



FEMA

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February 25, 2010

MEMORANDUM FOR: Write Your Own (WYO) Company Principal Coordinators and the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Servicing Agent

FROM:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dennis L. Kuhns".

Dennis L. Kuhns
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SUBJECT: NFIP Reauthorization

The NFIP's authorization will expire – February 28, 2010 – at midnight. An extension of the Program will likely occur before this time. However, if Congress does not act to extend the NFIP's authorization before the deadline, the Program will not be allowed to operate and you are to be guided by Bulletin W-09068, issued October 27, 2009, and titled "Recommendations/Guidance for Possible NFIP Authority Lapse and Hiatus" available at:

<http://bsa.nfipstat.com/wyobull/w-09068.pdf>

If a lapse does occur, an extension will probably be done retroactively. A new bulletin will be posted when the status changes.

cc: Vendors, IBHS, FIPNC, Government Technical Representative

Suggested Routing: All Departments