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TO: All Fire and Property and Casualty Companies
Authorized to Issue Motor Vehicle Policies in Florida

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SUBJECT: Advisory Bulletin
Mandatory Electronic filing of SR22 & SR26s

At the IICMVA meeting in October 2008, we confirmed that all companies must schedule their conversion to filing SR22/26 documents electronically, not later than June 30, 2009. So far, little movement has been seen in this arena. We have just a handful of companies filing electronic SR22/26.

Effective July 1, 2009, all insurance companies with **1000 policies or more** must complete programming, testing and ready to start electronically reporting all SR22/26s and FR44/46s via File Transfer Protocol (FTP). Reporting will be included in your regular submissions with your 'A' file. The SR22s and FR44s should only be reported if a customer did not have the required liability coverage at the time of an event. Renewal SR22s and FR44s are not needed. Only SR26s and FR46s are needed when there is a break in continuous liability coverage. Insurance companies with **less than 1000 policies in Florida** can continue to file the paper formats.

The FR44s are reported if a customer had a DUI conviction on or after October 1, 2007, but did not have the required liability coverage of 100/300/50 at the time of the offense.

If you have any questions in regards to programming or you are ready to start testing you may contact Bennett White, at bennettwhite@flhsmv.gov or Laura Rogers, at laurarogers@flhsmv.gov. The FTP Manual is updated with these operating procedures and is posted at <http://www.flhsmv.gov/FRManualFTP/>.

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