

INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN #2 (June 14, 1996)

TO: Massachusetts Medical Malpractice Insurers

FROM: Governing Committee

RE: 1. Plan of Operation
2. Rules of Operation

1. **PLAN of Operation** On May 28, 1996, the Massachusetts Division of Insurance held a public hearing on the Plan of Operation submitted by the Governing Committee in fulfillment of its statutory mandate. Hearing Officer Susan Anderson presided. Representatives of the Reinsurance Plan, the Massachusetts Medical Society, and the Independent Property and Casualty Insurers of Massachusetts, Inc. testified. The American Insurance Association and the St Paul Company submitted testimony. The record closed on June 6, 1996.. You will be advised when a decision is reached via an Informational Bulletin.
2. **RULES of Operation** At its June 6, 1996 meeting, the Governing Committee produced a *draft* of the Rules of Operation for the Reinsurance Plan. A copy is available upon request for your review and comments. In order that the Governing Committee may have time to review any comments submitted, it is requested that comments be received by the Plan no later than Monday, July 15, 1996. Comments received after this date may not be considered by the Governing Committee. The Governing Committee will further consider the Rules of Operation and any comments received at its August 1, 1996 meeting. This Informational Bulletin is your notice of that meeting. The Plan of Operation, *as filed*, requires that the Rules of Operation be submitted to the Commissioner of Insurance prior to implementation.