

RULES – IMPLEMENTATION

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COMMERCIAL LINES

LI-CL-2019-002

KANSAS REVISION AND WITHDRAWAL OF RULES EXCEPTIONS TO BE IMPLEMENTED

KEY MESSAGE

Filing CL-2018-OARB2, which revises and deletes Kansas Commercial Lines rules exceptions to accommodate the state-specific endorsements withdrawn under forms filing CL-2018-OARB1, in response to 2018 K.S. HB 2571, is being implemented.

Applicable Lines: CR, CY, FI, FR, GL, HH, PF (IA, MI, RE), PR

BACKGROUND

In circular [LI-CL-2018-039](#), we informed you that we were revising and deleting rules exceptions for various Commercial Lines based on the withdrawal of state-specific appraisal and binding and non-binding arbitration endorsements and the introduction of multistate binding and non-binding arbitration endorsements in companion filing CL-2018-OARB1.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT ACTION

The Kansas Insurance Department has:

- With respect to the Medical Professional Liability (PR) line of business, approved filing CL-2018-OARB2 as submitted; and
- With respect to all other affected lines of business, acknowledged filing CL-2018-OARB2 as submitted.

EFFECTIVE DATE

The ISO revision is subject to the following rule of application:

These changes are applicable to all policies written on or after June 1, 2019.

COMPANY ACTION

If you have authorized us to file on your behalf and decide:

- To use our revision and effective date, you are not required to file anything with the Insurance Department.
- To use our revision with a different effective date, to use our revision with modification, or to not use our revision, you must make an appropriate submission with the Insurance Department.

For guidance on submission requirements, consult the ISO State Filing Handbook.

In all correspondence with the Insurance Department on this revision, you should refer to ISO Filing Designation Number CL-2018-OARB2, not this circular number. Communications with the regulator concerning a filing affecting multiple lines of business (i.e., CL, PL, AL filing designation) should specify the line(s) of business that you are addressing.

RATING SOFTWARE IMPACT

No new attributes are being introduced with this revision.

POLICYHOLDER NOTIFICATION

If you decide to implement this revision, you should check all applicable laws for the state(s) to which this revision applies, to determine whether or not a specific policyholder notice requirement may apply. Please note that circular [LI-CL-2018-044](#) contains the ISO Guide To Renewals With Changed Conditions For Commercial Lines, which is available only as a guide to assist participating companies in complying with various conditional renewal statutes or regulations, for the major commercial lines of insurance serviced by ISO. The information in the Guide does not necessarily reflect all requirements or exceptions that may apply, and it is not intended as a substitute for your review of all applicable statutes and regulations concerning policyholder notification.

REVISION DISTRIBUTION

We will issue a Notice to Manualholders with an edition date of 6-19 (or the earliest possible subsequent date), along with any new and/or revised manual pages.

RELATED FORMS REVISION

We are announcing in a separate circular the implementation of a corresponding forms revision. Please refer to the Reference(s) block for identification of that circular.

REFERENCE(S)

- [LI-CL-2019-001](#) (01/14/2019) Kansas Withdrawal Of Arbitration And Appraisal State Exceptions And Introduction Of Multistate Endorsements To Be Implemented
 - [LI-CL-2018-044](#) (11/27/2018) Revised Lead Time Requirements Listing
 - [LI-CL-2018-039](#) (10/29/2018) Kansas Rules Exceptions Revised And Withdrawn
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