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CIRCULAR

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PCRB Circular No. 1847

To All Members of the PCRB:

**Re: Approval Of PCRB Filing No. 349
Discontinuation of Code 0509, Asbestos Goods Mfg.
Effective April 1, 2027**

The Pennsylvania Insurance Department has approved PCRB Filing No. 349, discontinuing Code 0509, Asbestos Goods Manufacturing, for policies effective at 12:01 a.m., on April 1, 2027, or later. The effective date coincides with the PCRB's annual loss cost revision cycle. Aligning these changes with the annual filing cycle is intended to facilitate an orderly implementation and minimize administrative and system changes for carriers and other affected stakeholders.

The discontinuation reflects the absence of meaningful reported exposure under classification Code 0509 in Pennsylvania for several years, as well as changes in the underlying manufacturing activity and related asbestos regulations. Based on the exposure history, the discontinuation is not expected to require any reassignment of reported payroll or losses, nor is it anticipated to have any impact on statewide premium or loss costs.

Please refer to Filing No. 349, under the "[Filings](#)" section of the PCRB's website (<http://www.pcrb.com>) for additional information. Please contact Robert Ferrante, Manager of the PCRB's Classification Section, at (215) 320-4584 or at rferrante@pcrb.com for any questions regarding this circular. The Basic Manual will be updated on the PCRB's website in advance of the April 1, 2027, effective date.

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