

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE  
JIM LONG, COMMISSIONER

**B U L L E T I N**

**NUMBER 88-L-9**

TO: All Licensed Fire and Casualty Companies

SUBJECT: **Rate and Form Filing Requirements**

DATE: October 24, 1988

**ATTENTION: CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

Effective January 1, 1989, there will be an **important change** in North Carolina's requirements for the submission of rate and form filings. After that date, combined rate and form filings submitted as one filing will not be accepted. Rate filings may not include form filings and form filings may not include rate filings. This change is being made in order to coordinate proposed regulation revisions with the Fire and Casualty Division's ongoing computerization project. We realize this will involve additional paperwork on your part, but believe the benefits of computerization will outweigh this minor inconvenience.

If a combined filing is received after January 1, 1989, it will be returned to you for resubmission as separate rate and form filings.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please communicate these **new rate and form filing requirements** to all personnel responsible for submitting rate and form filings to the Fire and Casualty Division of the North Carolina Department of Insurance.

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