

BULLETIN NO. 95-3

TO: ALL COMPANIES WRITING INSURANCE IN IDAHO

RE: Amendment to Idaho Code § 41-1812 - Filing and Use of Forms

To alleviate undue delays in the use of insurance policies, contracts, riders and endorsements by insurance companies and to reduce the pressures on limited Department of Insurance resources, the Fifty-third Legislature of the State of Idaho passed House Bill 242. This legislation went into effect July 1, 1995.

This legislation amends Idaho Code § 41-1812 to provide for the filing of insurance forms, with a certification by the insurer that the document is in compliance with Idaho law and permits the use of such documents without receiving prior approval of the Director. The legislation provides authority for the Director, if he finds that the documents are not in compliance, to prohibit further use of the documents and to bring an action under the Idaho administrative procedures act.

To aid the department in its internal processing and record keeping, it is requested that all companies making filings use the attached Idaho filing submission documentation form.

Questions should be directed to the department's Policy Rates and Forms section.