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DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE

DIVISION OF INSURANCE

2001 Commissioner's Standard Ordinary (CSO) Mortality Table for Use in Determining Minimum Reserve Liabilities and Nonforfeiture Benefits

Adopted New Rules: N.J.A.C. 11:4-27

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Insurance

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Summary of Public Comments and Agency Responses:

The Department of Banking and Insurance received written comments from

Monumental Life Insurance Company and the American Council of Life Insurers.

COMMENT: Both commenters supported the proposed new rules

RESPONSE: The Department thanks the commenters for their support.

COMMENT: One commenter urged the Department to adopt the new rules as soon as

possible.

RESPONSE: The Department has adopted the new rules in a timely manner.

Federal Standards Statement

A Federal standards analysis is not required because the adopted new subchapter is not subject to any Federal requirement or standards. The new rules are based on an NAIC Model.

While the rules will have an ancillary impact on Federal tax standards, they are not subject to any Federal requirements or standards. Rather, the rules serve merely as a reference for tax related Federal benchmarks.

<u>Full text</u> of the adoption follows:

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