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CORRESPONDENCE MEMORANDUM

DATE:

August 18, 2011

TO:

Group Insurance Board

FROM:

John Vincent, Director

Office of Internal Audit

SUBJECT: Dependent Eligibility Verification Review

This memo is for informational purposes only. No Board action is required.

At the request of the Board Chair the following is an update on the status of the Department's random sample Dependent Eligibility Verification (DEV) Review.

Background

- > 1,000 of the 135,000 covered dependents were randomly selected for the DEV Review.
- July 29, 2011 was the final date for documentation to be received by the vendor.

Preliminary Results

- > 906 Dependents were deemed eligible, due to supporting documents being provided
- 3 Dependents had died
- 91 Dependents are under further review by the Division of Insurance Services (DIS) based on the following reasons:
 - o 42 were non-responses
 - o 10 were partial responses
 - 39 subscribers reported a change of status including noting that the dependent was ineligible

Plan of Action

- DIS will correspond directly with subscribers that coverage will be ending for their dependent effective September 30, 2011, unless sufficient eligibility documentation is provided.
- > DIS will follow up with employers to obtain required eligibility documentation.
- ➤ ETF's next steps regarding dependent eligibility will be reported at the November 8, 2011 Board meeting.

I will be available at the Board meeting to answer questions.

Reviewed and approved by Rhonda Dunn, Executive Assistant.		
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