

Texas Department of Insurance
Notice of Recommendation to Decrease Stamping Fee Rate
For the Surplus Lines Stamping Office of Texas

The Texas Department of Insurance (TDI) received a recommendation from the Surplus Lines Stamping Office of Texas (stamping office) to decrease the stamping fee from the current rate of 0.15% of gross premium to 0.075%. The stamping fee is collected from surplus lines agents to fund the stamping office's operations. The Commissioner of Insurance must approve any change to the stamping fee.

TDI requests public comments on the proposed decrease and the date on which the decrease should go into effect.

You can get a copy of the recommendation and supporting documents at <https://www.tdi.texas.gov/rules/2020/exrules.html>.

Public Comment: TDI will consider any written comments that are received no later than 5:00 p.m., central time, on August 27, 2020. Send your comments to ChiefClerk@tdi.texas.gov or to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 112-2A, Texas Department of Insurance, P.O. Box 149104, Austin, Texas 78714-9104.

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