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TO: ALL COMPANIES LICENSED TO WRITE MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE  
IN VIRGINIA

RE: 1977 Acts of the General Assembly of Virginia

At its 1977 Session, the General Assembly of Virginia enacted certain legislation to become effective July 1, 1977, which will affect the manner in which companies conduct the business of insurance in Virginia.

A copy of the new laws is enclosed herewith for your information and record. Such legislation should be directed to the proper person(s), to insure that appropriate action by this company is accomplished.

In this regard, please be advised of the following:

1. Chapter 112 (H 699) amends §§38.1-380.1, 38.1-380.2 and 46.1-497.1 of the Code of Virginia, and provides that the insured has the option of purchasing either or both of the optional automobile Medical Expense and Loss of Income coverages. In addition, coverage applies to the named insured, and the resident spouse and relatives, while occupying or through being struck by a motor vehicle.

Insurance Services Office (ISO) is preparing a form filing consisting of one endorsement in two sections, and with a schedule, to afford the options required by the amended statutes. The endorsement form will be established as a standard automobile form for use by all companies.