CHANGES TO MIB, INC. AUTHORIZATION LANGUAGE – GUIDANCE

The MIB, Inc. is requesting that its member companies amend their authorization forms to add the following language:

“I authorize XYZ Insurance Company or its reinsurers to make a brief report of my personal health information (or “protected health information” for member companies that are HIPAA covered entities) to MIB, Inc.” (or “MIB” or “Medical Information Bureau” for insurers that have not updated their forms to reflect MIB, Inc.)

Any form revised solely to comply with the exact language in the MIB, Inc. request, as set forth above, does not require a full submission. A filing of this type should be submitted with the following: A letter (or provided on the General Information tab in SERFF) identifying by form number, the forms that will be revised to make the change along with the SERFF tracking number of the approved form. If the approved form was done as a paper filing, a copy of the form bearing the Department’s approval stamp should be provided as Supporting Documentation. Also, a certification stating that the only change being made to the form is the MIB language must be included. Filings of this type will receive an ‘Acknowledged’ disposition.

If any change, other than the MIB language as referenced above, is made to a previously approved form, the form must be submitted for complete review by the Department.

Submissions to the Life, Accident & Health Bureau must be made via SERFF, using the following:

Life: TOI – L08 Life-Other Filing Type – Form

A&H: TOI – H21 Health-Other Filing Type – Form - Other (Not M.U. or G.I. Product)