## CONTINUATION OF VOLUNTARY MARKET ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

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This Bulletin is directed to all companies writing property and casualty insurance in the State of Indiana.

In a cooperative effort with representatives of the insurance industry and the Indiana Department of Insurance, the voluntary market assistance program (VMAP) was created earlier, as announced in Bulletin #52 issued January 22, 1986.

We believe VMAP has been successful, and we shall continue the program until December 31, 1990. I sincerely urge all property/casualty insurers writing liability insurance in Indiana to commit to continue active participation (or begin participation) in this program and thereby demonstrate to the public the industry's continuing willingness to respond to any availability problem. The key to the success of this program has been, and will continue to be, the willingness of insurers to consider the individual merits of a risk on a case-by-case basis.

I hereby request that you continue participation. If it is your desire not to continue, please notify the:

Indiana Voluntary Market Assistant Program (VMAP) 5750 Castle Creek Parkway North Drive Suite 314
Indianapolis, IN 46250

As previously mentioned, the VMAP will not assist in the placement of workers compensation, employer's liability, pollution liability or motor vehicle insurance coverages.

We are not asking for contributions to the Fund at this time as there is sufficient money to offset the administrative costs incurred by the program, however, it may be necessary to request contributions later in 1990. All VMAP funds will remain under the control of the VMAP Executive Committee.

Your cooperation has made the Indiana VMAP a success and it is essential that you demonstrate your continued support for this program.

John J. Dillon III INSURANCE COMMISSIONER