

## DATA QUALITY BULLETIN

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**TO:** All Statistical Submission and Error Correction Coordinators

Early Warning System (EWS) Commercial Liability Statistical Plan (CLSP) – User Access and Training

Insurance Bureau of Canada (IBC) is pleased to advise that the existing commercial liability data accuracy profiles are being re-engineered to speed up the analysis of reported data and will be included in the Early Warning System application, similar to the automobile data accuracy profiles.

The base for the new EWS CLSP anomaly rules will be the current commercial liability profiles.

IBC will begin using the EWS profiles in early June 2012. This system will help IBC analyze company-reported data and identify anomalies early, to allow for corrections of reported data prior to its use in industry exhibits.

A list of the new CLSP anomaly rules description is attached to this bulletin.

The Automobile Statistical Plan (ASP) anomaly rules have also been modified for easier identification. The plan code has now been included in the definition. For example, BCP406001 has been changed to BCP8406001. The new list of ASP anomaly rules is attached.

IBC will be holding training sessions for the industry during May 2012 to ensure that companies have all the tools and knowledge needed to effectively use the new system. Those who are unable to attend in person will be able to take advantage of an online webinar. For training session and webinar dates and times, refer to the attached EWS Training Registration Form. Please return the registration form no later than April 30, 2012.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact your Data Quality Analyst at 416-445-5912 or 1-800-761-6703.

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