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TO: HOLDERS OF THE *ASSESSMENT MANUAL*

This update to the *Assessment Manual* contains amendments to the *Manual* implemented since Update 2003 - 4.

This amendment includes:

- Addition to Appendix B – Index of Retired Decisions from Volumes 1 – 6 (Decisions No. 1 – 423) of the *Workers' Compensation Reporter*. Appendix B has been updated to reflect the retirement of Decision No. 152, effective February 1, 2004.

A summary of the amendment is attached and the amended pages are included as part of the package.

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DOUGLAS J. ENNS
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- Appendix B Pages 8 - 9 • At the January 20, 2004 Board of Directors (“BOD”) meeting, the BOD approved the retirement of Decision No. 152.

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