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To Small Insurers:

As you may be aware, the West Virginia Online Verification program (WVOLV) has a mandated GO-LIVE date of January 1, 2014. All WV licensed auto insurers were issued a notice on June 1, 2012 to advise compliance to West Virginia Motor Vehicle Code Chapter 17D, Article 2A, Section 6A must be met by January 1, 2014; based on successful completion of the pilot program.

Compliance must be achieved by taking the necessary steps to complete the online insurance verification program with Insure-Rite and by providing your company’s NAIC number on all insurance identification cards. The above WV code does require alternative methods of reporting be provided for small insurers writing less than 500 non-commercial motor vehicles policies in the state. The most efficient method of providing the data and safeguarding your insured’s, would be an initial load of your companies business along with a scheduled follow-up to IR. This would offer the quickest, most accurate approach to processing your records.

Thank you and may our combined efforts be successful with minimal intrusion to our registrants that are your clients. Our focus as always is to identify the uninsured and protect our insured motorists.

Respectfully,

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