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TO: All Reinsured Companies

All Risk Management Agency Field Offices

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SUBJECT: Season Average Market Prices for Tobacco

The season average market prices from the 1998 crop year referenced in the Guaranteed Tobacco Crop Provisions (99-071) for types 32, 41, 51, and 61 are listed below. These prices are used for loss adjustment for the 1999 crop year. The market prices for tobacco types shown below have been released as part of the Actuarial Data Master.

<u>Type</u>	Crop Code	Market Price
		\$/Pound
32	232 Maryland Tobacco	
	(prices for this Type vary by State)	
	Maryland	\$1.63
	Pennsylvania	\$0.80
41	234 Cigar Filler Tobacco	\$1.30
51	235 Cigar Binder Tobacco	\$5.50
61	236 Cigar Binder Tobacco	\$24.19

DISPOSAL DATE:

This Informational Memorandum is for the purpose of transmitting information and the expiration date is December 31, 1999.

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