | 575 | 6882 | 20.98 | 575 |
| 4740 | 4.20 | 215 | 5480 | 23.90 | 575 | 6884 | 74.50 | 575 |
| 4741 | 4.28 | 217 | 5491 | 5.30 | 243 | 7201 | 24.75 | 575 |
| 4751 | 16.33 | 518 | 5506 | 18.45 | 571 | 7207 | 24.75 | 575 |
| 4767 | 1.58 | 150 | 5507 | 19.10 | 575 | 7222 | 20.45 | 575 |
| 4771 | 7.13 | 288 | 5508 | 24.43 | 575 | 7228 | 21.75 | 575 |
| 4777 | 24.28 | 575 | 5536 | 16.53 | 523 | 7229 | 21.75 | 575 |
| 4825 | 1.28 | 142 | 5538 | 11.88 | 407 | 7230 | 11.75 | 404 |
| 4828 | 1.78 | 155 | 5551 | 67.18 | 575 | 7231 | 11.75 | 404 |
| 4829 | 1.78 | 155 | 5606 | 4.53 | 223 | 7232 | 17.10 | 538 |
| 4902 | 10.73 | 378 | 5645 | 20.08 | 575 | 7360 | 30.53 | 575 |
| 4923 | 1.25 | 141 | 5649 | 16.35 | 519 | 7370 | 9.58 | 350 |
| 5000 | 111.65 | 575 | 5651 | 21.43 | 575 | 7380 | 8.95 | 334 |
| 5020 | 23.05 | 575 | 5703 | 68.00 | 575 | 7382 | 8.08 | 312 |
| 5022 | 23.08 | 575 | 5705 | 14.98 | 485 | 7390 | 14.43 | 471 |
| 5037 | 57.78 | 575 | 5951 | 5.85 | 256 | 7403 | 3.40 | 195 |
| 5040 | 143.68 | 575 | 6003 | 48.58 | 575 | 7405 | 0.98 | 135 |
| 5057 | 38.68 | 575 | 6017 | 30.60 | 575 | 7409 | 195.48 | 575 |
| 5059 | 253.25 | 575 | 6204 | 70.48 | 575 | 7420 | 25.85 | 575 |
| 5102 | 19.25 | 575 | 6213 | 20.25 | 575 | 7421 | 1.80 | 155 |
| 5146 | 14.05 | 461 | 6216 | 18.33 | 568 | 7422 | 6.63 | 276 |
| 5160 | 9.98 | 360 | 6217 | 16.93 | 533 | 7423 | 7.15 | 289 |
| 5183 | 13.23 | 441 | 6229 | 10.38 | 370 | 7425 | 31.60 | 575 |
| 5188 | 14.63 | 476 | 6233 | 32.25 | 575 | 7431 | 6.63 | 276 |
| 5190 | 8.50 | 323 | 6235 | 43.60 | 575 | 7502 | 2.58 | 175 |
| 5191 | 2.20 | 165 | 6236 | 74.48 | 575 | 7515 | 5.73 | 253 |
| 5192 | 7.15 | 289 | 6237 | 9.70 | 353 | 7520 | 4.50 | 223 |

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|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 7529 | 30.30 | 575 | 8106 | 9.30 | 343 | 8748 | 0.88 | 132 |
| 7538 | 32.35 | 575 | 8107 | 6.33 | 268 | 8800 | 10.50 | 373 |
| 7539 | 5.35 | 244 | 8111 | 6.10 | 263 | 8803 | 0.28 | 117 |
| 7540 | 4.90 | 233 | 8116 | 4.75 | 229 | 8810 | 0.33 | 118 |
| 7580 | 8.75 | 329 | 8203 | 9.48 | 347 | 8820 | 0.33 | 118 |
| 7590 | 10.83 | 381 | 8204 | 27.45 | 575 | 8824 | 5.85 | 256 |
| 7600 | 4.45 | 221 | 8209 | 9.60 | 350 | 8825 | 6.13 | 263 |
| 7601 | 21.23 | 575 | 8215 | 7.35 | 294 | 8826 | 4.50 | 223 |
| 7605 | 2.20 | 165 | 8227 | 10.63 | 376 | 8828 | 13.93 | 458 |
| 7610 | 1.23 | 141 | 8232 | 9.50 | 348 | 8829 | 6.50 | 273 |
| 7706 | 5.40 | 245 | 8233 | 23.08 | 575 | 8830 | 6.55 | 274 |
| 7708 | 113.18 | 223 | 8235 | 10.70 | 378 | 8831 | 9.03 | 336 |
| 7720 | 3.80 | 205 | 8263 | 10.50 | 373 | 8832 | 0.73 | 128 |
| 7855 | 50.45 | 575 | 8264 | 14.00 | 460 | 8833 | 2.93 | 183 |
| 8001 | 2.75 | 179 | 8265 | 25.28 | 575 | 8835 | 4.83 | 231 |
| 8002 | 2.40 | 170 | 8279 | 24.75 | 575 | 8844 | 1.33 | 143 |
| 8006 | 3.10 | 188 | 8280 | 6.75 | 279 | 8845 | 2.85 | 181 |
| 8008 | 1.80 | 155 | 8284 | 18.15 | 564 | 8861 | 1.40 | 145 |
| 8013 | 1.50 | 148 | 8285 | 10.60 | 375 | 8868 | 1.35 | 144 |
| 8015 | 1.43 | 146 | 8286 | 17.20 | 540 | 8869 | 1.35 | 144 |
| 8017 | 2.40 | 170 | 8291 | 8.38 | 320 | 8901 | 0.35 | 119 |
| 8018 | 6.18 | 265 | 8292 | 8.05 | 311 | 9012 | 1.15 | 139 |
| 8021 | 11.65 | 401 | 8293 | 18.75 | 575 | 9014 | 7.35 | 294 |
| 8029 | 4.58 | 225 | 8304 | 9.03 | 336 | 9015 | 7.35 | 294 |
| 8031 | 6.65 | 276 | 8350 | 9.30 | 343 | 9016 | 5.20 | 240 |
| 8032 | 7.10 | 288 | 8353 | 5.88 | 257 | 9033 | 3.55 | 199 |
| 8033 | 3.98 | 210 | 8380 | 5.13 | 238 | 9040 | 5.20 | 240 |
| 8034 | 6.28 | 267 | 8381 | 2.43 | 171 | 9044 | 4.48 | 222 |
| 8036 | 2.43 | 171 | 8385 | 5.88 | 257 | 9052 | 4.48 | 222 |
| 8039 | 2.70 | 178 | 8392 | 7.08 | 287 | 9054 | 4.85 | 231 |
| 8044 | 5.40 | 245 | 8393 | 5.13 | 238 | 9058 | 4.48 | 222 |
| 8045 | 2.40 | 170 | 8395 | 5.13 | 238 | 9059 | 5.05 | 236 |
| 8047 | 7.85 | 306 | 8500 | 7.95 | 309 | 9060 | 2.38 | 170 |
| 8048 | 6.28 | 267 | 8601 | 1.58 | 150 | 9061 | 3.25 | 191 |
| 8050 | 3.63 | 201 | 8606 | 5.03 | 236 | 9062 | 3.25 | 191 |
| 8052 | 3.75 | 204 | 8719 | 8.95 | 334 | 9063 | 2.33 | 168 |
| 8058 | 2.80 | 180 | 8720 | 2.90 | 183 | 9082 | 2.28 | 167 |
| 8072 | 2.40 | 170 | 8721 | 1.15 | 139 | 9083 | 2.05 | 161 |
| 8102 | 5.78 | 255 | 8742 | 1.15 | 139 | 9084 | 2.80 | 180 |
| 8103 | 10.00 | 360 | 8745 | 7.80 | 305 | 9088 | 28.83 | 575 |

MINNESOTA WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Assigned Risk Rates
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Miscellaneous Values

Expense Constant applicable to all policies \$110.00

Maximum Individual Remuneration applicable to:

executive officers, partners and sole proprietors, in connection with Rule IX-A-4 and Rule IX-B-5

electing members/owners of a Limited Liability Company, in connection with Minnesota Rule IX-A-1

Code 9178--"Athletic Teams: Non-Contact Sports"

Code 9179--"Athletic Team: Contact Sports" \$1,230.00

Minimum Individual Remuneration applicable to executive officers, partners and sole proprietors, in connection with Rule IX-A-4 and Rule IX-B-5 \$180.00

Minimum Remuneration for Spouse, Parent or Child Elections

If a parent, spouse or child of an individual proprietor or a partner of a partnership or of an executive officer of a closely held corporation who is eligible for coverage under 176.012 is employed by such entity to perform work in connection with the operations of the employer and for whom coverage has been elected in writing, the actual payroll of such spouse, parent or child as indicated in the insured's records shall be included in the basis of premium computation subject to a minimum amount per each week actually worked (a part of a week shall be considered a full week). There is no maximum. (3-29-84)

\$185.00

Taxicab Driver Payroll

When the payroll of taxicab drivers is not verifiable in the payroll records of the insured, the payroll of such drivers shall be established as 150% of the statewide average weekly wage extended for the period of employment during the policy term.

If the owner also rents or leases the vehicle, an additional premium will be charged for each leased or rented vehicle per policy year based on 100% of the statewide average weekly wage extended to an annual basis.

United States Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation

Coverage Percentage applicable only connection with Rule XII-D-3
(Multiply a Non-"F" in classification rate by a factor of 1.58)

58%

Experience Rating Eligibility

A risk is eligible for intrastate experience rating when the payrolls or other exposures developed in the last year or last two years of the experience period produced a premium of at least \$6,000. If more than two years, an average annual premium of at least \$3,000 is required. Page A-1 of the Experience Rating Plan Manual should be referenced for the latest approved eligibility amounts by state.