

**BULLETIN TO ALL AGENTS AND HOME OFFICE PERSONNEL
INTERESTED IN THE STATE OF TEXAS****Disaster Area Premium Payments Grace Period****Effective Date: August 24th until September 24th**

As a result of Hurricane Harvey and subsequent flooding, the Governor of Texas has issued a disaster declaration under § 418.017 of the Texas Government Code. As a result of the declaration, the Texas Department of Insurance has issued bulletin # B-0009-17 that is applicable to the following counties:

Aransas, Atascosa, Austin, Bee, Bexar, Brazoria, Brazos, Caldwell, Calhoun, Cameron, Chambers, Colorado, Comal, DeWitt, Fayette, Fort Bend, Galveston, Goliad, Gonzales, Grimes, Guadalupe, Hardin, Harris, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Jim Wells, Karnes, Kerr, Kleberg, Lavaca, Lee, Leon, Liberty, Live Oak, Madison, Matagorda, Montgomery, Newton, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio, Tyler, Victoria, Walker, Waller, Washington, Wharton, Willacy and Wilson.

The bulletin is applicable to all lines of business and encourages insurance carriers to suspend premium payments for insureds in the above stated counties, this includes insureds who are domiciled, garaged, or have a mailing address that resides in one of the aforementioned counties. The term "suspension" is not intended to mean forgiveness of premium and carriers are encouraged to work with policyholders in the collection of premiums and payment plans.

Bulletin B-0009-17 does not impact any existing automatic payments and they may continue to be drafted at this time unless instructed not to do so by the policyholder.

Contact your home office underwriter or Bob Clemens at beclemens@nationalindemnity.com with any questions.

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